HOMEGOING CELEBRATION
FOR THE LIFE OF

LOUISE Esther DELANCY

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FUNERAL SERVICE:

SATURDAY, 8TH JANUARY, 2022 AT 10AM

GRACE TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

KEW · NORTH CAICOS

OFFICIATING:

PASTOR COURTNEY M MISSICK

INTERMENT:

KEW PUBLIC CEMETERY

THE LIFE AND MEMORIES OF

Esther LOUISE DELANCY

1938 - 2021

Jesus said unto her, I am the Resurrection and the life. He who believeth in me though he were dead, yet shall he live. St. John 11:25

On January 2nd 1938, this world was indeed blessed by the birth of a unique and talented baby girl. Her parents, Victoria Grant and Felix Delancy, felt profound joy as they experienced the presence of their last baby girl and gave her the name of Esther Louise Delancy.

Esther later received her education at the all age Primary School in Kew, North Caicos, now known as The Hubert James Primary School. She soon matured with much beauty and poise and met and married the love of her life, the late Hymenus Outten. This union was born their firstborn child, Atherine.

Esther was indeed a multitalented young lady. This was evidenced by the creative work and designs she produced as a seamstress. Her unique creations, often displayed and modelled by her older sister, Cornelia, was admired by many in the community. Many of the residents in Kew, Whitby and Sandy Point were recipients of her stellar talent which ranged from sophisticated styles for wedding dresses to baby clothing.

However, in 1972, she decided to utilized her skills in the hospitality industry, and took gainful employment at the Meridian Club at Pine Cay. Here she exhibited exceptional diligence in her capacities as housekeeper and staff cook. She would work there until her retirement in 2009.

On August 2th, 2021, she had to be flown to the Cheshire Hall Medical Center, in Providenciales, where she was treated and later discharged. She returned back home to North Caicos, only to be flown right back to Providenciales on August 30th, 2021, and was hospitalized until November 16th, 2021. Again, the Lord blessed her to recuperate, and she was able to go home to North Caicos to enjoy her final days with her family and love ones but unfortunately in the early hours of December 11th 2021 she slipped away peacefully.

Obituary

Left to honor and cherish her memories as a Mother, grandmother and aunt are numerous. They are eagerly looking forward to the Glad Reunion Day where there would be no more parting and no more good byes.

CHILDREN: Atherine Outten, Maxwell & Ublese Delancy, Orien Capron, Nancy Adams, Ali and Deowen Harvey and Dedgrie Jennings

GRANDCHILDREN: Leandra WIlliams, Dellarnie Jennings, Sharita, Wendy, Geniece Ducardo, Gelicia, Ashley Delancy, Doniesha Capron, Vernardo, Leenardo, Luciano, Curvina Delancy, Donancia Saintage, Danatreo, Davandria, Dasharnia, Damekio Gardiner, Aliarno, Aliesha, Archlande , Shelly and Peterson Harvey and Danae Smith

GREAT GRAND CHILDREN: Zada and Zion Williams, Kenrika Handfield, Travante, Tyquarn,Tristen Garland, Jamard and Jade Jeenings, AArielle AArayana, Kymani, Kayla Delancy, Anayiah Quant, Jaiidon and Jesscia Saintage, Darwen, Harmony

DAUGHTERS-IN-LAW: Clova Delancy, Yolande Harvey

SONS-IN-LAW: Donald Capron, Michael Adams

SISTER-IN-LAW: Monica Delancy

GRAND SON-IN-LAW: Kenva Williams, Jamard Jennings, Jeffrey Saintage

GRAND DAUGHTER-IN-LAW: Jessica Delancy

NUMEROUS NIECES: Caroline, Lorna, Beatrice, Rosita, Queenal, Kimberlee Isdora, Sara, Paulette, Daphne and TraceAnn

NUMEROUS NEPHEWS: Hilgrove (Jack), Joseph, Arthur, Sheldon, Edward, Alden, Courtney, Cadron and Derex

NIECE-IN-LAW: Esterleen Delancy

NEPHEW-IN-LAW: Carrington, Dwight, Levardo, Ronal

SPECIAL COUSINS: Charles Delancy, Annis and Pearleen

CLOSE FRIENDS: Velma Gardiner, Cousin Goldie Forbes Gardiner, Monroe Forbes, Franklin Robinson, Robert Gardiner and Former Staff of the Meridian Club

Order of Service

OFFICIATING.....Pastor Courtney M Missick

PROCESSION .....Seating of the family

OPENING PRAYER.....Stephen Walkin

CONGREGATIONAL SONG .....“My Savior First Of All”

When my lifework is ended and I cross the swelling tide,
When the bright and glorious morning I shall see;
I shall know my Redeemer when I reach the other side,
And His smile will be the first to welcome me.

Chorus:
I shall know Him, (I shall know Him,) I shall know Him,
And redeemed by His side I shall stand;
I shall know Him, (I shall know Him,) I shall know Him
By the print of the nails in His hand.

Oh, the soul thrilling rapture when I view His blessed face,
And the luster of His kindly beaming eye;
How my full heart will praise Him for the mercy, love and grace
That prepared for me a mansion in the sky.

Oh, the dear ones in glory, how they beckon me to come,
And our parting at the river I recall;
To the sweet vales of Eden they will sing my welcome home,
But I long to meet my Savior first of all.

Thro’ the gates to the city in a robe of spotless white,
He will lead me where no tears will ever fall;
In the glad song of ages I shall mingle with delight,
But I long to meet my Savior first of all.

1ST SCRIPTURE READING.....Ecclesiasts 3:1-9.....Doniesha Capron [Granddaughter]

SELECTION ..... By Grand Children

OBITUARY READING .....[READ IN SILENCE]

CONGREGATIONAL SONG ..... "Soul Of Men Never Die"

To Canaan's land, I'm on my way
Where the soul (of man) never dies
My darkest night will turn to day
Where the soul (of man) never dies

The love light beams across the foam
Where the soul (of man) never dies
It shines and lights the way to home
Where the soul (of man) never dies

Chorus
No sad farewells; No tear-dimmed eyes
Where all is love; And the soul never dies

Dear friends, there'll be no sad farewells
There'll be no tear-dimmed eyes
Where all is peace and joy and love
And the soul of man never dies

My life will end in deathless sleep
Where the soul (of man) never dies
And everlasting joys I'll reap
Where the soul (of man) never dies

The rose is blooming there for me
Where the soul (of man) never dies
And I will spend eternity
Where the soul (of man) never dies

I'm on my way to that fair land
Where the soul (of man) never dies
Where there will be no parting hand
Where the soul (of man) never dies

REFLECTION .....By Rolanda Robinson

2ND SCRIPTURE READING ..... Job 19:25-27.....Damekio Gardiner

SELECTION BY .....Beatrice Beam

SERMON .....by Pastor Pedro Williams

PRAYER FOR THE FAMILY BY.....Pastor Evan Williams

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.....A&S Funeral Services

BENEDICTION..... Pastor Courtney M Missick

RECESSIONAL SONG ..... "No Tears"

No tears in heaven no sorrows given
All will be glory in that land
There'll be no sadness all will be gladness
When we shall join that happy band.

Chorus:
No tears (in heaven bear) no tears (no tears up there)
Sorrow and pain will all have gone
No tears (in heaven bear) no tears (no tears up there)
No tears in heaven will be known.

Glory is waiting, waiting up yonder
Where we shall spend an endless day
There with our Savior we'll be forever
Where no more sorrow can dismay.

No tears (in heaven bear) no tears (no tears up there)
Sorrow and pain will all have gone
No tears (in heaven bear) no tears (no tears up there)
No tears in heaven will be known.

"SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER"

Shall we gather at the river,
Where bright angel feet have trod;
With its crystal tide forever
Flowing by the throne of God?

Ere we reach the shining river,
Lay we ev'ry burden down;
Grace our spirits will deliver,
And provide a robe and crown.

Refrain:
Yes, we'll gather at the river,
The beautiful, the beautiful river;
Gather with the saints at the river
That flows by the throne of God.

On the margin of the river,
Washing up its silver spray,
We will walk and worship ever,
All the happy golden day.

Soon we'll reach the shining river,
Soon our pilgrimage will cease;
Soon our happy hearts will quiver
With the melody of peace.

"WHEN WE ALL GET TO HEAVEN"

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus,
Sing His mercy and His grace.
In the mansions bright and blessèd
He'll prepare for us a place.

Refrain
When we all get to Heaven,
What a day of rejoicing that will be!
When we all see Jesus,
We'll sing and shout the victory!

While we walk the pilgrim pathway,
Clouds will overspread the sky;
But when travelling days are over,
Not a shadow, not a sigh.

Let us then be true and faithful,
Trusting, serving every day;
Just one glimpse of Him in glory
Will the toils of life repay.

Onward to the prize before us!
Soon His beauty we'll behold;
Soon the pearly gates will open;
We shall tread the streets of gold.

Tributes

A Wonderful Grandmother

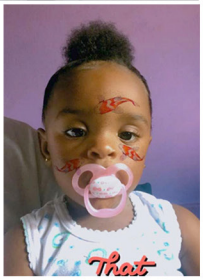
We had a wonderful grandmother
One who never really grew old
Her smile was made of sunshine
And her heart was solid gold
Her eyes were bright as shining stars
And in her cheeks fair roses you see.
We had a wonderful grandmother,
And that's the way it will always be.
But take heed, because
She's still keeping an eye on all of us,
So let's make sure
She will like what she sees.

by your sweet Dee

Light After Dark

As I sat by my window,
Looking out at the grey sky.
Tears rolled down my cheeks,
As its finally time to say goodbye.
Goodbye to a friend
Who was always there.
Goodbye to a family
Who always showed care.
Someone whom I turn to,
I don't know how to move on.
Someone whom I relate to,
But now you're gone.
But then a blue bird came,
And sat by my window.
The sun starts shining,
And evaporated all my sorrow.
Good memories came
To wash away the sadness.
Mended my heart
And filled it with gladness.

by Kia & Dria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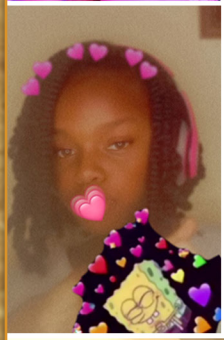

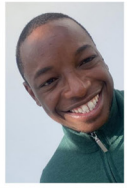
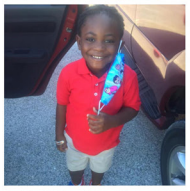

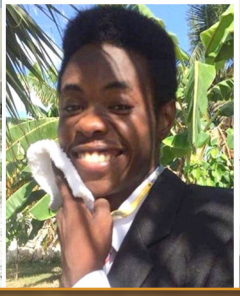
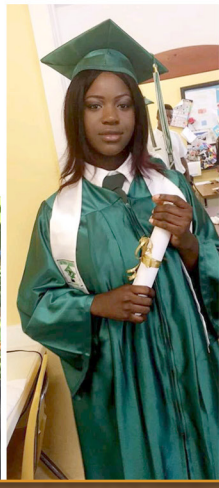

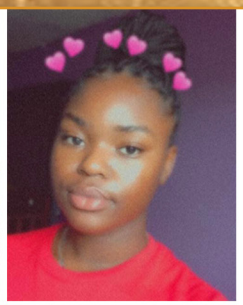

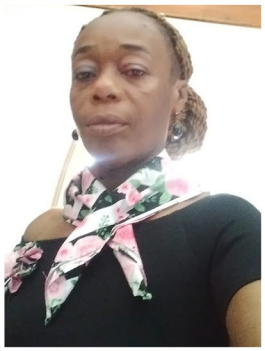
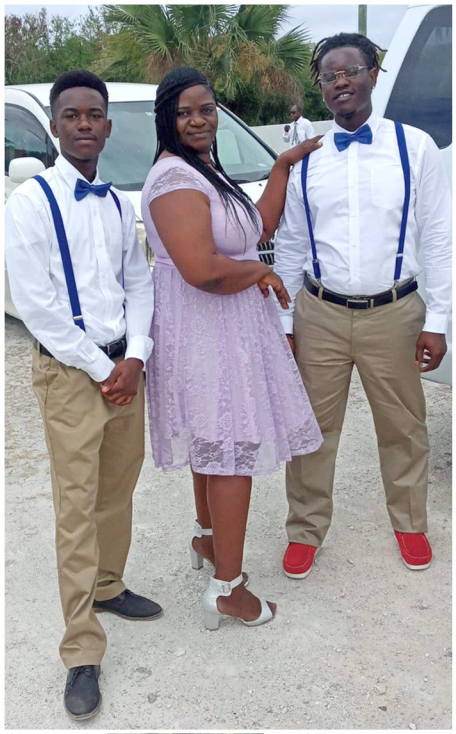
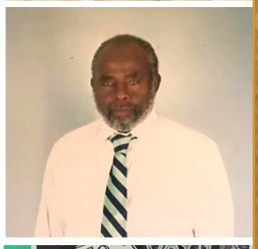

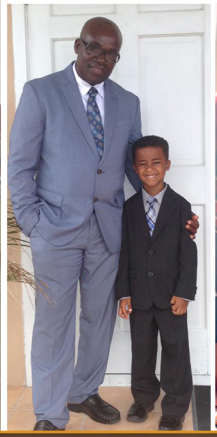

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PALL BEARERS

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Franklyn Robinson Danatreo Gardiner Arthur Delancy

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