



Her Journey's Just Begun

Don't think of her as gone away
her journey's just begun
life holds so many facets
this earth is only one.

Just think of her as resting
from the sorrows and the tears
in a place of warmth and comfort
where there are no days or years.

Think how she must be wishing
that we could know today
how nothing but our sadness
can really pass away.

And think of her as living
in the hearts of those she touched
for nothing loved is ever lost
and she was loved so much.

- Author Unknown

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Homegoing Celebration



Mrs. Celestine Holland Holiday

August 17, 1949 - February 1, 2022

Friday, February 11, 2022

12: 00 PM

Parklawn Memorial Gardens
2730 Peters Creek Parkway
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Reverend Thalaferro Huntley, Officiating

Obituary

Mrs. Celestine Diane Holland Holiday went home to be with the Lord on February 1, 2022. She was born on August 17, 1949 to Moses Holland and Pauline Bradley Holland. She grew up with her mother and stepfather, James Smith in Winston-Salem, NC and attended Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools. She was employed at RJ Reynolds Tobacco Company and later began working for Drs. Pat and Sunee Reynolds, caring for their son Ryan Reynolds, who became like family to her.

Celestine married Horace Holiday. Even though the two never had children, Celestine was like a mother to many children whom she cared for like her own. She enjoyed shopping, fashion, music and going to a good antique sale.

She is preceded in death by her, husband Horace Holiday; her parents, Moses Holland, Pauline Bradley Holland, and James Smith; her siblings, Dorothy Holland Clark, George Holland and James Smith, Jr.

She leaves to cherish memory, a brother, David Holland; a loving cousin, Gertrude Siler; her niece, Jacqueline House; nephews, Charles Smith and James Smith; great nieces, Shi'Tosha House Daily and Saba Obika; a loving goddaughter, Jamila Handy; she also leaves an extended family, Drs. Pat and Sunee Reynolds and their son, Ryan Reynolds; devoted friends, Helen Faye Handy, Patricia Rhodes, Rachel Kennedy Brown Rochester; and a host of other cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Order of Service

The Gathering

Opening Remarks

Reverend Thalaferro Huntley

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

Minister

New Testament

Minister

Prayer of Comfort

Minister

Community Resolution

Ava Bethea

Family Remarks

Jamila Handy and Ryan Reynolds

Eulogy

Reverend Thalaferro Huntley

Interment

Parklawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery



Our family gratefully acknowledges all prayers and acts of kindness we received since the homegoing of a beautiful soul.