

Acknowledgement

The family of Joyce Denise Taylor wishes to express our sincere gratitude for the many expressions of love, cards and kindness shown during their time of bereavement. We want to say thank you to everyone who said a prayer, sent a card, flowers, phone calls, text, or simply kept us in your thoughts. May God continue to bless you all.

Pallbearers

Travis Taylor – Aikowon Harris – Zion Sawyer – Jah Sawyer
Douglas Taylor – Miles Sawyer – Van Sawyer – Adonis Sawyer

JOURNEY OF *Faith*

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In Loving Memory of



Joyce Denise Taylor

December 20, 1953 - June 8, 2023

The Chapel of Peace East

Saturday, June 24, 2023

Visitation: 9:00am - Service 10:00am

Obituary

On June 8, 2023, Joyce Denise Taylor got her wings and went to walk with the angels. She was 69 years old. She was born in Columbus, Ohio to Harold and Ozelia Sawyer Sr.

Joyce was an exceptional wife to Paul Taylor, mother of Leon Sawyer, Latisha Sawyer, Maurice Sawyer, Travis Taylor, loving sister to Harold Sawyer Jr., Ronald Sawyer, Ramona Jordan, and Cathy (Charles) Boyd.

Joyce cared deeply for her family and neighbors. She attended West High School and enjoyed working for Panic Lighting for several years. She was more than happy to be the Central figure in the life of her children. Anyone who knew her knew that she was a star in her children's eyes and her children was all that mattered to her.

Joyce's greatest joy was her grandchildren, Teriny, Teizuhn, Brooklyn, Adonis, Miles, Mahlia, Arabia, Shaqueena, Mecca, Jah, Zion, Elizhonay, Ali'Kwon, and Messiah; great-grandchildren, Ahonesti, De'Moni, Mekhi, Kai, and London.

Joyce is preceded in death by her parents Harold and Ozelia Sawyer Sr.; brother, Harold Sawyer; son, Leon Sawyer, granddaughter, Shaqueena Jett.

Joyce is survived by her children Latisha, Maurice, and Travis, 13 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren, sisters, brother, and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

Joyce was immensely proud of her family and leaves behind nothing but beautiful memories.

Weep Not for Me

Weep not for me though I have gone

Into that gentle night

Grieve if you will, but not for long

Upon my soul's sweet flight

I am at peace, my soul's at rest

There is no need for tears

For with your love I was so blessed

For all those many years

There is no pain, I suffer not

The fear is now all gone

Put now these things out of your

thoughts

In your memory I live on

Remember not my fight for breath

Remember not the strife

Please do not dwell upon my death

But celebrate my life.

Order of Celebration

ORGAN PRELUDE The Chapel of Peace Music Ministry

PARTING VIEW Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READING Minister Darren Holt
Old Testament.....
New Testament.....

PRAYER..... Minister Darren Holt

SELECTION Lynette Lindsey
"I Won't Complain"

REMARKS..... Family (2 mins. please)

READING OF OBITUARY Read Silently

SELECTION Minister Darren Holt

The Eulogy
Minister Darren Holt

BENEDICTION..... Minister Darren Holt

RECESSIONAL..... Clergy, Family, and Friends

Repast
Seniors At Hegemon
2399 Mock Rd.
Columbus, Ohio 43219
12:30pm – 2:30pm

**DO NOT STAND
AT MY GRAVE AND WEEP
I AM NOT THERE. I DO NOT SLEEP
I AM A THOUSAND WINDS THAT BLOW
I AM THE DIAMOND GLINTS ON SNOW
I AM THE SUNLIGHT
ON RIPENED GRAIN
I AM THE GENTLE AUTUMN RAIN
WHEN YOU AWAKEN IN THE MORNING'S HUSH
I AM THE SWIFT UPLIFTING RUSH OF QUIET BIRDS IN CIRCLED FLIGHT
I AM THE SOFT STARS
THAT SHINE AT NIGHT
DO NOT STAND AT MY GRAVE AND CRY
I AM NOT THERE. I DID NOT DIE**

