You can shed tears that she is gone Or you can smile because she has lived

You can close your eyes and pray that she will come back Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left

> Your heart can be empty because you can't see her Or you can be full of the love that you shared

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday

You can remember her and only that she is gone
Or you can cherish her memory and let it live on

You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back Or you can do what she would want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Elizabeth Turner

February 8, 1947 ~ September 20, 2021

Obituary

Elizabeth Turner of NYC, NY., entered the presence of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, on September 20, 2021 after a long illness.

Elizabeth was born in Lee County, SC., the first child of Geneva Williams and Sonnie Hollman. She graduated from Brandies HS, NYC in 1965 and in 1967 married, John Turner. The two were so eager to marry their parents had to give their consent because of their age: they were married until his death, September 4, 1987. "Kootah" (as affectionally called by her family), went on to begin a career in retail that lasted nearly forty years with RH Macy's, officially retiring in 2010. After retirement she split her time between NYC and Charlotte, NC. Kootah, was a quiet woman who enjoyed cooking for family gatherings, old movies, good books and political debates. Her passion was her family with a special affection for her grandchildren.

Elizabeth is survived by her brothers, Sollie, Herbert (Bill) and John; sisters, Rebecca and Jeanette. Daughters, Charisse (husband, Anthony), Montisse, Shanta and Tonya. Fourteen grandchildren; Jonathan (wife, Heather), Anthony Jr., Justin, Jeremy, Robert, Jalyn, Jeelah, Jamie, Jordan, Jeshua, Justice, Julian, Joshua, Jonah and great grand-daughter Rowyn-Elizabeth, along with nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Those who knew Kootah feel quite sure she was received ON High with trumpets, confetti and a crown of glory. She is truly loved and will be greatly missed.

Order of Service

Scripture

Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Psalm 23

Musical Selection

Obituary Reading

John Welcome

Acknowledgements

Eulogy

Recessional

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We deeply appreciate your kind expression of sympathy in our time of great sorrow. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers.