



*In the stillness, you are near,
A gentle whisper, soft and clear.*

*Though distance keeps us far apart,
You live forever in our heart.*

*Your laughter dances through the years,
A soothing balm to dry our tears.*

*Your love, a light that's ever bright,
Guiding us through the darkest night.*

*The sun still rises, the stars still gleam,
Yet none can match your radiant beam.*

*Though gone from sight, your soul we feel,
A bond unbroken, strong and real.*

*So rest, beloved, in skies of peace,
Where love is endless, and sorrows cease.*

*Until we meet on heaven's shore,
Forever cherished, forevermore.*



Pallbearers
Family & Friends

Acknowledgements

Words cannot fully express how deeply we appreciate the outpouring of love, support, and compassion shown to our family during this difficult time. Your kindness and thoughtfulness have brought us comfort, and we will forever hold your generosity in our hearts.

-The Nelson Family

Repast

*Poinciana SDA Church
4948 Old Pleasant Hill Road
Poinciana, FL 34759*

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In Loving Memory



Sylvia Dentura Nelson

SEPTEMBER 25, 1945-MARCH 6, 2026

Sunday, March 29th, 2026 at 11a.m.

*Poinciana Seventh Day Adventist Church, Pastor Ron Smith
4948 Old Pleasant Hill Road Poinciana, FL 34759*

Obituary

Ms. Sylvia Nelson, a passionate, loving, and strong-willed woman of faith, passed away at age 80 years old on March 6th, 2026. She was born to Sabertha and Gladston Williams in Jamaica, West Indies, on September 25th, 1945. Sylvia shared close and caring relationships with her seven siblings: Willell, Amy, Jonathan, Sebastian, Kenneth, Irvin, and Alvin. Later in life, she married Keith Nelson and began her own family. She moved to the United States and eventually settled in Brooklyn, New York, where she was blessed with four sons--Junior, Johnny, Paul, and David--whom she loved deeply.

Sylvia dedicated 25 years of her career to working at the Marriott Marquis in Manhattan, New York, before retiring. Throughout her tenure, she exhibited diligence, excellence, and an unwavering commitment to helping others. Her warm and welcoming smile, along with her strong work ethic, earned her many friends and accolades. Sylvia's dedication was recognized with three Gold Star awards and special recognition from Mr. Marriott, who personally congratulated her.

After retiring, Sylvia relocated to Florida, where she enjoyed spending time with her sons and family members. She was always willing to lend a helping hand to those around her. Sylvia loved gardening, watching television, and connecting with people in her community. She often assisted neighbors in need and developed special relationships with those she encountered in daily life.

Sylvia was known for her joyful spirit, infectious smile, and beautiful personality. She loved to laugh and brought happiness to everyone she met. Sylvia was loved by many and cherished by all who crossed her path. She will be forever loved and missed.



ORDER OF Service

Officiant: Jacqueline Hinds

Processional
Clergy & Family

Prayer:

William Duncan

Selection: Amazing Grace 108

Elder Jacqueline Hinds

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament: Irvin Will

New Testament: Calli Williams

Tributes of Reflections:

As A Son: Paul Nelson

As A Friend: Sister Joyce Morgan

2 Others: @ 2 minutes each

Acknowledgements & Resolutions:

Yvonne Ramsey, Church Clerk

Selection Poinciana SDA Church Choir:

Yvonne Ramsay

Eulogy:

Calvin Williams

Homily:

Pastor Lucious Hall

Prayer of Consolation:

Elder Cordel Samuel

Closing Song:

"When we all get to heaven 633"

Closing Remarks:

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Let not your heart be troubled:
ye believe in God, believe also in me.
John 14:1