

Acknowledgements of Appreciation



Footprints

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the Lord. Across the sky flashed scenes of his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him and the other to the Lord.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints.

He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times of his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me.

The Lord replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your time of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

The family of the late Bonita Carter Johnson Forte acknowledges, with sincere appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of kindness shown at this time of bereavement.

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Sunrise: October 16, 1948

Sunset: December 3, 2019

In Loving Memory of



Bonita Forte

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2019

12:00 PM

MT ARARAT MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

20 STATE STREET • MONROE TOWNSHIP, NEW JERSEY

Officiating: Bishop Kenyatta Arnett

Order of Service



Musical Prelude

Processional..... Clergy & Family

Opening Hymn..... “His Eye Is On The Sparrow”

Prayer of Comfort Rev. Carma Arnette

Scripture Yvonne Reed
Old Testament: Psalm 23
New Testament: First Corinthians: 15:50-58

Selection.....

Acknowledgements (Cards and Resolutions)..... Anastasia Carter
& Paige Johndrow

Reading of The Obituary Kristen Massey

Reflections Minister Jason Johnson
(2 minutes please)

Selection.....

Eulogy Bishop Kenyatta Arnett

Interment

Fernwood Cemetery Association
Jamesburg, New Jersey

Repast

Mt. Ararat Missionary Baptist Church
Monroe Township, New Jersey

Obituary



Bonita Carter Johnson Forte, 71, of Browns Mills, NJ passed away on Tuesday, December 3, 2019 in Burlington, NJ. She was born in Jamesburg, NJ on October 16, 1948 to John and Grace Massey.

Affectionately known as Bonnie, she was educated in the Monroe Township School and graduated from Jamesburg High School in 1966. After getting married she moved to Newark, NJ where she attended Newark Teachers College. During her career she worked for RCA as a circuit board assembler, and finally at Dow Jones as a Training Services Coordinator.

Bonnie married Eric Carter and they were blessed with the birth of a daughter, Ginger “Gigi” Carter. She then married John Johnson and enjoyed the joy of her second child, Jason. Ultimately, she met and married Emory C. Forte Jr. They were longtime residents of Browns Mills, NJ. Bonnie enjoyed spending time baking, collecting frogs and tea pots. She also enjoyed the pleasures of games of chance and the casino environment.

Bonnie was predeceased by her parents, John and Grace Massey of Jamesburg, NJ; and brother, John Massey. She is survived by her loving husband, Emory C. Forte Junior, Browns Mills, NJ; daughter, Ginger P. Carter, of Atlanta, GA; son, Minister Jason Johnson of Jackson, TN; two step children, LaVetta M. Forte of Mount Holly, NJ, and Brian M. (Kim) Forte of Willingboro, NJ; siblings, Stanley (Carolyn) Massey of East Windsor, NJ, and Kim Robert (Vanita) Massey, of Overland Park, KS; grandchildren, Anastasia, Paige, Dominic, Darius, Jexton, Destiny, and Brian Jr.; and a host of family and friends.

