

Order of Service cont.

EULOGY Haqikah Greaves

HYMN "Precious Lord" #834

GOSPEL John 14:1-6a

PRAYERS

UNISON PRAYER

Merciful God, support us all the day long until the shadows lengthen and the evening comes and the busy world is hushed and the fever of life is over and our work is done. Then in your tender mercy grant us a safe lodging and a holy rest at last. Amen.

HYMN "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" #306

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

BENEDICTION

FINAL SONG "How Can I Keep From Singing" Virine Morris

RECESSIONAL

Acknowledgements

The family of Virine Morris wishes to express our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for all the prayers, kindness and expressions of condolences shown to us during our time of sorrow. A special thank you to Alan Long and Rena Rodriguez for their special music today.



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Home Going Service for

Virine Elaine Morris

March 16, 1953 ✝ July 14, 2025



Wednesday, July 30, 2025 at 12:30 PM
HYDE PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1109 RIVER STREET
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Obituary



Virine Elaine Morris, a cherished daughter, devoted friend, and beloved member of the Hyde Park community. Born in Jamaica, West Indies, Virine was the daughter of Desrene Philips (née Francis) and the late Castel Morris.

A graduate of UMass Boston, Virine was an accomplished opera singer and a proud member of the Black Nativity Group of Boston. Her powerful voice and gracious presence inspired many. She was a passionate advocate for cultural preservation and civic engagement, lending her talents and energy to the Jamaica Development and Culture Group of Boston and the Greater Boston Interfaith Organization.

Virine was a faithful member of Hyde Park Presbyterian Church, where she served dutifully as the church's bookkeeper and office manager. She also tutored in the church's after-school program in the past. She was known for her consistent presence at community meetings, always advocating for positive change and unity. She was also a Boston poll worker for many years.

She leaves behind her loving mother Desrene Philips, her paternal siblings, aunts, uncles, a host of cousins and extended family and friends, who will forever cherish her memory, her warmth, and her unwavering commitment to the service of others.

Virine's life was a melody of strength, humility, and compassion. Her presence will be deeply missed, but her spirit lives on in all the hearts she's touched!

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Beth Wieman

WORDS OF WELCOME

VIRINE'S INTROIT

"Morning Has Broken"

INVOCATION

HYMN

*"What A Friend We Have
In Jesus" #465*

OLD TESTAMENT

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Vivene Williams

UNISON PSALM

Psalms 23

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He makes me lie down in green pastures
He leads me beside still waters;
He restores my soul.
He leads me in the paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.
Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I fear no evil;
For you are with me;
Your rod and your staff - they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
You anoint my head with oil;
My cup overflows.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life.
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

HYMN

*"Shall We Gather at the
River" #365*

NEW TESTAMENT

I Corinthians 13

Rema Brown

SONG

*"His Eye Is On The
Sparrow"*

Rena Rodriguez

REMEMBRANCES

HYMN

"Amazing Grace" #649

OBITUARY

Wintlett Williams