

CELEBRATING THE LIFE
OF



*Lottie
Cook*

SUNRISE SUNSET
DECEMBER 14, 1961 - AUGUST 24, 2019

VISITATION: 9AM-11AM | FUNERAL SERVICE: 11AM

BISHOP RODNEY O. BROOKS, PRESIDING

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On Saturday, August 24th, 2019, God sent one of his angels on a special assignment to gently lift his servant from this earth and bring her home to glory, as her work here was now complete.

Lottie Theresa Cook was born on Thursday, December 14, 1961, to Barbara Smith and Joseph Smith, in East Orange, New Jersey. Lottie grew up in East Orange and matriculated through the city's public-school system. She attended Lincoln Elementary School, Vernon L. Davey Junior High School, and graduated from East Orange High School in 1979. While in attendance at East Orange High School, she was a member of Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA), the Yearbook Committee and in the "Co-Ed" Shared-Time Program with the Essex County Public School District. After receiving her high school diploma, Lottie went on to attend and graduated from Robert Walsh Business School in New Jersey with Honors.

In the 1968, Lottie and her family were one of the initial families to move in to Acadian Gardens, affectionately known as "Lil' City". Lottie was always a giving person. She was a member of Girl Scout of America's Troop 112. Lottie was also a member of the East Orange Panthers Little League Football Cheerleading Squad.

Growing up in "Lil' City", Lottie had an uncanny ability to develop life-long relationships with people who lived in the apartment complex. During her preteen to adolescence years in "Lil' City", you would see Lottie unselfishly styling hair whether there was a need for braids or perms. Moreover, in her spare time, she would always provide childcare for neighbors.

Lottie began working for Tender Loving Care day care center. From this job, in 1987, Lottie began working for AT&T Bell Labs, which after many transitions is now known as Nokia Corporation. Lottie had many different positions, starting at the mail room to her final position in the Human Resources department for Nokia. Also, while working for Nokia, Lottie worked for Macy's department store for numerous years as a part time sales associate.

Lottie was always known as a "Diva". Whether she was dressed in athletic wear to go run errands, or a gown for a formal event, she was always dressed to the nines. Lottie always had a big smile on her face. One of Lottie's favorite quotes was "Let it go." Lottie never let things affect her attitude, or the love she had to share with people around her. Lottie would spread joy and light in every room she was in.

Lottie loved to be surrounded by her family and friends. If music was ever playing, Lottie would be dancing. During football season, Lottie would not miss a game when her Giants played. Lottie found pleasure in cooking for her family. Lottie was never afraid to try a new recipe.

Lottie was preceded in death by her parents Barbara and Joseph Smith.

Lottie leaves to cherish her love and memory; her husband, William Cook; children Kiiyah and Khalil Cook; brothers Joseph (Mike) Smith, Darryl (Smitty), and Roxanne Smith (sister-in-law); aunt Reverend Yvonne Scott; mother-in-law, Ossie Taylor and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, friends and neighbors.

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family.



THERE WAS NO TIME TO SAY GOODBYE, BUT THIS
I SAY PLEASE DON'T CRY, REMEMBER
LOTTIE AS YOU THINK BEST, REMEMBER THE
HAPPY TIMES, BUT FORGET THE REST. LOOK FOR HER AND SHE'LL BE
THERE, AND YOU WOULD FIND HER EVERYWHERE,
IN THE GENTLE TOUCH OF THE BREEZE THAT COOLS THE SKIN OR
SWIRLS THE LEAVES, IN THE SCENT AND COLORS OF FLOWERS THAT
GAVE HER SUCH HAPPY HOURS. ON SUNNY DAYS,
UNDER SUNNY SKIES OF BLUE, JUST THINK OF HER, SHE'LL BE WITH
YOU, IN WINTER WHEN THERE'S CLOUD OR MIST, THE RAIN WILL
GIVE YOU HER KISS, AS WOOD SMOKE LINGERS IN THE AIR, LOOK
FOR HER SHE'LL BE THERE WHEN SEAGULLS CRY ABOVE THE SEA,
AND SURF ROLLS IN SO
ENDLESSLY. AMONG TOWERING TREES THAT SOAR ABOVE, IN ALL
THESE THINGS THAT SHE ONCE LOVED, LOOK FOR HER SHE'LL BE
THERE YOU'LL FEEL HER PRESENCE
EVERYWHERE

REST IN PEACE LOTTIE,

Keith Jenkins

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HALL OF THE CHURCH.



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