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A Celebration of Life Service for

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FRIDAY, 19 APRIL 2024 | 3:00 PM | MT. ZION A.M.E. CHURCH, SOUTHAMPTON, BERMUDA
PASTOR REV. DR. JAHKIMMO SMITH | OFFICIANT REV. YVONNE THOMPSON | MUSICIAN MR. TERRY HENRY
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ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude..... Musician
Processional Clergy & Family *“Come We That Love The Lord: We’re Marching To Zion”*
Welcome and Words of Comfort..... Rev. Yvonne Thompson
Opening Hymn *“Joys Are Flowing Like A River: Blessed Quietness”*
Prayer..... Rev. Dionne Greene (*Great Niece*)
Scriptures: Old Testament: Psalm 121 Akeyla Furbert (*Granddaughter*)
New Testament: John 14:1-6 David Trott, Jr. (*Grandson*)
Musical Selection Mt Zion Combined Choir

Video Tribute

Created by Chuck Santiago (*Cousin*)

Tributes

Rev. Yvonne Thompson (*Friend*) | Lea Lambert (*Niece*) | Mark Hall (*Godson*)

Obituary

(read silently while musician plays softly)

Musical Selection Mt Zion Combined Choir
Eulogy & Closing Prayer Rev. Dr. Jahkimmo Smith
Closing Hymn *“Some Glad Morning: I’ll Fly Away”*

INTERMENT

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WE'RE MARCHING TO ZION

Come, ye that love the Lord,
And let your joys be known;
Join in a song with sweet accord,
Join in a song with sweet accord,
And thus surround the throne,
And thus surround the throne.

CHORUS

*We're marching to Zion,
Beautiful, beautiful, Zion:
We're marching upward to Zion,
The beautiful city of God.*

Let those refuse to sing
Who never knew our God:
But children of the heav'nly King,
But children of the heav'nly King
Shall speak their joys abroad,
Shall speak their joys abroad.

Chorus

*We're marching to Zion,
Beautiful, beautiful, Zion:
We're marching upward to Zion,
The beautiful city of God.*

Chorus

The hill of Zion yields
A thousand sacred sweets;
Before we reach the heav'nly fields,
Before we reach the heav'nly fields,
Or walk the golden streets,
Or walk the golden streets.

Chorus

Then let our songs abound,
And ev'ry tear be dry;
We're marching through Immanuel's ground,
We're marching through Immanuel's ground
To fairer worlds on high,
To fairer worlds on high.

*Chorus***JOYS ARE FLOWING LIKE A RIVER**

Joys are flowing like a river
since the Comforter has come,
who abides with us forever,
makes the trusting heart a home.

CHORUS

*Blessed quietness, holy quietness
what assurance in my soul!
On the stormy sea speaking peace to me
how the billows cease to roll!*

Like the rain that falls from heaven,
like the sunlight from the sky,
so the Holy Ghost is given,
coming on us from on high. *Chorus*

See, a fruitful field is growing,
blessed fruit of righteousness,
and the streams of life are flowing
in the lonely wilderness. *Chorus*

What a wonderful salvation,
where we always see God's face!
What a perfect habitation,
what a quiet resting place! *Chorus*

I'LL FLY AWAY

Some glad morning when this life is o'er,
I'll fly away;
To a home on God's celestial shore,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away).

CHORUS

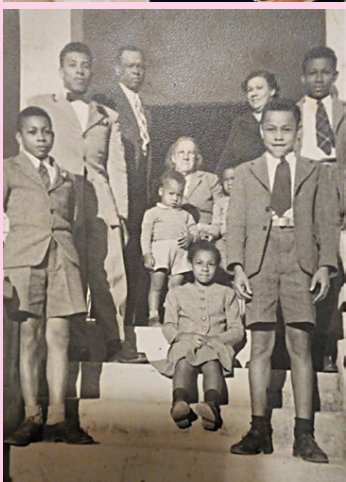
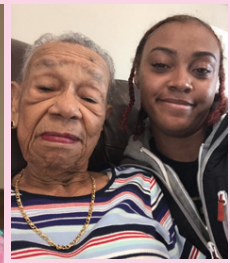
*I'll fly away, Oh Glory, I'll fly away;
(in the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away
(I'll fly away).*

When the shadows of this life have gone,
I'll fly away;
Like a bird from prison bars has flown,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away). *Chorus*

*Just a few more weary days and then,
I'll fly away;
To a land where joy shall never end,
I'll fly away (I'll fly away) *Chorus**







OBITUARY



DOYLEEN AMICE TROTT was born 2 January 1937, the sixth of nine children—the second of two girls to Adolphus and Amice Lambert [née Burrows]. Doyleen grew up as the only girl among seven brothers following the death of her sister Peggy, who died as a baby. Her father was a mason contractor and did maintenance for schools, while her mother, Amice, was a homemaker who sometimes worked at a nearby guesthouse.

Doyleen was christened at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church and at a young age, gave her life to Christ there where she was an active member throughout her life. Her education began at the Southampton Glebe School, now Dalton E. Tucker Primary School, followed by the Girls' Institute of Arts and Crafts in Bermuda, and later at Durham Business College in Jamaica, where she lived with her niece, L'Tanya.

Upon her return to Bermuda, Doyleen was initially employed at Mt. Zion as a secretary due to racial barriers to employment elsewhere. Secretarial work was not her preference however, so shortly after, she took a position at the English Sports Shop as a seamstress, which she thoroughly enjoyed. She worked there until the birth of her son David in 1967. About a year later, she joined the Bank of N.T. Butterfield, working in the Ledger Department for nearly 30 years making cheque books. Doyleen married Loris Trott in 1966, but sadly the marriage ended shortly after. Upon retirement from the bank, she worked at C. & S. West Laboratory, and permanently retired from there in 2013.

Doyleen's love of sports was no doubt fostered through playing cricket and football in the back yard with her brothers. Whenever asked if they ever fought for her, she'd reply, *"No way. I had to fight for myself or my brothers would beat me up themselves!"* She became an active, competitive athlete. A fierce centre in netball during her school days, Doyleen was even a member of the Somerset Bridge Zebras women's softball team as a very capable catcher until she got married. Doyleen developed a passion for, and engaged in a LOT of dancing—She loved to dance. In her later years she would

attempt dance moves she'd do when she was younger, up until 2020 when she could no longer walk. Doyleen also enjoyed watching sports such as the Atlanta Braves baseball games, Serena and Venus Williams playing tennis, and her beloved Somerset Cupmatch team playing cricket.

In her church, Doyleen served as a Sunday School Teacher from her teenage years until she was close to 70 years old! She had also served as Sunday School Superintendent, and was a dedicated member of the Steward Board for nearly 40 years. Doyleen was President of Mt. Zion's Lay Organization for eight years and held roles such as Chaplain, Parliamentarian, and Consultant to the Executive Board of the Bermuda Conference Lay Organization. Additionally, she was a member of the Ada E. Simmons Women's Missionary Society, the Sanctuary Choir, the Stewardess Board, and served as a Consultant to Mt. Zion's Lay Organization.

At family gatherings, Doyleen always took charge in the kitchen, and created much laughter with her comedy. Known for her straightforward, humorous approach, Doyleen was described as refreshingly candid. Her love and concern for others were evident in how she nurtured relationships. She treated many as though she were their mother or aunt, which earned her the affectionate name of Aunt Doleen or other derivatives of her name, such as Doreen, or Darlene, along with Trotty or Dophus.

Two of Doyleen's favorite Bible passages were Psalm 121 and Proverbs 3:5-7, reflecting her deep faith and resilience even in the face of difficult challenges—such as receiving death threats for her work in Sunday School!

Doyleen was a unique and original shining star, a dependable and devoted child of God, whose life was marked by service to her God, her family, and to her community.

Looking further into her name and character, from an:

Emotional Spectrum | *When she was happy, everyone knew it.*

Personal Integrity | She would never compromise her principles.

Personality | A good nature — truly rare.

Relationships | Gave generously but also valued reciprocal support in her friendships.

Doyleen is much more than a name.

Here is one way to see Doyleen through the eyes of her sister-in-law, Janet:

- D** – Dependable, devoted child of God.
- O** – Ordinary. God uses ordinary people.
- Y** – Yields to God’s commands.
- L** – Lovable, loyal, and lighthearted.
- E** – Encourager and energetic worker.
- E** – Endless love for family and friends.
- N** – Noble and trustworthy person.

Her many contributions can be summed up in one phrase, “Service to her God, her family, and community.”

Doyleen is survived by her Son, David [Camille] Trott; **Grandchildren:** Akeyla Furbert, David Jr., and Amiel Trott; **Great-grandson:** Zaedyn Furbert; **Brothers:** Elwood [Juneann – *deceased*] and Owen [Anthia] Lambert; **Sisters-in-law:** Janet Lambert [née Burrows], Gwendolyn Lambert [née Francis], Anthia Lambert [née Simmons], and Sylvia Lambert [née Payne]; **Nephews:** Gary [Dawn] Dowling, Steven Sr. [Cindy] Lambert, Maxwell [Glenda] Lambert, Eldon Lambert, Kevin Lambert, Shaun [Grace] Lambert, Corvet Lambert [Veriteé], Blake [Sasha] Lambert, Paul [Sabrina] Lambert, Jason Lambert, Evan Lambert [Nikkia], Adolphus “Dee” Lambert, Deon Darrell; **Nieces:** L’Tanya Lambert [Percy], Linda “Ricky” Anderson, Nichole Lambert, Renee [Antoine] Fox, Lea Lambert; **Godchildren:** Cherie Anderson, Deborah Grant, Mark [Pam] Hall, Esther [Krishna] Singh, Nichole Lambert, Keva Giles,

Brice Armstrong; and far too many great-nieces and nephews, and other relatives and friends to mention.

Doyleen was predeceased by Siblings: Peggy, Erskine, Wentford [Sylvia], Burnell [Gwendolyn], Goodwin [Janet], and Hubert [Eleanor – *deceased*]; **Nephew:** Leon Lambert; **Niece:** Karen [David] Greene; and other close relatives and friends too numerous to mention.

Lovingly submitted by the Family

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & SPECIAL THANKS

Our family extends our heartfelt gratitude and deep appreciation to each of you for your presence and support during this difficult time. We are profoundly thankful for the comforting words and the prayers offered by so many—your generosity and thoughtfulness have touched our hearts deeply and have been a beacon of light.

Special thanks to Rev. Dr. Jahkimmo & First Lady Rev. Lashonna Smith, and the entire family of Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church for their spiritual guidance and support. We are also grateful to Dr. Fiona Ross for her care and dedication, the compassionate staff of Lefroy House, to the Peace Lutheran Church family for their support and prayers, the professionals at The Amis Memorial Chapel and Crematory for their dignified services, and to ID Associates for their professional design assistance.

Thank you all for honoring the memory of our beloved with such love and respect.

May God richly bless you.



MISS ME... *But Let Me Go.*

When I come to the end of the road,
And the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room.
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little, but not too long,
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me, but let me go.
For this is a journey we all must take,
And each must go alone.
It's all a part of the Master Plan,
A stop on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Laugh at all the things we used to do,
Bury your sorrows, doing good deeds for others.
Miss me, but let me go!

Lovingly Submitted by L'Tanya Lambert (Niece)

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