



Lucy Louis

October 14, 2020

Lucy was born on November 22, 1947 at Charity Hospital in New Orleans, Louisiana. She was the fifth child of her parents Louis Whitfield Sullivan and Celestine Jones Sullivan, lovingly known as Teteen. After the passing of her father, Lucy's mother married Joseph "Papa" Chambers, the prominent father figure to Lucy and her siblings.

Lucy worked in the accounting department for the USDA National Finance Center (USDA NFC). She was involved in the Points Light Mission. She inspired, equipped, and organized people for volunteer work which resulted in the following agencies initiatives: Senior Spring Event, Thanksgiving Day Distribution, and Holiday "Adopt-a-Child" Event. She also worked with the UNITED WAY - Day of Caring Event, a member of the NFC's Pelican Achievers Toastmaster Club and leader/organizer of the NFC Employee Choir. In 2002, she opened her own travel agency, Open Door Travel. After retiring from the USDA NFC in 2004, Lucy supported her friend Elaine Davis at Franklin Tax Office.

She is preceded in death by her parents Louis Whitfield Sullivan and Celestine Jones Sullivan, stepfather Joseph "Papa" Chambers, and brothers, Louis Whitfield Sullivan II, and Johnny John Sullivan. She is survived by her daughter, Lynette W. Bailey, sons Kenneth Williams, and Eric Louis Sr. (Donna). Grandchildren, Brandon Williams Sr. (Elmetta), Eric Louis Jr.,

Brianna Bailey, and Avianne Louis. Great-grandchildren, Brandon (BB) Williams II and Brooklyn (Brookie) Williams. Sisters, Marion (Breux) Keller, (Herbert) of Indiana. and Cora (Sullivan) Kelly (Cal), of Illinois. God-Daughter, Javonte Murray. Mother-In-Law, Mrs. Eloise S. Louis, Sister-In-Laws, Brenda Brown, Avis Trepagnier, Brother-in-law, Keith Louis Sr. (Sheryl), Arnold Louis (Sandra), and the late Marvin Louis and Faye L. Williams. As well as a host of cousins, friends, and the members of the Body of Christ. Lucy's life has touched the hearts of many.

Family and friends are invited to attend the Celebration of Life Service on Saturday, October 24, 2020 for 10:00am at Fifth African Baptist Church 3419 S. Robertson St., New Orleans, LA 70115. Visitation starts at 9:00am until service time. Interment: Lake Lawn Park Cemetery, 5100 Pontchartrain Blvd, New Orleans, LA 70124. In adherence with Covid-19 guidelines, social distancing and mask will be enforced. Arrangements entrusted to Duplain W. Rhodes, Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave. New Orleans, LA (504) 822-7162. Live streaming of the service will be available on the following sites:www.facebook.com/thefabcnola; www.facebook.com/Dalejsandersministries; and www.youtube.com/user/daljaysanders.

Cemetery Details

Lakelawn Metairie Cemetery

5100 Pontchartrain Blvd
New Orleans, LA 70124

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Fifth African Baptist Church
3419 S Robertson St
New Orleans, LA 70115

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lucy was indeed a special soul on loan from heaven. I'm just learning of your loss, and I send heartfelt condolences from the Burns and Wimberly (Coffee) families She was such a blessing to me growing up in Zion City - always encouraging me to do more and to keep pushing. I watched her love and selfishness care for others unconditional. An awesome soul and testament of God goodness!* ”

Coffee - August 04, 2021 at 11:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lucy Louis.* ”



October 23, 2020 at 03:04 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Lucy Louis.* ”



October 23, 2020 at 02:44 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lucy Louis.*



October 23, 2020 at 08:20 AM



“ *Heaven has truly gained an angel. One of the sweetest lady I have ever met. I know you will be singing in that Heavenly choir with that amazing voice. My condolences to the family.* 🙏

Mildred Gay - October 22, 2020 at 10:40 PM



“ *My condolences to the family! Lucy and I meet at NFC. She and I had this connection and immediately she became my travel agent. She adopted me to participate in the adopt a child program. Upon her retirement, she said to me "don't let this adopt a child program end" and I promised her that I will keep it going and that I did! That's the kind of person she was always serving God, loving and caring for people! I have so many stories on how this lady ministered to me as a young woman! Job Well Done My Good and Faithful Servant!*

My deepest heartfelt condolences to Kenneth and the family.

Lisha Robertson

Lisha Robertson - October 22, 2020 at 04:04 PM