



### *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me, for now I am free. I'm following the path God laid for me. I took his hand when I heard him call. I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day to laugh, to love, to work or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way. I found that place at the close of the day. If my parting has left a void, then fill it with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, oh yes, these things, I will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life has been full; I've savored much, good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief; don't lengthen it now with undue grief. God wanted me now, He set me Free.

### *Acknowledgement*

The family of the late Monique Keshawn Reed would like to say "Thank You" for your calls, cards, texts and visits. We will express our gratitude in a more personal way at a later date. May God continue to richly bless all of you. Good times, a loved one's touch pearl.

~The Family

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# *A Celebration Of Life for the late Monique Keshawn Reed*



*Sunrise*

May 8, 1979

*Sunset*

August 11, 2019

*Service*

11:00 AM, Saturday, August 17, 2019  
*The Sanctuary @ Mt. Calvary*  
2360 Kings Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32209  
Dr. John Allen Newman, Senior Pastor





# Life Reflection's Of Sister Monique Keshawn Reed

*Monique* was born May 8, 1979, in Jacksonville, Florida to Mr. Alvin and Mrs. Sharon Reed. She attended the Public Schools of Duval County and graduated from Andrew Jackson High School, Class of 1997. Monique was an active band member and Drum Major. She loved to dance and could do a mean "booty shake".

*Monique* was employed at Carithers Pediatric Group until she became ill. All who knew Monique knew she fought a good fight and answered God's call on Sunday, August 11, 2019. She was preceded in death by her paternal grandmother, Hattie Reed.

*Monique* leaves many loving and precious moments and memories with her son, Carlton Brinkley, Jr.; her parents, Alvin and Sharon Reed; sisters, Tamika Ivey (Antwan) and Lashawn Hartley; brother, Alvin Reed, Jr.; maternal grandmother, Martha Bell; aunt, Aundria Muller; four nieces Tiana, Ariana, Lashawn and Parkia Stallings; three nephews, John Swain (Kierra), Alvin and Josiah Reed; one great nephew, Jarmani; two great nieces, Khalani Swain and Lauren Stallings; a host of cousins, other relatives and sorrowing friends, among them best friends, Tanya Dubose and Tamika Brooks.



## Order of Service

Rev. Bessie Brown, Presiding

**Processional and Viewing** ..... Hearts of Elaine  
"I Shall Wear A Crown"

**Invocation** ..... Rev. Derek Blanks

**Scripture Reading:**

Old Testament ..... Rev. Sandra Phillips  
New Testament ..... Rev. Tony Southward

**Ministry in Song** ..... "I Won't Complain"

**Reflections** ..... (*Two Minutes Please*)

**As a Co-Worker** ..... Aurelle Paul  
**As a Friend** ..... Tanya Dubose  
**As a Family Member** ..... Carrie Shavers

**Acknowledgements** ..... Tamika Brooks

**Resolution** .....

**Ministry in Song** ..... "Never Would Have Made It"

**Words of Comfort** ..... Dr. John Allen Newman

**Committal and Benediction**

**Recessional** ..... "Won't It Be Grand"

### *Pallbearers*

Robert Brinkley	John Swain
Marcus Jackson	Demetric Thomas
Danny Muller	Chanta Williams

### *Flower Attendants*

Samiya Brown Jamiya Smiley A'Mira Wade  
Family Members and Friends