



## Elaine Isabel Chresfield

November 2, 2017

Elaine Isabel Allen Chresfield was born on June 9, 1931, in New York City. She grew up in New York and graduated from Julia Richmond High School. She was an avid reader, loved gardening, needlepoint, and crochet. She loved music and had a beautiful singing voice. She took voice lessons and after a few years, her teacher told her that she was ready to audition and begin a career in music. She instead chose to marry and start a family. She married the love of her life, Donell Stanley Chresfield in 1955. They had a daughter, Lynda Marcia Chresfield and a son, Donell Chresfield. Her family became her career and her great love. She enjoyed travel and she and Stanley traveled throughout the United States, the Caribbean, South America, and Europe. She continued to enjoy music all of her life and in addition to Classical music, she was a Pat Metheny enthusiast.

A loving daughter to her parents, Arthur and Hester Allen and the sweetest of sisters to her only sister Marcia Behar. Her children and her grandchildren brought her so much joy. She was so proud of each one of them. Elaine loved family gatherings and enjoyed them especially with her dear cousin Naomi Pilgrim and her children.

She loved God and had a strong faith that she shared freely.

Her generous spirit led her to support many charitable organizations, especially those supporting children in need.

Elaine leaves behind her sister, Marcia Behar, her daughter Lynda Marcia Patton, her son, Donell Chresfield, her niece Robin Ward, and grandchildren:

Danyelle Patton, Trevor Gravesande, Joshua Chresfield, Matthew Chresfield, a brother-in-law, daughter-in-law, and numerous cousins.

Friends and family are invited for visitation on Friday, November 10, 2017 from 5PM - 7PM at Community Baptist Church, 224 1st Street, Englewood, NJ. A funeral service will begin at 7PM. Interment will follow on Monday, November 13, 2017 at 11AM at Pinelawn Memorial Park, 2030 Wellwood Avenue, Farmingdale, NY 11735.

# Cemetery Details

## Pinelawn Memorial Park

2030 Wellwood Rd.  
Farmingdale, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **10**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Community Baptist Church  
224 1st Street  
Englewood, NJ

## Service

NOV **10**. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Community Baptist Church  
224 1st Street  
Englewood, NJ

# Tribute Wall



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“ Elaine Isabel Chresfield

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ Elaine Isabel Chresfield

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ Elaine Isabel Chresfield

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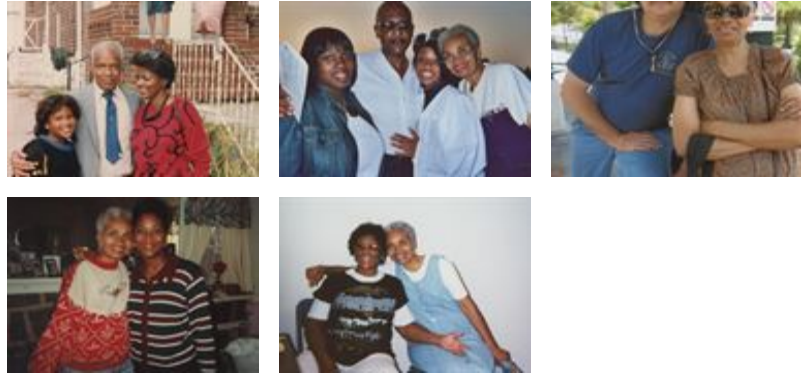
“ Here's a photo movie that I made with mom.

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Donell Chresfield - May 13, 2019 at 05:39 PM



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“ Lifting you up in prayer...Ora

Ora Reed - November 07, 2017 at 06:09 PM



“ Condolences to the Chresfield family.....from Louis Lambert-Walthall



Louis Lambert-Walthall - November 07, 2017 at 08:28 AM



“ To a wonderful women who always had a soft voice, a twinkle in her eyes, and an insurmountable love for her family. God Bless you Aunt Elaine for being in my life through my teenage years. I will miss you, but you will always remain in my heart. With love Sharon P



Sharon Perry-Schmucker - November 06, 2017 at 08:07 PM