

I've Change My Address  
I've changed my address to Heaven  
I've crossed the Great Divide.  
I know there's no sorrow or crying,  
Because I've reached the other side.  
I am so happy to be here,  
for the Lord Himself I see.  
I've changed my address to Heaven,  
I bid this world goodbye.  
I now live forever with Jesus in  
my new home in the sky.  
I have no burdens or heartaches  
And from tears I am now free.  
I've changed my address to Heaven,  
I'm safe forevermore.  
For the Lord built a mansion  
And my name is on the door.  
You can find us walking together,  
For where He is, I'll always be.  
I've changed my address to Heaven,  
That's the place you'll find me.

Helen Lacey  
12 Gates to the City Avenue  
New Jerusalem, Heaven 77777

**Words of Appreciation From  
The Lacey Family**

Our Family wishes to thanks to our friends for the intentional acts of love & outpouring of kindness which has been extended during this time. The family has been sustained by the compassionate ministries of prayer, peace, and presence during this time of great loss.

**Comfort Ministry and  
After-Life Care Arrangements Entrusted To**  
J.E. Washington Funeral Services  
2234 Glenwood Ave. 📍 Youngstown, OH 44511  
(330) 782-8500

*Services To  
Celebrate the Life of*



*Helen Lacey*

**July 6, 1952  
Sunrise**

**December 10, 2023  
Sunset**

**FRIDAY ~ DECEMBER 22, 2023  
11:00AM**

*The Jaylex Event Center*  
2110 Glenwood Ave • Youngstown, OH  
Rev. Lewis W. Macklin II, Officiant

*Order of Worship*  
*Celebrating the Life of Helen Lacey*



Prayer of Comfort

Sacred Text to Comfort

Music Ministry

Community Tributes & Expressions

*Three Minutes Please*

Music Ministry

The Word of Comfort ~ Rev. Lewis W. Macklin II

Committal & Benediction



*John 14:1-3 "Don't let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust also in me. There is more than enough room in my Father's home. If this were not so, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? When everything is ready, I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me where I am."*

*The Life & Legacy of Helen Lacey*



Helen Lacey, a vibrant soul whose laughter lit up every room she entered, after a brief season of sickness, passed away peacefully on December 10, 2023, at her residence in Columbus, Ohio. Born on July 6, 1952, to the union of Madge and Frances Lacey, Helen would ultimately become a cherished mother, devoted grandmother, and a beloved friend to many.

Helen's light-hearted spirit and unwavering love will forever remain in the hearts of those who were fortunate enough to know her. To know her, you understood she had the soul of an angel and mouth of a sailor, oftentimes based upon how you approached her.

As an adoring grandmother, Helen embraced her role with enthusiasm and grace. Whether it was reading or engaging in playful games on her tablet, she always found a way to create lasting memories with her beloved family. Her unconditional love and unwavering support enriched their lives and will forever remain a guiding light for them.

Professionally, Helen was proud to have been part of the Paragon Industries family, where she formed friendships and made a positive impact on those around her.

Helen joins the ancestors that preceded her in death which includes her parents, four brothers, Albert Lacey, Robert Lacey, Charles Lacey, Thomas Lacey; one sister, Marlane Johnson, and her special nephew, Pako Lacey. As Helen takes her rightful place among them, she would encourage those of her family to remember the wisdom of the ancestors in order to become wise.

She is survived by her adoring daughter, Melissa Watkins, and her loving sons, Eric and Stanley Lacey, and her supportive siblings Lorraine Yancey, Kay Madison, Jennifer Lacey, Iris Clark and Nora Ali.

Additionally, her grandchildren Eric, Anthony, NaZjay, Tamaya, and Hasani and great grandchildren Nova Reign and Eric are committed to keeping her memories alive and vibrant. She also leaves an expansive score of other relatives and friends who will forever cherish the countless memories they shared this fierce spirit.

Helen Lacey's vibrant spirit and zest for life will forever remain an inspiration to us all. Her unique ability to find joy in every moment and her unwavering love and support touched countless lives. While her earthly presence may be gone, her legacy will endure in the hearts of all who had the privilege of knowing her. We rejoice in the confident knowledge that she is at peace with her God.

*Lovingly shared by the family*