

*In Loving Memory  
Of  
Katherine A. Treherne, M.D.*



*June 25, 1955*

*July 19, 2010*

*Saturday, July 24, 2010*

*12:00 noon*

*Christ and Saint Luke's Church*

*560 West Olney Road*

*Norfolk, VA 23507*

*Father Harold J. Cobb, D.D., Rector  
Grace Episcopal Church, Norfolk, VA, Officiating*

# *Celebration of Life*

*Katherine Ashhurst Treherne, MD, fondly known as “Kathy” passed away on July 19, 2010 after a three year battle with lung cancer. Katherine was born on June 25, 1955 in Tuskegee, Alabama to Dr. John C. Ashhurst and Mrs. Annyce Parker Ashhurst. She was the first child of two. She moved with her family to Nashville, Tennessee in 1965. She met her husband Robert Treherne in the fifth grade. They eloped the day after her eighteenth birthday on June 26, 1973 and were happily married for thirty-seven years. She attended the University of Tennessee in Knoxville with her husband. There she was a charter member of the Mu Zeta Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc. During that time, she gave birth to her first child Annyce. She and Bobby then moved back to Nashville where she received her Medical degree in 1980 from Meharry Medical College where she and her husband have established a scholarship fund for deserving medical students. She completed her Dermatology Residency at Howard University Hospital in Washington, DC. During that time, she gave birth to Leslie and Robert, Jr. In 1985 she moved with her family to the Tidewater area and gave birth to the baby of the family, John.*

*Katherine was a Board Certified Dermatologist in private practice with offices in Norfolk and Hampton. She was the first African American woman to open a private practice in Dermatology in the Hampton Roads area and practiced for over twenty-five years.*

*She was appointed by Governor Mark Warner to the Board of Visitors of Old Dominion University in 2003 and was reappointed by Governor Tim Kaine in 2007. She has served as president of Tidewater Dermatological Society as well as Chairman of the Dermatology Section of the National Medical Association. She was named to the Who’s Who of Outstanding Healthcare Professionals in 1998. She was also named one of America’s Top Physicians in 2003.*

*Katherine was a Fellow of the American Academy of Dermatology and was an Assistant Clinical Professor of Dermatology at Eastern Virginia Medical School. She served as a mentor for pre-med students at Hampton University and as an attending physician in Dermatology for Family Practice Residents at Riverside Hospital and Portsmouth Family Medicine. She served on the Physicians Advisory Board of Galderma Pharmaceuticals, and she was an Honorary Fellow of the Skin Cancer Foundation. She was also a member of the Women’s Dermatological Society and the Leader’s Society in Dermatology, which is dedicated to promoting and funding research in the field of dermatology. She was a guest dermatology consultant for WAVY TV 10 News and has appeared in two national commercials for the Oil of Olay Division of Proctor and Gamble.*

*Kathy was awarded the SIMBA Communications award for community service. She was given the 2006 Universal Sisters of Hampton Roads Service Award “for promoting women’s health, safety and wellbeing”. She was also an honoree at the 2009 Annual Rosa Parks Prayer Breakfast held in Newport News in honor of those women who exemplify the strength and character of Rosa Parks. She was a founding member of the Friends of Hampton Roads, Inc., an organization dedicated to provide leadership, inspiration, scholarship and positive role models for youth in our community. She was a member of the Norfolk Chapter of Links, Inc. and a former president of that organization which also helps to foster excellence in our youth. She was a member of the The Girl Friends, Inc., The Moles, the Norfolk Chapter, and the Smart Set. She was also a trustee of Grace Episcopal Church in Norfolk, VA.*

*She is survived by her husband, Dr. Robert Treherne of Chesapeake and her four children Dr. Annyce Treherne-Burrough and her husband Mr. Thomas Burrough, Jr., Mr. Robert Treherne, Jr., Mrs. Leslie Treherne-Fayton and her husband Mr. Charles Fayton, Jr., and Mr. John Treherne; two grandchildren, Justin Burrough and Sean Treherne; sister Mrs. Linda Talley and her husband Mr. James Talley; and host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.*

# Order of Celebration

Musical Prelude		Organist
Reception of the Body		Page 466 Book of Common Prayer
Sentences in Procession		Page 469 Book of Common Prayer
Processional Hymn	“Onward Christian Soldiers”	Page 562, 1982 Hymnal
The Burial Collect		Page 470 Book of Common Prayer

## The Lessons

Old Testament	Isaiah 25:6-9
Psalm 139	Page 474 Book of Common Prayer
New Testament	Romans 8:14-19, 34-35, 37-39
Psalm 23	Page 476 Book of Common Prayer

“Amazing Grace” Alitash Leonard

## Special Tributes:

Dr. John R. Broderick, President, Old Dominion University

Mrs. Sandra Eaddy, The LINKS, Inc.

Lynn Simmons Jones, Esquire, The Girlfriends, Inc.

Yvonne Johnson, The Friends of Hampton Roads

“His Eye Is On The Sparrow” Alitash Leonard

Resolution from Meharry Medical College		Dr. Henry A. Moses
Eulogy		Dr. Henry A. Moses
The Gospel	John 14:1-6	Father Harold J. Cobb, Jr., D.D.

“To God Be The Glory” Reginald Whitaker

Homily		The Reverend Father Harold J. Cobb, Jr., D.D. Rector, Grace Episcopal Church, Norfolk, VA
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	“The Lord’s Prayer”	Alitash Leonard Page 53 Book of Common Prayer
The Apostles’ Creed		Page 480 Book of Common Prayer
The Prayers		Page 482 Book of Common Prayer
The Commendation		Reginald Whitaker
The Recession	“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”	



**Entombment**  
Woodlawn Memorial Gardens  
Norfolk, VA



*Pallbearers*

*Thomas Burrough, Jr.  
Charles Fayton, Jr.  
Anderson Harris, Jr.*

*John Treherne  
Robert Treherne, Sr.  
Robert Treherne, Jr.*

*Expressions of Gratitude*

*The family of the late Dr. Katherine A. Treherne greatly acknowledges the many acts of kindness and support during the illness of our loved one and during this time of bereavement. May God richly bless you all.*



*Family Fellowship*

*Immediately following the entombment, the family invites you to return to the Metropolitan Great Room, Granby St. Chapel for a fellowship repast.*



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