

The Celebration of the Life
for
Frances Smith



Sunrise
April 9, 1935

Sunset
February 19, 2012

Service
Friday, February 24, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Bishop Rudolph Washington, Officiating
Kendall Williams, Organist

Reflections of Life

“Lord I have really tried to be, what you would have me to be, you have called me to take my rest, now I am at peace with thee.”

Frances Gaymon Smith was born to the late Rainey and Annie Gaymon on April 9, 1935, in New York City. She departed this life on Sunday, February 19, 2012 in Lenox Hill Hospital.

She was educated in the New York City Public School System.

She was baptized at an early age in the Sharon Baptist Church. Later in life she joined the Reach Out Baptist Church. There she served on the Usher Board.

Frances fell in love at an early age with Raymond Smith. They were married for fifty some years. From this union came two children, one son, Raymond Jr. and one daughter, Barbara. They preceded her in death.

Frances leaves to cherish her precious memories: her loving husband, Raymond Smith; one daughter, Britney Macedon; two sisters, Carrie Washington and Birdie Burriss; one sister-in-law; two brothers-in-law; and a host of nieces, nephews, many other family and friends.

I am home in Heaven dear ones. Oh so happy and so bright. There is perfect joy and beauty in this everlasting light. All the pain and grief is over. Every restless tossing passed, I am now at Peace forever. Safely home in Heaven at last.

Submitted with Love,
The Family

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Landis Farrington
Old Testament Psalm 90:1,2
New Testament Philippians 4: 4-9

Prayer Rev. J.C. Brewton

Solo Kendall Williams

Acknowledgements

Remarks(two minutes only please)

Obituary Frances Greene

Solo Linda Flood Goodwin

Eulogy Bishop Rudolph Washington

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Long Island National Cemetery
Farmingdale, New York

*Family and friends are invited for a repast at
Reach Out Baptist Church
2152 Second Avenue (between 110th and 111th Street)
New York, NY 10029
1:00 p.m.*

*Don't grieve for me for now I'm 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've found that peace at close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah, yes, these things too I will miss.*

*Be not burdened with time of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I 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.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their deep appreciation
and sincere thanks for your kindness during a time of sorrow.



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