## Homegoing Celebration Service

For



# Salome Benn "Tit"

October 24, 1922 – February 18, 2014

**Service** 

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 ~ 11:00 AM

G. G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC 206 E. Eighth Avenue Roselle, New Jersey 07203 Bishop Wayne L. Johnson, Officiating

## Life Reflections

**Salome Benn**, affectionately known as "Tit," was born on October 24, 1922 in Cuthbert, Georgia to the late Ella Mae and Sylvania Queen. At the age of four, the family relocated to Linden, New Jersey where she resided for eighty-nine years. Salome was educated in the Linden Public School system.

On May 8, 1948, she married the Henry Benn, Sr., this union bore three children: Barbara Jean, Curtis and Derrick Benn.

Upon completion of school, she worked as an Inspector with RCA in Avenel for 15 years. Later, she became a Long Distance Operator with Bell Atlantic Telephone in Elizabeth until she retired in 1976.

As a young adult, Salome was a member of First Baptist Church in Linden. She loved the Lord and enjoyed listening to Gospel music. Her first priority was caring for her family but she had a passion for sewing, cooking, and caring for her dogs.

She was predeceased by her husband, Henry Benn, Sr., two sons: Curtis and Derrick Benn, and three step-children.

After ninety-one blessed and wonderful years of life, Salome Benn made her transition to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 18, 2014

She leaves to cherish her memory, her daughter, Barbara Jean Harvard; four grandchildren: Sadiqua Harvard, Derrick Benn, Jr., Elijah Benn, and Faith Carrington; seven great-grandchildren: Amir and Zayd Johnson, Abeni, Aniyah and Amaila Benn, Ja'liyah Salome and Chloe Benn, and a host of loving family and friends.

Lovingly submitted, The Family

## Order Of Service

Opening Hymn ....."Take Me To The King" by Tamela Mann Scripture Old Testament: Psalm 23 New Testament: Prayer of Comfort Tribute to Grandma ........Poem by Amir and Zayd Johnson Great-Grandsons Remarks (2 minutes) Selection ....."Be Blessed" by Yolanda Adams Acknowledgement of Condolences ......James D. Harvard Obituary ......James D. Harvard Eulogy ...... Bishop Wayne L. Johnson Recessional ......"Soon and Very Soon"

#### **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

Services Entrusted To:

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## Pall Bearers Family and Friends of Salome "Tit" Benn

## "I'll See You In A Little While"

By Amir Johnson (February 21, 2014)

They say love is something, that you cannot buy. I still miss on Thanksgiving your sweet potato pie.

Love is passion. Love is true. I still have love even though God is closer to you.

Should I be happy? Should I be sad? I know being with him makes you glad.

I started with tears ended with a smile. Only because I know I'll see you in a little while.

### <u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family of **Salome "Tit" Benn** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this our hour of bereavement.

We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.

