



*In Loving Memory of*  
***Katie Mae O'Bryant***

*Sunrise*  
July 9, 1931

*Sunset*  
August 9, 2014

Service

Saturday, August 16, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

**SOUL SAVING STATION**

302 W. 124<sup>th</sup> Street • New York, NY 10027

## Obituary

*Katie Mae Hammond-O'Bryant* was born July 9, 1931 to the late Marie Sullivan and Riley Hammond of North Augusta, South Carolina. She was the eleventh of thirteen children born of this union.

She was educated in the school system of South Carolina and later migrated to New York City at an early age.

Katie was united in holy matrimony to William O'Bryant. To this union was born four children, Theresa, Linda, William Jr., and Marilyn.

She was preceded in death by her husband, son, William Jr., and daughter, Marilyn.

She was employed for several years as an Inventory Clerk at Figured Flattery Inc. She also worked as a Home Attendant. Her main occupation was loving, caring and taking care of her family.

Katie, affectionately called "Mama" by many was a happy Mother who enjoyed having fun and seeing people happy. She loved cooking, baking and seeing people eat. Many people tasted and enjoyed her excellent cooking and baking skills. Mama was very kind and generous.

In 1994, Katie accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior and on June 19, 1994, became a life long faithful member of the Soul Saving Station, which she loved and supported.

On Saturday, August 9, 2014, after a brief illness at Harlem Hospital, she silently went home to be with the Lord.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: two daughters, Theresa and Linda; two granddaughters, Felicia Hurst and Tihisha Johnson; two grandsons, Maurice and Jerell Johnson; four great-grandsons, Michael, Darius, Dimitri Bryant, and Xavier Johnson; two great-granddaughters, Aamiyah and Amilliana Johnson; two sisters of Augusta, Georgia, Blanche Jones and Dorothy Mackie; adopted sons and daughters, Nicole Brown, Michael Bryant, Sr., Andre Bethea, Willie Paul Hurst, Paula DeBrill Graham, Rev. Sharon Pickett, Rhonda McDonald, Cassandra, Olvin, Madeline Roberts, Carolyn Tolbert, Bishop Robert and Mary Winley; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and Soul Saving Station church family.

*Lovingly Submitted by the Family*

# *Order of Service*

**Processional**

**Selection**

**Scripture Readings**

Psalm 23

John 14:1-6

**Prayer**

**Selection**

**Acknowledgement**

**Remarks**

**Obituary**

**Selection**

**Eulogy**

Bishop Robert I. Winley  
Pastor, Soul Saving Station

**Committal**

**Viewing**

**Recessional**

*Interment*

Rosedale Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

“Hast thou not known? hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth; fainteth not, neither is weary, there is no searching of his understanding. He giveth power to the faint; and to them that have no might he increaseth strength. Even the youth shall faint and the young men shall utterly fall: But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.”

**Isaiah 40:28-31**

## **WORDS FROM “MAMA”**

**Linda** - Stand strong and strengthen your faith.

**Theresa** - You know you are my heart.  
Continue to follow Christ as a good soldier.

**Felicia** - Hold your head up, I love you so much.

**Tihisha** - You are a gift from God to handle with love and care.

**Maurice, Jerell, Michael, Darius, Dimitri** - I love you all and always  
worry about you doing the right things in life.  
Give your life over to Jesus and you will be alright.

**Bishop Robert Winley, Minister Mary Winley** - I love you.

**Soul Saving Station Church Family** - I love you.

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of  
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.  
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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