

May 6 - July 30, 2016

Service -Saturday, August 6, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.

KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

310 W. 129th Street • New York, NY

## **O**bituary

**Ackalee Theresa Smith**, a woman who loved Jehovah and her family, was born May 6th at St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital in Harlem, New York. She was the second child of the late Abraham and Senora Johnson. She had two brothers, Michael and Carlson and two sisters, Scarlet and Adren.

Ackalee, better known as "Theresa" grew up in Harlem, NY and relocated to the Bronx, where she graduated from Taft High School. She was a smart, ambitious, strong and independent young woman. She later gave birth to twin girls, Senora and Lanora then to Terri, Ebony, Kwoalana, Gregory and Ulysses.

On August 19, 1983, she married Gregory Smith the love of her life. They made the decision to move their family to Queens. Being such a loving mother and wife that only wanted the best for her kids, she made the decision to attend BMCC College, where she was recognized for hard work and dedication which landed her on the deans list and she graduated with honors.

As strong as she was she still felt incomplete, that is when she began to establish a relationship with the Creator, Jehovah God. She then symbolized that dedication by water baptism on June 25, 2011. She will be greatly missed.

She was preceded in death by her youngest son, Ulysses Smith in 2010. She leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Gregory Smith; her children, Senora, Lanora, Terri, Ebony, Kwoalana and Gregory, Jr.; her siblings, Carlson, Starlet and Adren; eight grandchildren and one grandchild on the way; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

# Order of Sewice

### Funeral Discourse Melvin Brown

**Song** #134, "See Yourself When All Is New"

## Prayer



<u>Final Disposition</u>

Oxford Hills Crematory Chester, New York



## "See Yourself When All Is New" (Revelation 21:1-5)

1. Just see yourself, just see me too; Just see us all in a world that is new. Think how you'll feel, how it will be, To live in peace, to be truly free. No evil one will then prevail; Rule by our God cannot ever fail. The time will have come for a new earthly start, the song of our praises will pour out from our heart:

#### (CHORUS)

"Jehovah our God, how well you have done! All things are new by the rule of your Son. The fullness of our heart overflows in our song; All glory and honor and praise to you belong.

2. Now see yourself, and see me too;
And look ahead to a world that is new.
No sight we see, no sound we hear
Will cause alarm or give rise to fear.
All has come true, just as he said;
Now over mankind, his tent is spread.
He now shall awaken those sleeping in death;
Their voices will join us with ev'ry grateful breath:

### (CHORUS)

"Jehovah our God, how well you have done! All things are new by the rule of your Son. The fullness of our heart overflows in our song; All glory and honor and praise to you belong."

# <u>Acknowledgement</u>

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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