

*Celebrating The Life of*  
**Lorraine Jennings**

*Sunrise*  
**October 25, 1933**

*Sunset*  
**August 23, 2019**



***Friday, August 30, 2019 - 11:00 a.m.***

**Woody “Home For Services”**

163 Oakwood Avenue  
Orange, New Jersey 07050

***Rev. Dr. Lloyd P. Terrell, Officiating***  
***Myron Smith, Organist***

# Obituary

Lorraine Jennings, the daughter of the late Mrs. Mamie Holmes Smalls and the late Mr. Leland Smalls was born on October 25, 1933 in Charleston County, South Carolina.

She was employed with the Ford Industry for many years. Lorraine served as District Leader for the forth ward, Captain of the Senior Bowling League and president of the Tenants Association for McIver Holmes. She enjoyed the Casino, shopping, good food and socializing with her family and friends. Everyone who knew her loved her.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Jennings, two children, Vermell Jenkins and Louise Jennings, seven siblings, Jamie Mae Smalls Jenkins, Estelle Jenkins, Robert Smalls, Pauline Ward, Harold Smalls, Rudell Smalls and Ella Mae Smalls.

Lorraine leaves to cherish her memory: four children, Dorothy Scott Cobbs (Gerome) of South Carolina, Dorethia Jennings-Hope of New Jersey, Iris Gethers-Fields (Jerry) of South Carolina and her adopted son, Weston Jennings of New Jersey; two sisters, Robin Alston Simmons (Louis) of Atlanta, GA; Elnova Smalls of South Carolina; one brother, Leon Smalls of South Carolina and one aunt, Pearl Holmes of South Carolina; eight grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

She will be truly missed and will remain in our hearts always and forever.

# Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....Myron Smith

Hymn of Comfort.....“Blessed Assurance”

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Isaiah 25:6-9

New Testament - John 14:1-4

Solo.....Tyrone Dunlap

Remarks.....Family and Friends.....Two Minutes Please

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Eulogy.....Rev. Dr. Lloyd P. Terrell

*Franklin St. John's United Methodist Church • Newark, New Jersey*

Recessional.....Clergy and Family

**Entombment**  
*Hollywood Memorial Park*  
*Union, New Jersey*

## **Repast**

*Following the Entombment family and friends are invited for a  
repast at the Jennings Family Residence  
111 South Munn Avenue • East Orange, New Jersey*

# When I Must Leave You

*Please don't say that I gave up, just say that I gave in. Don't say I lost the battle, for it was God's war to lose or win. Please don't say how good I was, but I did my best. Just say that I tried to do what's right - to give the most I could, not do less.*

*Please don't give me wings or halos, that's for God to do. I want no more than I deserve, no extras, just my due. Please don't give flowers, or talk in hushed tones. Don't be concerned about me now, I'm well with God; I've made my home.*

*Don't talk about what could have been, it's over and it's done. Just see to all my family's needs, the battle has been won. When you draw a picture of me, don't draw me as a Saint. I've done some good, I've done some wrong, so use all your paint - not just the bright and light tones, use some gray and dark. In fact, don't put me down on canvass, paint me in your heart.*

*Don't just remember good times, but remember all the bad. For life is full of many things, some happy and some sad. But if you must do something, then I have one last request - forgive for the wrongs I've done, and with the love that's left, thank God for my soul's resting, thank God for I've been blessed. Thank God for all who loved me, praise God who loved me best.*

## Acknowledgement

The family of **Lorraine Jennings** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation. The many kind acts and comforting expressions of sympathy extended during our time of bereavement. Please know that we feel truly blessed to have wonderful, caring people like you in our lives. May God bless each and every one of you.

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