



CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Henry
WELLS SMITH

Sunrise
June 14, 1941

Sunset
October 22, 2023

Thursday, November 2, 2023
Viewing 9:00 AM- 10:00 AM
Service 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

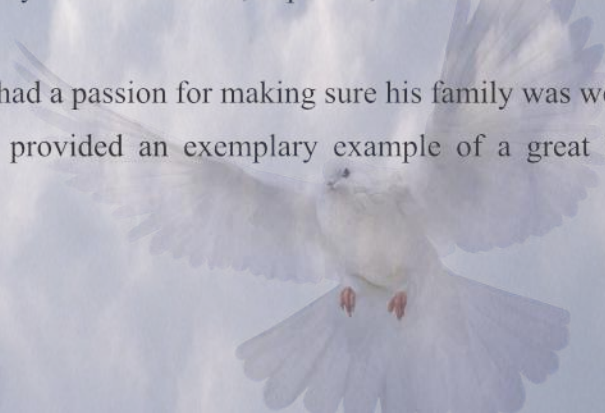
Second Saint James Church of Christ
394 Logan Street • Brooklyn NY 11208
Pastor Mattie Davenport, Officiating

Obituary

Henry Smith was born on June 14, 1941, in Hallsboro, NC to Perry and Myrtle Smith. He was the youngest of 6 children from that union. His siblings preceded him in death. Legrang Mitchell, Narfural Harris Joe Smith, Herbert Smith, Cora Mackey. Henry and Lamertis Met in Brooklyn New York 1961 Out of that encounter, they fell in love and married June 1963. From that union he became the father to James, Henry and Gregory Smith. Henry was a dedicated husband, father, grandfather, Godfather, uncle. And friend to many. Throughout his life, Henry accomplished many things including graduating from Artesian High School, owning his own business and purchasing multiple properties. He was a generous giver and was well loved by all.

Henry will be missed by his surviving family members, including his wife, Lamertis Smith, of over sixty years, his sons James and Henry Smith, Jr. and proceeded in death son Gregory Smith (Twana Smith) his favorite grandchildren Tatiyianna and Tasia Smith, and his great granddaughter Leilani Smith-Castillo. He will also be missed by a host of nieces, nephews, and God children.

Henry had a passion for making sure his family was well taken care of and provided an exemplary example of a great husband and father.



Order of Service



Processional

Words of Comfort

Reading of Scripture:

Old Testament

New Testament

Musical Selection

Acknowledgement

of Condolences

Remarks

Reading of Obituary

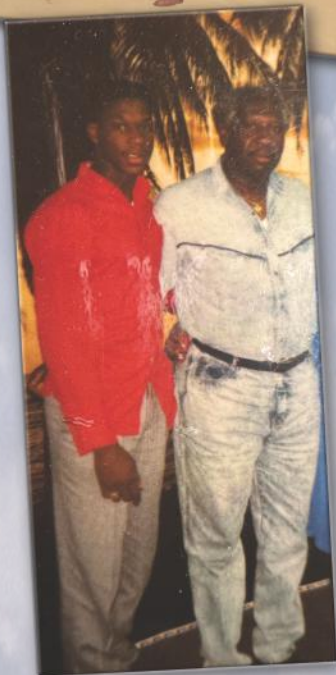
Musical Selection

Eulogy

Benediction

Funeral Director

Recessional



I'm Free

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 found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times 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!

-author unknown

Acknowledgment

The family would like to express their gratitude to all those
who have shown support during this difficult time.

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