



In Loving Memory of
Ms. Leonie A. Gibbs

Sunrise
March 29, 1926

Sunset
February 26, 2014

Service
Saturday, March 22, 2014 - 10:00 a.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Obituary



LEONIE AUDELIE GIBS (BETTER KNOWN AS DELLY), WAS BORN IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC ON MARCH 9TH, 1921 DAUGHTER OF CARMELIE ELMIRE FLANDERS AND DAVID ROLLAN.

LEONIE MIGRATED TO THE ISLAND OF CURACAO AT A VERY YOUNG AGE WITH HER MOTHER. SHE JOINED THE BARRET MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH AND ATTENDED PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN CURACAO.

IN 1955, SHE MARRIED GEORGE ANDRE GIBS AND THE COUPLE MIGRATED TO THE UNITED STATES IN NOVEMBER 1961.

SHORTLY AFTER ARRIVING IN THE UNITED STATES, LEONIE JOINED THE BEULAH METHODIST CHURCH IN HARLEM. SOMETIME AFTER MIGRATING TO THE UNITED STATES SHE AND GEORGE WERE DIVORCED. LEONIE LIVED IN HARLEM WHERE SHE WAS EMPLOYED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR MANY YEARS.

SHE WILL BE MISSED BY: HER BROTHERS, SISTER, SISTERS-IN-LAW AND BROTHER-IN-LAW. BROTHER-IN-LAW, FREDERICK ELLIS; BROTHERS, MORICIO FLANDERS, LEONIDE ROLLAN, ANATOLE ROLLAN AND GERVILLE ROLLAN; SISTER, ARMANDE ELLIS; SISTERS-IN-LAW, NORMA FLANDERS, EULALIE (DINA) CRIQUE, LISETTE (ANNIE) CRIQUE, AMELIA ROLLAN AND CARMEN ROLLAN; FOURTEEN NIECES, SIX NEPHEWS, SEVERAL GREAT NIECES AND NEPHEWS, MANY COUSINS, FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES.

MAY HER SOUL REST IN PEACE.

Order of Service

PRESIDER.....DEACON ELLIS, “JESUS SAID, I AM THE”

HYMN..... “PRAISE TO THE LORD THE ALMIGHTY”

JESUS SAID, I AM THE..... BY DEACON FREDERICK ELLIS
SHORT PRAYER

GREETING

23RD PSALM..... CONGREGATION
SCRIPTURE READING

SERMON..... F. ELLIS

OBITUARY..... (CONGREGATION) QUIET READ

HYMN, “NEARER MY GOD TO THEE”..... CONGREGATION

EULOGY..... F. ELLIS

HYMN, “AMAZING GRACE”CONGREGATION

THE LORD’S PRAYER

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL..... F. ELLIS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS..... CHAPEL MINISTER

Final Disposition
Woodlawn Crematory
Bronx, New York

No More

*No more suffering, no more pain
Only sunshine, no more rain.
No more problems, no more stress
Only good times, no more mess.
No more crying, no more tears
Only smiles, no more fears.
No more running, no more hiding
Only the truth, no ore lying
No more wishing, no more hoping
Everything is granted, no more moping
No more hate, no more evil
Only God, no more devil
No more dealing with the physical form
Now spread your wings and Fly on.*

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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