

*In Loving Memory of*

*Katie  
J.  
Harris*

**Sunrise**  
*February 23, 1916*

**Sunset**  
*October 8, 2014*

**Service**  
Wednesday, October 15, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

**Bethel Baptist Church**

299 Wallace Street  
Orange, New Jersey



# *Order of Service*

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

## **Interment**

Rosedale Cemetery  
Orange, New Jersey

*Following the interment family and friends  
are invited for a repast at  
Bella Italia Ristorante  
535 Central Avenue, Orange, NJ*

# Obituary

**Katie Jasmine Harris** (known as **Aunt Kate** to everyone), was born in Capps, Alabama, on February 23, 1916. She entered into heavenly rest on October 8, 2014, at her niece's home in Covington, Georgia.

Katie the daughter of the late Lucious and Laura Gamble, was preceded in death by nine brothers, (Herman, Cephas, Eston, Bernice, Mardis, and Ezra Gamble), 1 sister, and 2 special nieces Josephine Decree, Zenobia Sneed, After leaving Alabama, Aunt Kate moved to New Jersey where she met and married Leslie Harris. They remained married until his death in 1984. Aunt Kate was full of life, loved to have fun and full of wit. She always wore beautiful hats and attire. She will always be loved for her fried cornbread as well as her good cooking.

She was a devoted Christian and woman of faith, firmly planted in God's word and promises. Aunt Kate worked for the county of Essex for many years. After leaving the county she decided to go into the child care industry.

She was an active member and at one time the vice president of the Deaconess Board at Bethel Baptist Church, for many years.

Aunt Kate leaves to mourn her passing nieces: Ernestine Smith (Covington, GA), Shirley Jackson, (Orange, NJ), Patricia Childs (St. Louis, MO), nephews: Bernard Gamble (Marla), Dayton, Ohio, Mardis Gamble (Annie), Merrillville, IN, Charles Gamble, (St. Louis, MO) and David Gamble (Dayton, Ohio), God Child: Yvette Brackins and she leaves five generations of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

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# Psalm 23

*The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

## Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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