

A Celebration of Life
For



Your Ray of Light Will Always Shine!

Dorothy Mae Wells

Sunrise

November 21, 1933

Sunset

May 25, 2015

Service

Saturday, May 30, 2015

Viewing: 8-9:15 a.m.

Funeral: 9:15 a.m. -10:45 a.m.

Christian Pentecostal Church

971 Clinton Avenue • Irvington, New Jersey

Pastor Jerry Smith, Officiating

In Remembrance

In the early morning on May 25, 2015, Memorial Day, **Dorothy Mae Wells**, 82, went to set up residence in her new home. Dorothy was born on November 21, 1933, to the loving-late Ruth and Archie Wells, Sr. in Florence, South Carolina, where she was also educated.

Dorothy was baptized at an early age at New Hope Baptist Church. She migrated north in the 1940's and completed her education at Girl's Vocational in Newark, NJ. She worked for over twenty-five years as a Nursing Assistant.

Dorothy was extremely soft on the eyes in her younger days, and dressed for every occasion. In her retirement, she enjoyed watching her grandchildren and wrestling. She reveled in the love of others who constantly stopped by and never seemed to be in a hurry to return to their perspective homes. Dorothy was very committed to her friends and family. Everyone who knew her respected her brutal honesty. She was known for her great sense of humor and wit. If you asked the question, then be prepared to hear the "Real Deal", no sugar coating. One of her favorite quotes was "Man Please."

Dorothy loved looking out the window in her spare time. She was affectionately called "Eye Witness News." She could prepare a full course meal in thirty minutes flat and still be present at the window. She was an avid reader of the newspaper as well as a "Pick It" player. Anyone and everyone knew the consequence if they forgot to play her numbers and she hit. It was pay up time.

Dorothy is preceded in death by her children, Brenda, Lucky, Ronald (Raheem) and Faheem; brothers, Charles and Archie, and her Soulmate, Mr. Sonny Ross.

Dorothy leaves to cherish her memory: her daughters, Sandra (Samiyah) and Phyllis and Tyrone; her son, Randy (Suquan) and Samantha Wells; her grandchildren, Darren, June (Douglas), Tariq (Devin) and Felecia, Tyrone, Hassan (Dugee) and Kim, Faheem (IBN), Nasir, Joshua and Naimah; eighteen great-grandchildren; eleven great-great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Her life-long friends, Aunt Gladys, Uncle Butch and Mrs. Louise will all miss her as well as her home health aide, Ms. Kathy Augustin.

Order of Service

Pastor Jerry Smith, Presiding

Opening Hymn

Prayer of Comfort.....Leann Simmons

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 121.....Eltonya Denby

New Testament - I Corinthians 13:7..... Pastor J. Smith

Musical Selection.....“Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross”
Regina Mitchell

Reflections.....Darren T. Wells

Acknowledgment.....Aaliyah Wells

Obituary.....Felecia Briggs-Herbert

Musical Selection.....“His Eye Is On The Sparrow”
Heather Holmes

Eulogy..... Pastor Jerry Smith

Recessional.....“I’ll fly Away”.....Family & Friends

Interment

Rose Hill Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

Repast

Christian Pentecostal Church, Newark, NJ

(Immediately following the Interment)

Pall Bearers

Darren T. Saab Wells
Tariq Devin Wells
Dugie Hassan Wells
Tyrone Davis Wells

June Douglas Wells
Tariq Muhammad Wells
Ibn Faheem Wells
Nasir Wells

Remembering Mommy

Seeing you slowly leave us,
we stood helplessly by
And drank the bitter cup of grief
the day we saw you die.
Gone is the face we loved so dear,
silenced the voice we loved to hear.
Too far away for sight or speech,
but not too far for thoughts to reach.
This Memorial Day a golden heart stopped beating, her
beautiful soul at rest.
And though our hearts are broken,
God only takes the best.

Acknowledgements

The Family of **Dorothy Mae Wells** expresses their deepest gratitude for all of the cards, prayers, calls and many acts of kindness extended to them during this time of bereavement.
May Allah continue to bless you.

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