



Betty Lorraine Grant

February 19, 1938 - December 3, 2003

“He reached down from on high and took hold of me; He drew me out of deep waters.” Psalm 10:16 Betty Lorraine Grant, the daughter of the late Walter E. Thompson and Ethel Mae Coleman Smith was born on February 19, 1938 in Baltimore, Maryland. After a brief illness, on Wednesday, December 3, 2003, God called her home. Betty, also known as “Rainey” was educated in Baltimore having attended St. Francis Academy and Dunbar High School. At an early age, Betty gave her life to Christ and was baptized at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. She later joined and became active with the Gillis Memorial C.C. Church. Nearly eight years ago, Betty joined with Trinity Baptist Church. She enjoyed the Thursday Word Study when her health permitted. She also enjoyed revival services, listening to radio ministry broadcasts, cooking, and playing bingo. To support her family and especially her grandmother until her death in 1996, Betty worked at Johns Hopkins as a nurse’s aid and other service jobs until she was disabled. Betty made friends wherever she went and was loved by all that knew her. She had a big heart and always had an encouraging word. She was never too busy to listen or offer advice. Betty leaves to cherish her memory: two children, Samuel Coleman, Sr. and Cheryl Grant-Johnson. (She was preceded in death by her eldest son, Michael R. Coleman); also to mourn; and uncle, William N. Coleman of New York; nine grandchildren, DeWayne, Davon, Samuel Jr., Samwell, Marquis, Desiree, Somalya, Tekya, and Denise; two sisters, Louise Thompson and Barbara Young; a host of other relatives, church family and

friends.

Tribute Wall



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“ *To the family, please accept my sincere condolences during this time of your loss. Please read and find comfort in John 5:28,29 and Rev. 21:3,4. God promises to do away with death and the pain that it causes. May these scriptures bring you strength and encouragement during your time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Sean##imported-end##*

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“ *Cheryl, Sam, Davon and Family I pray that you will find peace and comfort in the days ahead. I know its going to be rough especially since we are approaching the holidays. Somehow, holidays seem to bring back memories of our dear love ones. With the help of God we all will get pass our sorrows and pain, and pray that the New Year will bring us happier and brighter days. Love you and may God continue to bless you.##imported-begin##Vivian Evans##imported-end##*

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“ To the family, Please accept my sincere sympathy during this time of sorrow. May you find comfort from, "...the Father of tender mercies...the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our tribulations." 2 Corinthians 1:3.4###imported-begin##Gwen Winston###imported-end##

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