



George Washington Smith

February 22, 1927 - November 17, 2009

George Washington Smith was born February 22, 1927 to the late John and Ethel Smith. He was the youngest of seven children; Leona, Ella, Johnny, Henry, Leola and Carrie, all of whom preceded him in death. "Smitty," as he was lovingly called, received his education in Baltimore, MD at the Samuel Colbridge Taylor Elementary School and Booker T. Washington. George was employed at many throughout his life time. He was raised in Church and was a member of Spirit Beam Holiness Church of God in Christ, under the leadership of his father and stepmother, John Wesley and Mary Bertha Smith, where he was baptized. George was ordained at the early age of 14 to preach the gospel. He met and married Barbara Hickman, and they were the proud parents of two daughters, Gaynitha Smith and Dashell Shelton. George loved his family very dearly; and in turn the loved and respected him fully. After the passing of his parents, he was chosen as the head of the family here in Baltimore. He had many friends in his lifetime. One in particular, Raymond Randolph, who looked out for Uncle George. He made sure that he got to his appointments, whether it was the clinic, the hospital or where ever else he wanted to go. He was treated as if he was his own son. George looked forward to going to Lexington Market and spending the day with friends "chewing the rag." He will surely be missed by all his friends. George's favorite hymns were: Life Railway to Heaven and In the Garden; his favorited singers were Nat King Cole and Al Greene; his favorite dancers were James Brown. Al Green and the Temptations; and his favorite preacher were John W. Smith,

Mary Smith and Bishop Showell. He leaves to cherish his memory two daughters; Gaynitha Smith Washington and Dashell Shelton; six grandchildren; Monique, Roy, Antoine, Louis, Percel and Sterling; two nieces; Bootsie and Linda; one nephew; Wayne; eight stepchildren; and a host of grand nieces and nephews and cousins.

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“ George Washington Smith

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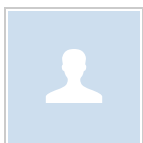
“ Mr. Smith, We had a lot of good times catching the bus on those cold winter mornings, then almost freezing to death waiting for the program to open. I guess that I'll have to wait all alone now. You were a very good man and one of my best friends. I am really sorry that I didn't get a chance to say goodbye. I had figured that like all of the other times, over the past several years when you got sick, you would bounce right back. I guess that you bounced back once too often. Anyway buddy, I will miss you very much, as I'm sure will all of those other people who's lives you touched with your charm, wit and kindness. It was my pleasure to have known you. I pray that one day I will see you again. Until that day... May God Bless and Keep you. Rest In Peace Smitty! Your Friend, Dan##imported-begin##Dan Morgan##imported-end##

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“ When i first met smitty, He ask me what time it was. after that we became very good friend and i can't say that about anyone, i'm gonna miss you alot goodbye.##imported-begin##Hadley M Johnson Sr.##imported-end##

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“ I miss you Daddy, I really miss you. I feel all alone now.##imported-begin##Gaynitha Smith##imported-end##

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“ To the family, I offer my sincere sympathy. I have experienced the sorrow of losing a father, a sister, a friend and have experienced the profound sense of loss that comes with that. However, I have also experienced the comfort provided by “the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort who comforts us in all our tribulation.” (2 Corinthians 1:3, 4) If you "draw close to God he will draw close to you," (James 4:8) and will become your source of comfort as well. Please allow yourself to do just this through a study of God's word the Bible and truly learn how God will fulfill the hope he gave to all of us at Acts 24:15, the hope of a resurrection.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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