

*The Matriarch*  
*By*  
*Your Great-Niece Chimere Wells*

To the matriarch of the family, We'll say good-bye to you today  
Though you were our mother, grandmother, aunt, great-aunt and cousin  
We all still loved you the same.

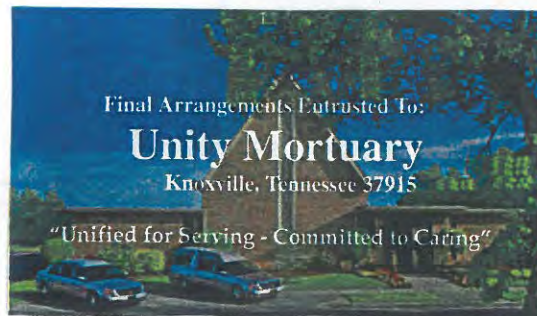
You were strong yet gentle at the same time  
Always stopped to share a smile

Though I only saw you seldom, we enjoyed our time all the while  
I remembered the family reunions, Though we seldom stopped to sleep  
A hotel was more than your castle, A memory we will always keep.  
Age was not your friend; You became sick and so frail, Still fighting until your last  
days.

Now on Angel's wings you sail, You are now a star in the sky.  
Twinkling in Heaven above, And when we're always thinking of you,  
You will be remembered with such love.

Flowerbearers  
Family and Friends

Pallbearers  
Family and Friends



*Homegoing Celebration*  
*For*  
*Sister Lois Wells Little*



Sunrise: January 1, 1924

Sunset: July 31, 2011

Service  
Saturday, August 6, 2011  
11:30a.m.

Taabernacle Missionary Baptist Church  
2137 Martin Luther King Jr., Avenue  
Knoxville, Tennessee 37915

Pastor Christopher R. Battle, Sr., Pastor

Rev. Richard Gadzekpo, Officiating

## Reflections of Life

**SISTER LOIS WELLS (GRANNY LOIS) LITTLES** was born January 1, 1924 in Plum Branch, South Carolina to Gussie and Susie Chamberlain Wells. She entered into eternal rest surrounded by her loving family on Saturday, July 30, 2011.

“Granny Lois” joined Tabernacle Baptist Church in 1944 under the great leadership of Rev. L. W. Veal and was a faithful member until her health failed. She was a member of Usher Board No. 2, was nominated Miss Tabernacle in 1966, was a faithful member of Women’s School of the Word Class #2, the Rachel Circle and was one of the original Tabernacle’s Golden Girls with Sis. Mary Lee Johnson and the late Sisters Georgia Sims and Dessie Forkland. She was one of East Knoxville’s great cooks and was known for her cakes, pies and rolls.

Preceded in death by her parents; husband, David Littles, Sr.; daughter, Renda Hundley; sons: James (Talvin) Wells, Sandy and Terry Littles; grandsons, David Kirkland and Tommy Hundley, Jr., and granddaughter, Dondra Wells.

She leaves to celebrate her memories: devoted sons: Melvin Wells, Seattle, WA, David (*Marilyn*) Littles, Atlanta, GA, Ralph (*Rosalyn*) Littles, Alcoa, TN; daughters, Susan Littles, Washington, DC and Tonja Littles, Atlanta, GA; 20 grandchildren: Melvin, David, Steve, James, Donra, Thomas, Nelvin, Todd, Jamila, Camara, Terry, Jr., Toriano, Sidney, Sandrell, Daud, David, Taniyka, Kim, Chadae, Josalynn; 32 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild; nephews, Eddie and Tyrone Wells, John Brown, Carl (*Sharon*) and Chris (*Denise*) Neal, Clarence (*Monique*) Neal, Atlanta, GA, Anthony (*Diane*) Wells, Temple, TX; nieces, Patricia (*Donald*) Lawson and Bernice (*Herman*) Phillips; devoted cousins, Eunice Easley, Andrina Manning, Secolia Solomon; sister-in-law, Marion Wells; aunt, Genora May, Bronx, NY; the Freeman and Wells families; loving and devoted friends to include, Rev. George (*Laressa*) Madison, Evansville, IN, Julia Deathridge, Lena Ellis, Layla Keith, Regina Sanders, Lovie Wade, Georgia and Nellie Carter; Era Nail, Rev. Herbert Jones, Mamie Roberts, Larry (*Leonia*) Johnson (who she called her son), the Sunset Avenue family, her Tabernacle Baptist Church family including a host of other family and friends too numerous to name.

## Order of Service

Pastor Christopher R. Battle, Sr., Officiating  
Dr. Richard Gadzekpo, Eulogist

Processional..... Soft Music

**Family Visitation: 11:00a.m – 12:00 p.m.**

Selection..... Voices of Tabernacle

Scripture Reading (Old & New Testament)..... Ministers

Prayer of Comfort ..... Minister

Solo ..... Sis. J. Tomma Battle  
“Peace Be Still”

Church Resolution ..... Sis. Louise Scott

Obituary.....(Read Silently) Soft Music

Poem

Solo ..... Bro. Ronnie Cantrell

Words of Comfort ..... Pastor Christopher R. Battle, Sr.

Reflections (two minute limit) ..... Family & Friends

Selection..... Voices of Tabernacle

Eulogy ..... Dr. Richard Gadzekpo  
Mt. Pleasant AME Zion Church

Recessional



*Interment*

New Gray Cemetery