



Ms. Dawn Renee Smith

July 19, 1960 - March 13, 2015

The Life Of Dawn Renee Smith:

Dawn Renee Smith, aka Nae-Nae or Mama Drama, was born in Detroit, Michigan and frequently visited relatives in Lima, Ohio. Dawn attended Detroit Public Schools and graduated from Northwestern High School.

Dawn adored butterflies which symbolize transformation and joy. She filled her surroundings with all sizes and colors. Everything with a butterfly on it caught her attention, especially if they were the colors orange or purple.

She was a caterpillar through youth and blossomed into a butterfly bringing forth life through her children Ischela, Shakila, Niko, and Angelina.

Once you met Dawn you were immediately drawn to her acts of kindness. She welcomed everyone into her home and made you feel very comfortable. Whenever you entered her home there would be a cake baked from scratch, a batch of homemade cookies or even a pie in the cake dish on the table. She loved to cook and her food was mmm good!

Dawn was so full of life with a sense of humor that kept everybody laughing. Being a sports fanatic, you would find her yelling and cheering for her favorite teams. As a jazzy dresser and extreme couponer, Dawn loved to shop and loved good sales. She made sure her family had everything they needed, and

wanted too.

Dawn's fight with her illness ended in victory as she went to glory, with her family and friends by her side, on Friday March 13, 2015.

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Mar. **27**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
info@pyefuneralhome.com

Family Hour

Saturday, Mar. **28**. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

Saturday, Mar. **28**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Dawn Renee Smith*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *We were sisters despite the evil that surrounded us and attempted to keep us apart. Once we were old enough to turn our backs on it there was no denying our bond. You Were The World's Greatest Sister.*

You tried to save me in our youth, you definitely saved me in our adulthood.

I rejoice in the freedom death has granted you.

I love you...

I feel you here in my heart, I know you will be with me through eternity. I look forward to our reunion...

Again, I love you,

Your Little Sister,

Call me,

Kathryn

Kathryn Diamond - March 13, 2020 at 11:34 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. No one is totally prepared for the death of a love one, when death strikes the pain and grief can be intense. May you draw close to God in prayer and he will sustain you. -Psalm 55:22*

Ms. Dee - March 17, 2015 at 02:09 PM



Thank you!!

Isch Bell - March 22, 2015 at 01:18 PM

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“ I am so very sorry for your loss. As you cherish fond memories and surround yourself with loving family and friends also know that the God of all comfort is near and cares for you during this difficult time while He offers peace and hope. Rev 21:4

Ms Laverne - March 16, 2015 at 02:27 PM

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Thank you!!!

Isch Bell - March 22, 2015 at 01:18 PM