



## Ms. Susie Mae Smith-Gray

December 13, 1949 - July 28, 2014

Susie Mae Smith-Gray was born on December 13, 1949 to the union of Roy and Elizabeth Smith. She passed away on July 28, 2014 at Garden City Hospital. She was preceded in death by both parents, brother Harld Lee, and sister Linda.

Susie attended and graduated from Detroit Public Schools. As she started her life's journey, she was blessed with the birth of her loving son Christopher. She later met and married Mr. George Gray. This union was later dissolved.

Susie accepted Christ, at an early age. She was a member for twenty years of Central United Methodist Church located in downtown Detroit.

Susie loved knowledge, she was an avid reader and liked learning new and different things.

She received a degree in Political Science from University of Detroit, she was a graduate of University Barber College. She received a certificate of completion from the Internal Revenue Service, attended Henry Ford Community College and became a licensed Pharmacy Tech. She was elected to the Citizens Downtown District Council from 2002-2008; longtime member of Detroit Optimist Club.

Places of employment included: Deputy Chief Housing Authority, Georges' Barbershop, U.S.

Postal Service, Riverview Hospital, Librarian and Communication Officer for Henry Ford Community College.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Monday, Aug. **4.** 3:00 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

Tuesday, Aug. **5.** 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
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## Funeral Service

Tuesday, Aug. **5.** 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Susie Mae Smith-Gray*

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January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Susie was a kind person and had a positive outlook on life. We served on a committee at Henry Ford College until she retired. I am sending prayers to her family and friends.*

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**Michele Featherston** - August 26, 2014 at 07:26 AM



“ *I am saddened to hear of Susie's passing. I worked with her at Henry Ford from 2007 until her retirement. She was a quiet, nice lady. My condolences to her family and friends. - Amy Parrent*

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**Amy Parrent** - August 05, 2014 at 05:12 PM