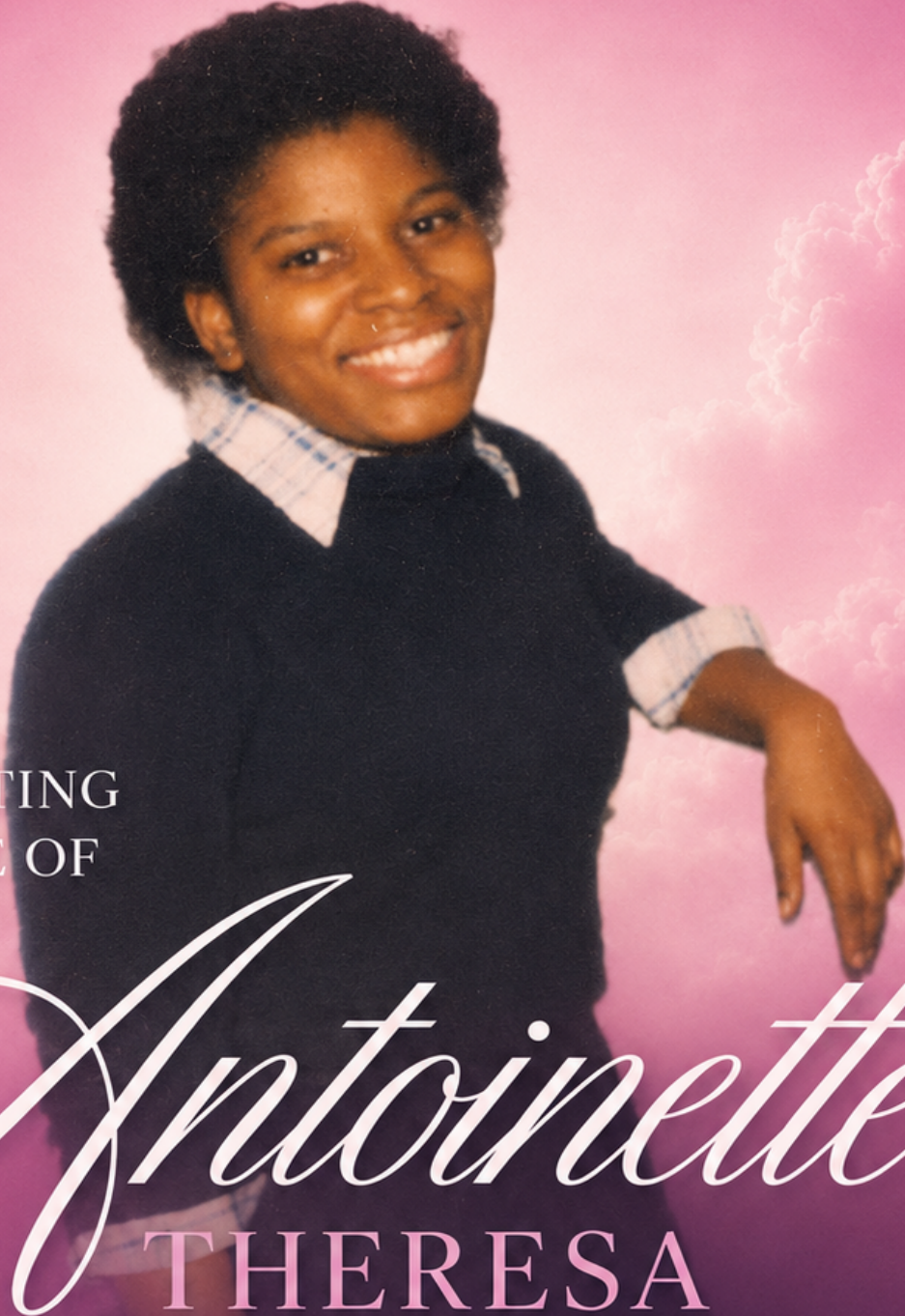


A portrait of a young Black woman with short, dark, curly hair, smiling. She is wearing a dark blue sweater over a light-colored collared shirt. The background is a soft, pinkish-purple sky with white clouds. The overall design of the poster features a gradient from pink at the top to purple at the bottom, with a large, stylized white 'S' shape on the left side.

CELEBRATING
THE LIFE OF

Antoinette
THERESA
SORRELLS

JUNE 1, 1959 – AUGUST 14, 2026

Tuesday, September 1, 2026

Memorial Visitation - 10:00 AM

Memorial Service - 11:00 AM

Thompson Hall Jordan Funeral Home
11400 Winton Road, Forest Park, Ohio 45240

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Opening Prayer Minister

Scripture Minister

Opening Song Lawanda Engelman

Cards and Resolutions Minister

Remarks Canita Alexander (Niece)

Shana Taylor, (Friend of Family)

Ms. Sacara Deas, (Friend of Family)

Reading of Obituary Elder Patrice Tolble

Song Selection *Total Praise*..... Regis Sorrells (Youngest Son)

Remarks..... Elder Robert Walker Sr (Friend of Family)

Apostle David Porter III (Former Pastor)

Eulogy Montez Sorrells (Middle Son)

Benediction Minister

Revelation 21:3-4

3 And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.

4 And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

Precious Memories... ..



Her Faith and Her Walk With Christ

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As the years passed, Antoinette and her sons became connected to Testament Worship Center, under the leadership of Pastor Tyna T. Duncan. There, Antoinette became an avid and committed member, developing meaningful relationships with members and leaders of the ministry.

Her spiritual journey eventually led her to Dunamis Life Worldwide Prophetic Ministries, under the leadership of Apostle David Porter III and Prophetess Regina Porter.

It was during this season that another dimension of Antoinette's spiritual life became visible. Her prophetic gift and spiritual design were recognized, encouraged, and invested in. Antoinette served as a prophetic scribe for the ministry, developing a remarkable ability to listen carefully and record prophetic words shared during services and significant ministry gatherings.

She had a keen ear. She listened deeply. And in moments of spiritual intensity, she would receive and deliver words of knowledge that she believed came from the Lord.

This season of ministry, development, and spiritual growth was significant not only for Antoinette, but also for her sons, who witnessed another side of their mother unfolding before them.

Her faith was not merely something she talked about. It was something she lived.

The Woman Behind the Strength

Antoinette was naturally introverted and deeply private, but those who knew her understood that beneath that quiet exterior was a woman who genuinely loved people. She had an appreciation for the beauty of life and possessed an eclectic personality that could not be confined to one description.

She loved music. Her musical tastes ranged from the powerful sounds of gospel legends such as Richard Smallwood, Daryl Coley, Tramaine Hawkins, and Helen Baylor, to the timeless artistry of Luther Vandross, Stevie Wonder, and Barbra Streisand.

Her love of music became part of the lives of her sons. And perhaps one of the sweetest memories was the music she shared with her father, Thomas Jones, when they would play the guitar together. She loved movies, especially comedies and documentaries. She enjoyed walking and exercising. She loved reading. She loved journaling. And she loved praying.

Her journals and personal writings offered glimpses into a woman who was constantly, thinking, processing, learning, believing, planning, and seeking to understand the world around her.

Her Three Kings

Perhaps no role was more important to Antoinette than being a mother. Antoinette married Maryland Eugene Sorrells, and through that union came the three sons she affectionately considered her three kings: Joshua Thomas Sorrells, Montez Elliott Sorrells, and Regis Lavert Sorrells.

Antoinette loved her sons deeply. When her marital circumstances changed, she embraced the responsibility of raising her three boys with extraordinary determination. She worked hard. She planned carefully. She budgeted meticulously. She saved. She stretched every dollar and made every resource count.

She understood that providing for her sons meant more than putting food on the table. It meant preparing them for life.

She wanted them educated. She wanted them respectful. She wanted them financially responsible. She wanted them to understand good manners and the importance of chivalry. She wanted them to know how to conduct themselves in the world.

And she did everything within her power to position herself educationally, professionally, and socially so that she could provide the best life possible for her boys.

Whenever you saw Antoinette, you saw her three boys. They were her pride. They were her responsibility. They were her heart.

A Woman Who Invested in Community

Antoinette was also deeply involved in the Beech Acres community, where she received support, resources, and professional development that strengthened her as a single parent while also equipping her to strengthen other single-parent families.

She understood the power of community because she had experienced it herself. She knew what it meant to need support, and she never forgot the importance of extending that same support to someone else.

Her life was a testament to the idea that when one person becomes stronger, they have the ability to help someone else become stronger too.

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*There was always another thought to explore. Another lesson to learn. Another prayer to pray.
Another way to become better.*

A Legacy That Lives On

On August 14, 2026, Antoinette Theresa Jones Sorrells departed this life. But a woman like Antoinette does not simply leave. She leaves pieces of herself everywhere. She leaves herself in the lessons she taught. In the children she cared for. In the families she encouraged. In the communities she strengthened. In the words she wrote. In the music she loved. In the faith she demonstrated. In the knowledge she pursued. And most profoundly, she leaves herself in her three kings.

Lovingly Remembered By

Antoinette is survived by her beloved sons: Joshua T. Sorrells (Lillie) and their children, Terrion, Asha, Jordan, and Landen; Montez E. Sorrells (Jocelyn) and their children, Paige, Peyton, and Princeton; and Regis L. Sorrells. She is also survived by her goddaughter, Sacara Deas; her nieces, Sheila Gillam, Regina Gillam, Canita Alexander (Anthony), and Marcia Gillam; her nephews, Willie Gillam and Christopher Gillam; along with a host of great-nieces, great-nephews, extended family members, friends, and loved ones whose lives were touched by hers.

“Never stop learning.”

— Antoinette Theresa Jones Sorrells



Psalms 23

23 The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Acknowledgement

The family would like to extend sincere gratitude to all of the family and friends of Antoinette Sorrells. With grateful appreciation, thank you for all of your support, courtesies, condolences and most important love, shown toward this difficult time.

~The Sorrells Family



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