

January 24, 2018

Dear Bishop and First Lady Jakes,

I started writing this letter to you all in December, but when I went back to complete it, the letter had disappeared. Oh, well, since my tablet is new to me, maybe I did something wrong.

Bishop, I came to your book-signing that you had at the Esowon bookstore in Leimert Park, last month, and you said that you didn't remember me. I told you to ask Serita.. What I didn't realize that it has been almost 20 years, since I was in Dallas for the Partner's Conference, and that I might have changed in appearance. And, since I see you every week on the Potter's House, and you look just the same, I simply made the mistake, that I look the same, too.

For the first time ever, I've had pneumonia, and will try to keep this 1p80 letter short. It's put a little damper on my writing, even though I am try to keep up with the events of the world, and with with you all, who offer answers to all of our problems, through CHRIST. Thank you for giving, so diligently!

Our efforts to improve our self-image as a People is beginning to take route, and I have noticed a vast improvement in people. A few years ago, we were not able to see the changes that we now see. But, oh, how that has changed!

Now, we must try to bring our people together, those who are struggling and those paying with incarceration, drugs and homelessness that have been left out. I thought the acting was magnificent, but the story- line disturbing in the new series, Black Lightning. What do you all think? We have to somehow get all of the violence out of our systems, in my humble opinion.

Well, Bishop, I will close for now, but please know that I send my love, and prayers that God watch over you , Serita, and your family, and that Christ continue to bless you.

Always keeping the Faith,
Through Christ Jesus,

Althais J. Aka