Press Release

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MY PAPA USED TO SAY IS HEADED TO THE CHERRY HILL LIBRARY

Newark, DE--Gladstone Publishing Services in cooperation with One Smart Lady Productions is proud to announce Hyacinth Swaby-Holder’s new book MY PAPA USED TO SAY – A Daily Dose of Jamaican Proverbs Dispensing Wit, Wisdom, Advice, and Humor. This beautifully written book features the author’s version of rich treasure trove of wisdom she heard from her “Papa” growing up in Jamaica.

Question: Did you know that “Play wid puppy, puppy lik yuh mout” means “If you play with a puppy he will lick your mouth”? Now you are probably wondering why anyone would say that. Well, believe it or not, it’s a familiar saying, “Familiarity breeds contempt”. Mrs. Holder has filled this book with daily sayings that may seem strange to you, but when you read the translation and interpretation, it will bring back memories of your own childhood.

Mrs. Holder was born in Mandeville, Jamaica and many of these adages have sustained, healed, advised, amused and comforted her over these many years. She hopes they will do the same for her readers. She and her husband Neville are retired and live in Cherry Hill, New Jersey.

Mrs. Holder is participating in the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. – South Jersey Alumnae Chapter’s Cherry Hill Public Library/Cherry Hill African American Civic Association’s Authors and Artists Event. It will be held Sunday, April 30, 2017 from 2pm to 4:30pm in the Lower Level Conference Center.

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