



Artie I. Smith

October 7, 1931 - January 21, 2015

Artie Ingle Smith, 83, of Barboursville, W.Va. went home to be with her Lord on Wednesday, January 21, 2015 at Cabell Health Care Center, Culloden, W.Va. She was born October 7, 1931 in Chattanooga, TN. the daughter of the late, Samuel Carlos and Ethel Flonnie DeJourette Ingle. In addition to her parents, in 1978 she was also preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Eugene "Gene" Smith and one brother, Samuel Ingle. She was a member of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Stockbridge, Ga. and retired from the Mt. Vernon Christian School where she served the lord for many years. She was also a faithful member of Lewis Memorial Baptist Church, Huntington, W.Va. Artie is survived by her daughter and son-in-law; Mary Elizabeth and Dr. David Lemming of Huntington, W.Va; grandchildren, Rebekah Lemming Shaffer (Jeremy) of Huntington, W.Va. and Jon David Lemming (Gloria Kathryn) of Dallas, TX; great-grandchildren, Grace Caroline and Luke Charles Shaffer and Andrew Cashel Lemming. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:00 PM on Saturday, January 24, 2015 at Lewis Memorial Baptist Church with Dr. Tim Yates officiating. The family would like to thank the staff at Cabell Health Care Center, Culloden, W.Va. for their excellent care. The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM until service time on Saturday at the church. Burial will be conducted at 2:00 PM on Monday, January 26, 2015 at the Kelly-Moseley Cemetery in McDonough, GA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations be made to the World Missions Program at Lewis Memorial Baptist Church at 5385 W. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, W.Va.

25705 . Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, Barboursville, W.Va. is caring for the family. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting www.hensonmortuary.com .

Tribute Wall



“ *Artie I. Smith*

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



“ *She was such a sweet lady. Prayers for the family.*

Stephen A White Jr of Stockbridge, GA - January 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. I am glad to know I will see her again some glorious day. She was an active part of my early childhood.*

Cecilia Wehunt of Hurt, Va - January 26, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Smith was always a delight to be around. Her welcoming smile will always be remembered. May your fondest memories of your Mom fill your heart.*

Larry Skeens of Prichard WV - January 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mary, We are sorry to hear of your mother's passing but know she is with her Lord. She was a very Special lady, I remember her at Mt. Vernon, always smiling & helpful to me & my children. God bless you, Love in Christ.....*

Peggy Trowell, Stacey Trowell Tyler & Nicholas of Sylvester, Ga. - January 24, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *She was very special. Sending thoughts and prayers. She will never be forgotten.*

Donna Gibson Murphy of Gainesville, Ga - January 24, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Our lives were so rewarded and enriched by having had Mrs. Artie in our lives. I will always remember her smile and such a calm voice and mannerism when dealing with all of us crazy kids. The love of Christ came through her in every way!! My heart is heavy for Mary Elizabeth, David and the family but I know Mr. Gene and the heavenly family is rejoicing in her homecoming.*

Daniel and Bonny (Osborne) Bowen of Stockbridge, GA - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WW

“ *Heartfelt sympathy and love for this precious family! May you feel the arms of THE MASTER closely around you in your sorrow.*

Winston and Joyce Perry of Lavalette, WV - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ *Mrs. Smith was a wonderful lady and showed tough yet tender love to the students under her care at Mt. Vernon. I have nothing but fondness for her and pray peace to her family. She was well loved.*

Craig Ogilvie of Georgia - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DW

“What a lady! Ms. Artie had that rare gift of making everyone feel as though they were special to her. My wife, Janet, and I greeted on Wednesday night's service. No matter how she felt when she came to the entrance, she always had a smile on her face, stopped to talk for a while, and always had something funny to say. One evening she came in, and it was unusually windy. She sorta pulled her hair back into place and remarked, "I'm telling you the truth. I just spent two minutes on my hair before coming to church, and now I want you to look at it." I have related that story to others time and again. Mary, Pastor, and other family members, your mother, mother-in-law, and grandmother meant a lot to me, and today I am saddened because of her passing. Rest assured that I am speaking for Janet as well. In Christian Love, David and Janet Thompson

David Lee Thompson of Salt Rock, WV - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JG

“Artie I. Smith

James & Vicki Martin of McDonough, Ga - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RW

“Please accept my deepest sympathies for the loss of your precious mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, great grandmother, and friend to many. I only had a few conversations with Ms Artie but felt like she genuinely cared for me and to all those whom she knew. There will be a reunion one day. Peace and God's comfort to family and close friends

Rosie Estep of Huntington. WV - January 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Praying and knowing that the Lord is holding all of you in His arms. I did not know your mother but I am sure she was a lovely Christian lady. All four generations of girls look like her. Love and prayers for all of you.

Tom and Sara Elmore of Chesapeake, Ohio - January 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ Mrs. Smith What a wonderful sweet Southern Lady she was. So loving and caring, took a personal interest in every child and their family. Mary and family we love you and are praying for in this sad/happy time because your mother has gone home rejoice in the sweet memories.

Harold & Lucy Cantley of AR - January 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM