

Expressions of Thanks

The family of Mother Katie Mae Thomas Smith wishes to express our thanks and appreciation for all the expressions of sympathy during our time of bereavement. We'd also like to thank Oceanside Nursing and Rehab. Center, Compassion Care Hospice and Sidney A. Jones & Campbell Funeral Services, Last we'd like to extend a most sincere thank you to Rev. Keith and Minister Bernadine Bruen and our beloved Brampton Baptist Church Family.

~ The Smith & Jordon Family

Pallbearers

Grandsons

Honorary Floral Attendants

Brampton Baptist Church
Mother Broad

Floral Attendants

Brampton Baptist Church
Sunday School

Final Resting Place

Forest Lawn Memory Gardens
Savannah, GA

Hour of Fellowship

Please join the family following the interment
at T.J. Simmons Social Hall

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*We appreciate your trust in us, and sincerely hope that our service has been deserving of your confidence.
If we have helped to lighten your burden, our aim has been accomplished.*

CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR



Mother

Katie Mae Thomas Smith

June 13, 1933 ~ April 14, 2018

11:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 21, 2018

Brampton Baptist Church

24 Coach Joe Turner Street

Savannah, GA 31408

Reverend Keith T. Bruen, Pastor/Officiating

Reverend Andre` Osborne, Presiding

My Story

Our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, smiled and opened the Gates of Heaven on Saturday, April 14, 2018 to his faithful servant, Mother Katie Mae Smith, age 84 of Savannah, GA who was born the only daughter of Mr. Robert Thomas and Mrs. Mamie Pinckney Thomas King, on June 13, 1933. Her parents preceded her in death, as well as her youngest son, Gregory Bernard Smith, and two brothers, Leroy Thomas and George Prather.

She was educated in the Savannah– Chatham County Public School System and was the wife of the late , Mr. George Smith.

Katie Mae was employed by Goodwill Industries International, Inc. and was a life-long member of Brampton Baptist Church, where she served as the Sunday School Treasurer, #2 Choir Advisor, Senior Choir President, Youth Department Advisor and member of the Mother Board.

Katie Mae was a God-fearing woman and always had an encouraging word to share. She was the embodiment of the Fruit of the Spirit: Love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, faith, meekness, and temperance.

Celebrating her homegoing and cherishing her memory forever are her loving, devoted and dutiful daughter, Ms. Michelle E. Jordan, two loving sons, Mr. Donald Smith, Sr. and Mr. Larry J. Smith, I, all of Savannah, GA, several grandchildren, Mr. Donald Smith, Jr. of Savannah, GA, Mr. David L. Smith of Atlanta, GA, both of whom she raised, one brother, Mr. Rufus Thomas (Valerie) of Miami, FL, six Godchildren, Minister TaNekia D. Poole and Rev. Andre' Osborne (Colanna), a step-sister, Ms. Marion B. Johnson, step-brother, Mr. Leroy Lewis, and Mr. Allen Lewis all of Jacksonville, FL, she also leaves two sisters-n-law, Mrs. Barbara Pinckney and Mrs. Betty Prather, as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, a loving and caring friend, Ms. Carolyn Reedy, the entire Brampton Baptist Church Family and many friends.



"Don't Cry For Me"

*Don't cry for me, I will be okay.
Heaven is my home now, and this is where I'll stay.
Don't cry for me, I'm where I belong.
I want you to be happy and try to stay strong.
Don't cry for me, It was just my time.
But I will see you someday on the other side.
Don't cry for me, I am not alone.
The angels are with me to welcome me home.
Don't cry for me, for I have no fear.
All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears.
Don't cry for me, this is not the end.
I'll be waiting here for you,
when we meet again.*

~ Love Eternally, Katie Mae ~



"She Shall Be Praised"



A wife of noble character who can find?

She is worth far more than rubies.

She is clothed with strength and dignity;

She can laugh at the days to come.

She speaks with wisdom,

And faithful instruction is on her tongue.

She watches over the affairs of her household

And does not eat the bread of idleness.

Her children arise and call her blessed;

Her husband also, and he praises her:

"Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting;

But a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.

Honour her for all that her hands have done.

And let her works bring her praise at the city gate.

~ Proverbs 31:10 & 25-31~

Order of Service

Reverend Andre Osborne, Presiding

Processional w/ Parting Glimpse.....Brampton Baptist Choir

Prayer of Consolation.....Apostle Felicia Flowers

Scripture Reading

Old Testament.....Elder Jamata Williams

Grace Full Gospel Church

New Testament.....Minister Bernadine Bruen

Musical Selection.....David Smith & Expected End

Reflections (two minutes please)

As I Knew Her.....Mr. David L. Campbell, Sr.

As A Member.....Deacon Robert Small, Jr.

As A Deacon.....Deacon Inous Lewis

Solo.....Mother Patricia King

"Heaven Belongs To You"

Reflections (two minutes please)

As A Friend.....Ms. Margaret Dyson

As I Knew Her.....Ms. Regina Simmons, LPN

Solo.....Ms. Marie Connell

Knox Chapel Baptist Church, Social Circle, GA

Resolutions & Acknowledgements.....Sister Angela James

Tributes

Our Godmother.....Minister TaNekia D. Poole

Our Grandmother.....Mr. Donald Smith, Jr.

Musical Selection.....David Smith & Expected End

Words of Comfort.....Reverend Keith T. Bruen

Recessional

"Precious Memories that Last a Lifetime"

