

#### Her Legacy















### Flower Attendants

Tamika Callens Rorie Holly Pepper Peterson Vernette Porter Infiniti Smith Summer Smith Leilani Townsend

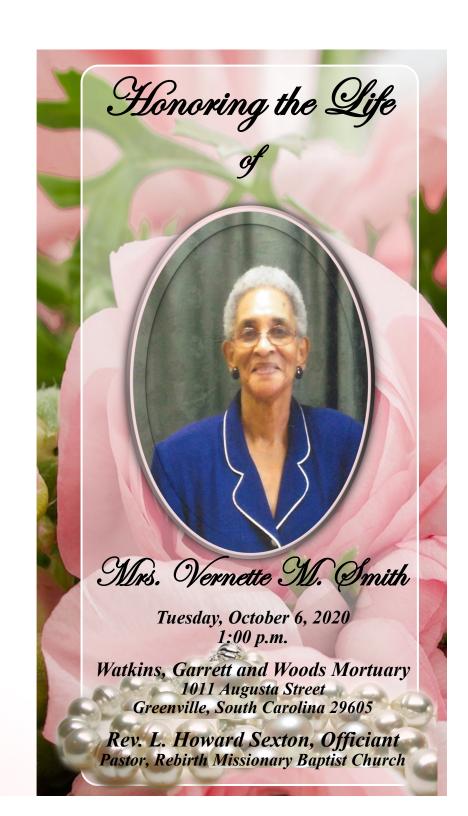
#### Pallbearers

Aaron Smith
Kenneth Smith
Marcus L. Smith
Ret. Sgt. Nicholas A. Smith
Veldon Smith

# Acknowledgement

In times like these, it is a source of great comfort
to have friends who care.
Your many expressions of kindness, concern
and helpfulness have done much to sustain us.
For these good deeds, please accept
our sincere thanks and appreciation.
May God's Blessings abound with you always.
The Smith Family

Services Entrusted to
Watkins, Garrett & Woods Mortuary, Inc.
1011 Augusta Street
Greenville, SC 29605
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### Order of Service

Processional .....Clergy, Family and Friends Selection......Rebirth Sanctuary Choir "Yes Lord" Scripture Readings Old Testament ...... Deacon Delane Rorie Rebirth Missionary Baptist Church New Testament..... Deacon Charles Spurgeon Rebirth Missionary Baptist Church Prayer ..... Deacon Delane Rorie Solo ...... Deacon Stan Story "Walk Around Heaven" Remarks......First Lady Bernita Sexton (Church Family) Words of Comfort .....Rev. L. Howard Sexton

#### Interment

Recessional......Mr. Maxie Burton

"Packing Up Getting Ready To Go."

Greenville Memorial Gardens 7784 Augusta Road Piedmont, South Carolina 29673

### Obituary

Mrs. Vernette M. "Bunt" Smith, 88, formerly of Taylors, South Carolina, passed on Wednesday, September 30, 2020, at Quillen Manor. She was the daughter of the late Berry Champ and Bertha Jones Mahaffey.

She was a 1950 graduate of Sterling High School. From 1967 to 1968 she attended the Practical School of Nursing. she attended USC Spartanburg From 1974-1978 She was employed at Greenville General Hospital from1968-1972, then Roger C. Peace Rehabilitation from 1972-1994. She was a member of the Association of Rehabilitation from 1980-1988. Nurses Secretary and Treasurer of South Carolina Association of Rehabilitation. In 1985-1986 Nurses Board Member of S.C. Association of Rehabilitation and President of the S.C. Association of Rehabilitation from 1984-1985. She was the first African American to be awarded Nurse of the Year by Greenville Hospital system.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Walter C. Smith; her son, Kenneth R. Smith; her daughter, Vanessa U. Smith; two sisters, Hattie Corrine Cureton and Gladys H. Burton; and one nephew, Jerry Hagood.

Left to cherish fond and loving memories: three daughters, Glynis (Robert) Webb of Fountain Inn, SC, Melgie Porter of Rock Hill, SC and Shuntzie (Anthony) Poole of Taylors, SC; one son, Michael (Brenda) Smith of Leesville, LA; a daughter-inlaw, Gladius Smith of Taylors, SC; a special niece, Lorraine Anderson of Greenville, SC; ten grand-children; twenty-four great-grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

## If You Could See Me Now

If you could see me now, you wouldn't shed a tear. Though you may not understand why I'm no longer here. Remember my spirit, that's the real me. I'm still very much alive, oh, if you could only see! I've beheld our Father's face. I've touched my Savior's hand. The angels all rejoiced as I entered the Promised Land. Beyond the gates of pearl, I walk on golden streets touched the walls of jasper, dipped my foot in the crystal sea. The beauty is beyond words, nothing can compare. I've even seen your mansion; someday I will meet you there. Allow Jesus to be your guide, His Word will show you the way. So, please, don't cry! We will meet again someday!

