



Carol Diane Smith

March 13, 1943 - March 8, 2017

Carol Diane Smith, 73, of Tuscumbia, AL, passed away Wednesday, March 8, 2017, at her home.

Mrs. Smith was a native of Franklin County, AL, and had lived in Colbert County most of her life. She was a retired secretary and bookkeeper for Muscle Shoals Aviation and was of the Baptist faith.

Visitation for Mrs. Smith will be Friday, March 10, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. through 8:00 p.m. at Pinkard Funeral Home, Russellville, Alabama. Funeral services will be Saturday, March 11, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. in the funeral home chapel in Russellville. Burial will follow at Franklin Memory Gardens, Russellville, Alabama. Officiating will be Chip Martin.

Pallbearers will be John Aycock, John David Aycock, Caleb Gilley, Tyler Long, Keith Moore, and Michael Moore. Dan Long, Thomas Long, and Jimmy Martin will be serving as honorary pallbearers.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband, William R. Smith; children, Bill Smith and wife Ann and daughter Jill Keller. Survivors also include grandchildren Haley Keller Gilley and husband Caleb and Hannah Keller. A great grandson, Carson Gilley, also survives her. Three sisters, Glenda Long (Dan), Brenda Long (Thomas), and Peggy Martin (Jimmy), survive her as do numerous

nieces, nephews, and friends.

Preceding her in death were her parents, Billy F. and Lillian Aycock, and a brother David Aycock.

The family would like to extend a special “thank you” to Dr. Aaron Karr and Melinda Smith, the hospice nurse.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude’s Children’s Hospital at www.stjudes.org.

Pinkard Funeral Home, Russellville, Alabama, will be assisting the family.

Cemetery Details

Franklin Memory Gardens

2710 Waterloo Road
Russellville, AL

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carol Diane Smith*



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I am so sorry. Mr. Smith, I know your family is your life and we will be praying for all of you. In God's Love, Terry and Resa Witt 🌹

Resa Witt - March 11, 2017 at 08:23 PM

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“ *I loved my Aunt Diane so very much. She was an inspiration and a force of strength who helped me and shaped me in so many different ways. Her family is strong because of Diane.*

This world is a better, brighter place because Diane was given to us for 73 years. Her light was needed elsewhere right now. I look forward to seeing her again some day.

Sheree Martin - March 12, 2017 at 02:15 PM



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“ *William, Jill and Bill,*

So sad when Eleanor called to tell me of Diane's passing. We have lot of good memories of Diane and the family over here on Estella's porch on Sundays after church; we really had some good fun times we will never forget. She was a special lady we loved so much; she could always make us laugh. We will pray for you all in the days ahead.

Jane and Derek

Jane Keeton McManus - March 09, 2017 at 03:03 PM