

Honorary Attendants
Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren

Where Do They Go To?

*Where do they go to, the people who leave?
Are they around us, in the cool evening breeze?
Do they still hear us, and watch us each day?
I'd like you to think of them with us that way.
Where do they go to, when no longer here?
I think that they stay with us, calming our fear
Loving us always, holding our hands
Walking beside us, on grass or on sand.
Where do they go to, well it's my belief
They watch us and help us to cope with our grief
They comfort and stay with us, through each of our days
Guiding us always through life's mortal maze.*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Remembering the life of Our Loved One was made extra special because of your presence, your thoughtfulness and every expression of sympathy.

Special thanks to The Oaks at Forsyth
for the professional care that they provided to her
until God called her home.

THE FAMILY

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HOME-GOING CELEBRATION FOR
Mrs. Mattie F. Smith



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2015
1:00 P.M.

CLARK S. BROWN AND SONS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL
727 NORTH PATTERSON AVENUE
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

BISHOP CALVIN BROWN, EULOGIST

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mattie Frances Smith was born to the late Hubert McKenley Stafford and Etta Wolfe Stafford in Bethania, North Carolina on May 6, 1926.

She enjoyed the time spent with her family, especially her grands and great grands. She was a homemaker who really loved to cook. A favorite pastime for her was watching her soap operas on television. She was a sweet lady who would bring a smile to the face of everyone she met.

Mrs. Smith recently found new Christian joy when she joined the fellowship at House of Faith Outreach in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

The Lord called Mattie Frances Stafford Smith home to live with Him from the Oaks at Forsyth in Winston-Salem on Thursday, November 26, 2015, following a period of illness. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a sister, Ella Mae Strong and a brother, William Stafford.

Those family members who survive and who will cherish loving memories of her include her children, Daniel (Zelma) Stafford, Annie Wagner, Mary Webster and Walter Pollard; twelve grandchildren, including a special granddaughter, Marilyn D. Webster; twenty-three great grandchildren; ten great-great grandchildren; a devoted caregiver for more than thirty years, Mrs. Bertha Johnson; several extended family members, neighbors and friends.

Peace & Calm in The 23rd Psalm

*With the Lord as your shepherd you have all you need
For, if you follow in His footsteps wherever He may lead,
He will guard and guide and keep you in His loving, watchful care
And, when traveling in dark valleys, your shepherd will be there...*

*His goodness is unfailing; His kindness knows no end,
For the Lord is a good shepherd on whom you can depend...
So, when your heart is troubled, you'll find peace and calm
If you open the Bible and just read this treasured Psalm.*

The Processional

Family Visitation Period

12:30 p.m.—1:00 p.m.

ORDER OF SERVICE

The Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading
New Testament Reading

Elder Roger Wagner
Bishop Namon Williams

Prayer of Comfort

Bishop Bennett Alexander

Solo

Ms. Rayshawn Glenn

Poetry Reading

Ms. Shacora Lindsey

Solo

Ms. Rayshawn Glenn

Eulogy

Bishop Calvin Brown

The Recessional



*Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth,
give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.*

John 14:27