

IN LOVING MEMORY OF



Annie
RUTH SMITH

OUR GIFT: JUNE 28, 1944

HEAVEN'S GAIN: AUGUST 28, 2026

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2026
VISITATION 11:00AM SERVICE 12:00PM

MARLAN GARY FUNERAL HOME, THE CHAPEL OF PEACE NORTH
2500 CLEVELAND AVENUE, COLUMBUS, OHIO 43211

MINISTER ANTHONY D. MCSWAIN, OFFICIANT & EULOGIST

Pallbearers

Nilzarrel Townsend
Levander Rhodes
Larry Smith
Rickey Rhodes
Marsaan Banks
George Smith III

Granny

We're going to miss you every single day, But we're
going to be okay because you made sure of that.
Your Grandkids and Great-Grandkids

Acknowledgement

The family of Annie Ruth Smith would like to express their sincere gratitude to all
who offered prayers, support, and sympathy during their time of bereavement. May
God continue to bless each of you. A Special thanks to Dorothy Rhodes for the love
and care you provided during Peewee's time of need. Special thanks to the staff of
Marlan Gary Funeral Home, Chapel of Peace North.



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Her Life Reflections



Annie Peewee Smith, age 82, passed away on August 28th, 2026, in Columbus, Ohio. She was born June 28th, 1944, in Laurel, Mississippi, to the late Ed and Hattie Rhodes. Annie was the true heart and anchor of her family.

On September 21, 1963, Annie married her best friend, George W. Smith, and later moved to Columbus, Ohio. Annie and George built a foundation of straight, unconditional love and deep devotion that helped their family stay closely knit through every season of life.

Annie preceded in death her beloved husband, George W. Smith; her parents, Ed and Hattie Rhodes; her granddaughter, Markita Smith; and her brothers, Joe Rhodes, Marvin Rhodes, and Rudolph Rhodes. Sisters Eddie Mae Bender and Debbie Rhodes.

Annie leaves behind to cherish her memory: children, George (Renee) Smith, Willie (Brenda) Smith, Paula (Larry) Blount, and Latonia (Patrick) Yarbrough. Brothers: Eddie, Douglas, Cornell, and Clifton Rhodes. Sisters: Shelly Davis, Doris Rhodes Walker, Dorothy, Demmie, Linda Rhodes, and Alice Suber. Grandchildren: Nilzarrel (Alexis) Townsend, Rasheena Smith, Larry Smith, Tasheia (Issaka) Garba, Yakima Smith, Tonjameia Smith, Moneisha Smith, Marsaan (Iyonna) Banks, George (Sherry) Smith, Zayahna Smith, 27 great-grandchildren. A host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

On your Journey Home

Over the years when your body was ill, you went from doctor to doctor trying to find the right pill. Then one day the Lord whispered to you, Peace be still. And that was the day we released you to his care, So your assigned Angel could go prepare for your journey home. The lord stood at the gate, extended his hand and said to you: This is where I want you to be. You took his hand and you left it all You had a smile so big that you just could not hide. We watched as you took the Lord's hand we knew all along it was a part of Gods plan You said you were tired and needed to rest. We had no doubt we released you to the very best on Your Journey Home.

We will forever miss you. The McSwain family

Order Of Service

*Musical Prelude
Chapel of Peace Music Ministry*

*Scripture Reading
Old Testament Psalm 23; New Testament John 14:1-7
Minister Anthony D. McSwain*

*Prayer of Comfort
Minister Anthony D. McSwain*

*Musical Selection
"Don't Move My Mountain"
Inez Andrews*

Acknowledgments, Resolutions and Condolences

*Remarks
Family & Friends 2 Minutes*

*Musical Selection
Amazing Grace Ruben Studdard*

*Eulogy
Minister Anthony D. McSwain*

*Recessional
Clergy, Family and Friends*

Final Resting Place

*Glen Rest Memorial Estates
8029 E. Main St.
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