



PALLBEARERS

Jonathan Kinloch
Jones Kinloch, Jr.

Brandon Smalls
Robert Smalls, Jr.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Sandie Kinloch, Sr.
Jones Kinloch, Sr.
Kenneth Kinloch

Nathaniel Smalls
James Smalls, Sr.
Robert Lee Smalls

FLORAL BEARERS

Ushers of Charity AME Church

IN APPRECIATION

The family of the late
MISSIONARY MOTHER MARY SMALLS
would like to extend sincere appreciation
for the love and support during the passing of our loved one.
We have been most grateful for your prayers, presence
phone calls and visits. May God continue to bless and keep you.

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CELEBRATION OF
LIFE SERVICE FOR

MISSIONARY
MARY L.
Smalls

ALPHA: NOVEMBER 23, 1941
OMEGA: SEPTEMBER 17, 2025

Wednesday, September 24, 2025 | 11:00 A.M.
Charity African Methodist Episcopal Church
2093 Cainhoy Road | Huger, SC
Reverend Rosetta Gant-Swinton, Pastor
INTERMENT
Frost Cemetery
Frost Lane, Huger, SC



LIFE REFLECTION

Missionary Mary Smalls was born on November 23, 1941 in Huger, South Carolina, to the late Ed and Georgie Howard Kinloch. She was one of 12 children.

Mary was educated in the Berkeley County School System and graduated in the Class of 1960. At an early age, she accepted Jesus as her personal Savior and Lord.

Missionary Smalls moved to New York City as a young lady and began her ministry in helping others, as well as working as a Nurse's Aide for several years. Shortly thereafter, she was joined in Holy Matrimony to Evangelist William Smalls, Sr. From this union, three children were born: Deacon LaMark, Elder William Jr. and Sister Claretha Smalls.

After moving back to South Carolina, they both continued sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ. After her husband's transition, she never lost her faith but continued to evangelize in her church, nursing homes and her community. She worked as a private sitter for many years in the Mt. Pleasant area.

She was a member of Greater Highway Deliverance Temple Church in North Charleston, SC, where she was the Church Mother, a Sunday School Teacher and a Stewardess. She often worshipped with the members of Frost Community Prayer House. She was also a dedicated member of the Alpha and Omega Conference Prayer Line, where she began with 5:00 AM prayer, again at Noon, as well as some evenings and nights. She was a woman of devout prayer and caring for others. She traveled around various communities with home-prepared meals, words of encouragement and hope. She was an avid plant lover and could be seen in the yard taking care of her many plants. She enjoyed preparing wonderful meals for her family and shopping, especially for beautiful hats.

Her life was the "Portrait of an Evangelist". She shared her faith and love through service and dedication. She moved quietly but boldly as she shared the good news of Jesus Christ. She was never ashamed to witness wherever she went. She wanted everyone to know that Jesus saves.

On September 15th, as the evening came to an end, she said, **"Tell the sinner, 'Ye must be born again! Heaven or Hell, Ye must be born again! I tell others every day, Ye must be born again.'** This is my final word; my work is finished."

Missionary Mary Smalls departed this earthly life at Roper Hospital, Mt. Pleasant, SC on Wednesday, September 17, 2025. She was preceded in death by her husband, Evangelist William Smalls, Sr.; her daughter, Claretha Smalls; and siblings: Arthur Kinloch, Willie Lee Kinloch, Troy Kinloch, Willie Mae Kinloch and Robert Kinloch.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her two sons, Deacon LaMark and Elder William Smalls, Jr. both of Huger, SC; siblings, Edward Kinloch, Sandie Kinloch, Sr. (Frankie) and Jones Kinloch, Sr. all of Huger, SC, Marie Harries of New York, NY, Alice Kinloch and Carrie Kinloch both of Bronx, NY; sisters and brothers-in-law, Willie Mae Kinloch of Miami, FL, Nathaniel Smalls (Annette), James Smalls, Sr. (Yvonne), Robert Lee Smalls (Wilhelmina), Christine Lomax, Carrie Smalls and Albertha Smalls all of Huger, SC and Star Resse of Detroit, MI; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Reverend Beverlyn Baldwin, Presiding

Prelude	
Processional	Ministers and Family
Selection – "When the Saints Go Marching In"	Choir
Opening Prayer	Reverend Georgetta Ellington <i>Frost Community Prayer House Church</i>
Scripture Readings:	
Old Testament - Psalm 27	Dr. Evangelist Cathy Lawrence <i>Frost Community Prayer House Church</i>
New Testament - St. John 14:1-6	Reverend Lilla Bell Nick <i>Charity AMEC</i>
Solo	Elder Harriet Spann
Acknowledgments	LaShawn Turner (Niece)
Reflections	Minister Loretta McCant Pastor Elenora Reaves-Ferguson Co-Pastor Marie Ellington
Family Tribute	Dr. Ja'net Bishop-Nesbitt and Sheila Harris (Nieces)
Selection	Frost Community Prayer House Choir
Words of Comfort	Elder Dr. Wanda Page <i>Greater Highway Deliverance Temple Church</i>
Selection – "Won't It Be Grand"	Pastor Henry E. Dixon (Choir)
Committal	Elder Dr. Wanda Page
Benediction	
Parting View	
Recessional	

