



Miss Celeste B. Smith

July 19, 1928 - December 16, 2018

Miss. Celeste B. Smith, 90, of Albany died Sunday December 16, 2018 in Albany, GA.

Her memorial service will be held Wednesday 11:00AM at Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church. Rev. Robert Greene and Jennifer Sherling will be officiating. The family will receive friends following the service at the church.

Born in Washington, GA, Miss. Smith lived in Albany since 1958 where she retired from the Dougherty County School System. After retirement Miss. Smith taught at Westview Schools in Camilla, GA. She was a member of Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church where she served as a Sunday School Teacher and numerous committees. Miss. Smith was very active in Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority.

She was preceded in death by her parents Dr. C.L. Smith and Elizabeth Bounds; two brothers Clyde L. Smith Jr. and George R. Smith; two sisters Matha McCranie and Harriet Smith; a niece Elizabeth Delgenio.

Survivors include her special friend Marialice Tatom; nephews Charles Smith, Robert Smith and Robert McCranie; nieces Betty Woodruff, Crew Jones, Claudia Whipple and Nancy Higgins; sister in law Doris Smith.

In lieu of Flowers please make donations to Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church, 2200 Dawson Rd. Albany, GA 31707.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

Porterfield United Methodist Church
2200 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Miss Celeste B. Smith*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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“ *Miss Celeste B. Smith*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *My prayers and condolences to Ms Tatum and her nieces and nephews. I believe God needed another great Teacher. Miss Smith was one of my Teachers at Morningside in the 60's. I also remember so many times seeing her when we attended First Baptist Church when it was on Pine Ave. I have been very Blessed in my life for having Teachers like Miss Smith. Prayers for her family and friends.*

Bo Edwards

Bo Edwards - December 26, 2018 at 07:57 PM



“ *Bob and I are saddened to learn of Celeste's passing. She was a wonderful educator and a really good person. We send our condolences to Ms. Tatom and to her nephews and nieces. Joanne and Bob Smith*

Joanne Simmons Smith - December 17, 2018 at 06:25 PM

DC

If Miss Smith taught at Morningside Elementary when I was a student in the 60's., she was a great teacher! I'm sadden to hear of her death
Debbie Brantley Cook.

Debbie Cook - December 18, 2018 at 08:50 AM

JS

A great lady and teacher!

John Sikes - December 18, 2018 at 09:42 PM

KS

One of my favorite teachers at Albany High. I have thought of her often through the years.

Karen Ford Stephens - December 18, 2018 at 11:48 PM

PM

So sorry for her loss. Karen Ford Stephens, what Did she teach at Albany High?

Patty McLeod - December 19, 2018 at 01:36 AM

RH

Celeste was an outstanding teacher. I took a couple of her math classes when she was teaching for the University System at night. She was the best math teacher I ever had and was a wonderful friend. My father, Lamar Cross, knew her through Porterfield Church and was very complimentary of her and her work there. She will be missed.

Ruth Hayes - December 22 at 4:55 PM

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CF

Mary Alice, since moving away, I don;t always hear news from Albany until later. I am so sorry to hear about Celeste. Truly my love, thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.

Carleen Flowers - January 21, 2019 at 12:00 PM