



Mrs. Alberta Davis Smith Johnson

March 1, 1926 - December 27, 2017

Mrs. Alberta Davis Smith Johnson was born on March 1, 1926 in Lexington, Kentucky, the daughter of the late John H. Smith, Sr. and Amessa Davis Smith. She passed away on December 27, 2017 at the age of 91.

Affectionately known as “Aunt Bertie,” “Bert,” and “Mama Bert,” she accepted Christ at a very early age. Her parents, along with her grandmother Johanna Price Smith, who was one of the four founding members of First Baptist Bracktown, inspired in her the importance of a belief in God and to live a Christian life. She was a faithful member of First Baptist Church Bracktown where she served as a member of the culinary department and the beautifying committee.

Mrs. Johnson graduated from Old Dunbar High School. During the many years of her life, she worked for The Thoroughbred Club of America, Spendthrift Farm, and Boeing Aircraft in Wichita, Kansas. Her work ethic allowed her to continue working in the deli department and as a greeter at the Boston Road Kroger where she spent her last 22 years. One of her proudest accomplishments was owning a thoroughbred race horse named “Bert’s Best” who won a race during the fall meet of Keeneland Race Track in 1978.

Mrs. Johnson’s memory will be lovingly cherished by her daughter, Carolyn (Tom Preston) Embry; her son, Kevin Johnson; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; her brother, John H. Smith, Jr.; many nephews and nieces including special nephew Wayne Smith and special niece Sandra Smith; many cousins and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **30**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church, Bracktown
3016 Bracktown Rd
Lexington, KY 40511

Service

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