



## Ms. Minnie Pearl Smith

September 16, 1941 - March 27, 2023

Minnie Pearl Smith was born September 16, 1941, to the late Fred Green and Ella Mae

Sharpton, in Greenville, Alabama. She was lovingly raised by Walter Sharpton. She passed

away on Monday, March 27, 2023 in Lexington, Kentucky.

She was educated through the Tremble County Public School System in Warren, Ohio

and graduated from Lakeview High School.

Minnie Pearl was employed for 30+ years at Big Blue Bird and for 20+ years at Dillon Tax Service. She loved to cook. She was a collector of QVC gadgets. If it was a new cookbook, she would collect it.

Baptized at Friendship Baptist Church, she later became a member of St. John Baptist Church. Once she moved her membership to Historic Pleasant Green Missionary Baptist Church, she was a faithful member for as long as her health would allow. She cooked for Children's Church on Thursdays and was Chair of the Culinary Committee for the annual Women's Day.

She was preceded in death by a nephew, Lutalo Green; her Golden Girls - Hazel Haskins, Peggy Gooche and Sue Waldrop; and another special friend, Marilyn Maxine Mason.

She is survived by her two children, Kendra Taylor and Charles Anthony (Priscilla) Hughes; nine grandchildren, Ebony R. Hughes, Essence D. Taylor, Johnathon A. Taylor Sr.,

J'Nathan Jenkins, Aurelia Emerson, Antonia McMullen, Michael (Tamesha) Washington, Charla Hughes and Maurice ( Jessica) Hughes; 15 greatgrandchildren, Zaria Hughes, Johnathon Taylor, Jr., Secret Taylor, Layla Richard, Darrion Hughes, Bostyn Hughes, Brave Hughes, Alijahn McMullen, Anila McMullen, Amilliyon McMullen, Jonah Carr, Michael James Washington and Baby Washington, Antonia McMullen and Cyprian Uzokwe; a brother, Calvin (Laura) Green; a sister Mary Barnes; bonus grandchildren, Gwendolyn (Kenneth) James and Robert Embry; bonus great-grandchildren, Kenson James and Zy'leah Madison; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends, including her "special friend" and caregiver, Keionte Cooper.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR 31 (ET)

FaithPointe  
549 Parkside Drive  
Lexington, KY 40511

*Burial at Meadowbrook Memorial Park in Warren, Ohio.*