



Mrs. Jean Pepper Smith

January 13, 1928 - June 23, 2012

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New Ellenton, SC—Memorial Services for Mrs. Jean Pepper Smith, 84, of George Avenue, New Ellenton, SC, who entered into rest June 23, 2012, will be conducted Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock from the St. Paul United Methodist Church. Rev. Tresco E. Shannon and Rev. Brian Gilmer officiating. Interment in St. Paul Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith born on January 13, 1928 in Easley, South Carolina, to the late Enoch Sherriff and Laura Parrish Pepper. She was married to the late Harry Smith for 48 years and had made New Ellenton her home for the past 60 years. A former member of the Springs Methodist Church, Mrs. Smith was an active Charter Member of the St. Paul United Methodist Church where she had served as the Chairwoman of the Worship Committee, a Sunday School Teacher, the Church Music Program and Church Pianist and in 2010 received the Church Woman of the Year recognition. She was a 1949 graduate of Winthrop College, a Licensed Bachelor of Social Work, a Prison Instructor at the Aiken County Detention Center and a Substitute Teacher with the New Ellenton Schools. Mrs. Smith was preceded in death by a great grandson, Silas Young and her brother, Horace C. Pepper.

Survivors include three sons and daughters-in-law, Hal & Lori Smith,

Englewood, Fl, Dr. Gratin and Adelaide Smith, Greenwood, SC, and Don and Joyce Smith Gastonia, NC; thirteen grandchildren, Parrish Smith, Grace Eaton, Caleb Smith, Sallie Chapman, Bailey Smith, Courtney Smith, Carley Smith, Todd Young, Laura Mabrey, Julie Smith, Seth Smith, Pepper Jean Smith and Sage Smith; five great grandchildren, Savannah Young, Jasmine Young, Matthew Young, Atticus Eaton and Alex Chapman; a sister, Polly P. Martin, Easley, SC; special friend, Janie Owen, New Ellenton.

Honorary Pallbearers will be members of the Choir.

The family will receive friends at the graveside following the services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the St. Paul United Methodist Church Worship Committee, 600 Main Street, SW, New Ellenton, SC 29809.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803-278-1181). Visit the registry online at www.poseyfuneraldirectors.com

Cemetery Details

St. Paul United Methodist Church Cemetery

600 Main Street
New Ellenton, SC 29809

Previous Events

Service

JUN 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul United Methodist Church
600 Main Street S.W.
New Ellenton, SC

Visitation

JUN 27.

Graveside, Following The Service

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Jean Pepper Smith*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Jean Pepper Smith*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *Alf informed me that Jean had passed. She had to go to heaven before you guys to get it ready for you. I hope she was at peace and comfortable.*

I am praying for you.

Cliff Collie

Cliff Collie - July 02, 2012 at 05:15 PM



“ *Dear Hal, Gratin and Don,
So sorry to hear about your Mom.
I have great memories of Cub Scout Meetings with Den Mothers Jean and Mom and happy times at the lake.
You and your families are in our prays.*

Richard Shaw

Richard Shaw - June 29, 2012 at 09:32 AM

DP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time .
From Parker Family*

Drucilla Parker - June 28, 2012 at 03:22 PM

SB

“ *May God Bless the family during this time of loss.*

Skipper & Carmen Brotherton - June 27, 2012 at 10:28 AM

KC

“ *Hal, Gratin, and Don,
I am so sorry you have lost your Mother. Heaven has gained a
sweet angel and I know your Dad was running to the gate to meet
her! You are all in my thoughts and prayers.
Kathi Brown Chastain*

Kathi Brown Chastain - June 27, 2012 at 10:24 AM

PB

“ *Dear Smith Family,
Your Mom was a beautiful lady with an overwhelming sweetness.
She will truly be missed by all who knew her. I always felt like part of
your extended family by working at Dr. Eaves office. Your Mom &
Dad were so generous to so many. I pray that God will give you a
peace that passes all understanding. May He give you wonderful
memories to draw on during this time of your precious loved ones
homegoing. Heaven has truly gained a lovely jewel.
Love & Blessings to each of you,
Patsy Bledsoe Bunton*

Patricia Bledsoe Bunton - June 27, 2012 at 07:32 AM

DM

“ To the Smith Family,

We are so sorry for your loss, Our prayers are with each of you and your families.

Sincerely,

Donna and John Miller

Donna and John miller - June 26, 2012 at 04:51 PM

SE

“ Hal, Gratin, and Don,

I'm sorry to hear about your Mom. She was an incredible woman who impacted my life in more ways that I can list. I would add "ditto" to all the things that Beryl said. In addition, what comes to mind were her infectious laugh and sense of humor, her ability to laugh at herself, the way she loved your Dad, AND how much she loved her sons. I wish I was within driving distance to be at her service. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Susan Edgar

Susan Edgar - June 26, 2012 at 02:07 PM

MT

“ Hal, Gratin, and Don,

So sorry to hear about your Mom. She was an amazing person and made St. Paul UMC a wonderful church to attend.

She and Mrs. Jane Morris were such great neighbors to my Mother and I when we moved from the parsonage to George Avenue. I remember taking many walks with them at the track by the baseball fields. They also helped me have peace of mind once I started college, knowing they were watching out for Mama as long as she lived there.

She will truly be missed.

Mary Jane Thomson

Mary Jane Thomson - June 26, 2012 at 12:11 PM

BA

“ Hal, Gratin, and Don,

I am so very sorry about your Mom. I have so many wonderful memories of her and your Dad. My time working at Smith Drugs was a great time in my life. I also remember the days at St. Paul Methodist where your Dad was my Sunday School teacher, and your Mom was involved in so many youth activities. I wish I could find the words to truly tell you how I feel. Please remember you are all in my prayers.

With love, Beryl

Beryl Arbaugh - June 25, 2012 at 06:25 PM