

*No Time For
Sad Remembrances*

*There's no time for sad remembrances
Because I am home where I belong
I've conquered all my battles,
I've even heard the trumpet's song.
I've climbed my highest mountain
And I've reached an even peak,
And I've found that peace and true reward
That you have yet to seek.
There's no time for sad remembrances
For you have a precious life;
So find comfort in my journey
Please don't bear this pain and strife.
Oh! My Father's house is perfect
Just like He said it would be,
So dry your tears
Because I'm home and now I'm free.
I am part of all the beauty
That your world has yet to see;
So don't be sad about my journey,
Just be glad that I am free!*



Interment

*Mt. Pisgah Church Cemetery
Committal Service, Prayer and Benediction*

Repast

Mt. Pisgah Church Fellowship Hall



Pall Bearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgements

*For each act of kindness and each heartfelt sincere prayer; for each lovely flower; a memorable message and handshake of understanding worth; for each card, call, gift and thought that has helped make our burden light, we thank you and pray that God may ever richly bless and keep each of you. A special thank you to Albert and Lugenia Smoak for all they have done.
The Family*

Arrangements Entrusted to:

Simmons Funeral Home & Crematory of Orangeburg
Simmons Funeral Home of Santee
Paul A. Simmons, Founder and President
2868 Columbia Road, Orangeburg, SC 29118
803-534-2646



8824 Old #6 Highway, Santee, SC 29142
(803) 854-2044
www.simmmonsfuneralhome.com



*Home Going Celebration for
Mrs. Anna Doris Smoak*

Sunrise May 1, 1938

Sunset July 21, 2019



Saturday, July 27, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.
Mt. Pisgah A.M.E Church
4859 Old State Road
St. Matthews, South Carolina 29135
Rev. David Owens, Jr., Pastor



Order of Service

PreludeDeacon John Williams, Organist

Processional/Final Viewing Family and Friends

SoloMrs. Flora Owens

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Readings Reverend Claude Collins
New Testament - John 14:1-3

Selection “I’ll Fly Away” Deacon John Williams

Reflections

Delta Sigma ThetaMrs. LaFragia Jackson
Mr. Ralph Owens

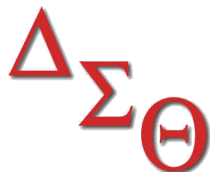
Family Mrs. Brenda Collins

Selection “Lord I Want You to Help Me”

Words of Comfort Pastor Corinthea Stack

Selection “It is Well With My Soul”

Recessional



Reflection of Life

“In the arms of an angel, fly away from here”

Mrs. Anna Doris Smoak, affectionately known as “Doris”, was born May 1, 1938 in Bennettsville, South Carolina to the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ware.

At an early age Doris accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior at Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church in Bennettsville. She was educated in Marlboro County Schools and Laurinburg Industrial Institute. She went on to receive her Bachelor of Science Degree at Fayetteville State and her Masters Degree in Elementary Education from The Citadel in Charleston, South Carolina. She was a special education teacher for over 30 years.

Doris was a devoted wife to the late Henry Bernard Smoak and to this union, they had two children: Sharon and the late Henri Bernard Smoak. After marriage, she joined Mount Pisgah AME Church, where she was a member of the senior choir and served on the usher board.

Doris always enjoyed decorating the church for various functions. She was a lifetime member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. Her favorite pastimes were shopping, planting flowers, listening to music and collecting recipes.

She leaves to cherish her fond memories, her devoted daughter, Sharon (Robert) Smoak Thompson; stepdaughter, Antonette Hyman; daughter-in-law, Wanda Glover Smoak; three sisters: Georgia Ware, LaFragia Jackson and Jacqueline Ware; three granddaughters: Tate’Anna Thompson, Andraya Smoak and Alexandria Smoak; two nephews: Charles Douglas and Timothy Douglas; three grandnieces/nephew: LaTia, Timothy Jr. and Jakia; and a host of family, friends, and special friend of the family Rene’ Whittaker.