



## Thelma Smothers

June 9, 1931 - July 18, 2010

THELMA SMOTHERS, daughter of the late Minor and Georgia Henderson, was born June 9, 1931 in Oxford, North Carolina. She departed this life on July 18, 2010 after a short illness.

She received her education in Oxford, North Carolina Public Schools. Then she moved to Baltimore, Maryland where she met and married the late Shiek Leon Robert Smothers-Bey. They were married for forty years, and out of this union ten children were born.

Thelma made numerous friends wherever she went and will be sincerely missed. She even took care of others when they needed. She loved dancing, singing, and reading the word of God. She was a sweet and lovable person. She leaves to mourn: five daughters, Priscilla, Victoria, Jamila, Tynnetta and Nefertiti Smothers; five sons, Elijah, Jaha, Kenyetta, Sonnie and Rahman Smothers; four sisters, Geneva Holmes, Shirley McRae, Viola Pressey and Carrie Jones; brother, Junious Henderson (two sisters preceded her in death, Mannie McFadden and Madeline Sparks, and one brother preceded her in death, Willie Henderson Jr.); two sisters-in-law, Emma Henderson and Mary N. Henderson; two daughters-in-law, Valerie Smothers and Loretta Smothers; twenty grandchildren, thirty-seven great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, a host of other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Cemetery

2130 Woodlawn Drive  
Baltimore, MD 21207

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 22. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore  
1101 East North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
(410) 727-3300  
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## Service

JUL 23. 9:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Smothers*

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October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - July 20, 2010 at 02:14 PM