



Udella Smith

June 30, 1924 - April 8, 2018

UDELLA SMITH, daughter of the late Lemon and Lula Payne, was born on June 30, 1924 in Baltimore, Maryland. She departed this life quietly on Sunday, April 8, 2018. she was the last of nine children. The following siblings preceded her in death; Gladys, Bernice, Ethel (Bess), Leon, Theo, Inez, Herman, and brother.

Udella received her education in the Baltimore City Public Schools. Upon completion of her education she became employed at Lutheran Hospital and Maryland General Hospital, working in the Nurses Quarters. She was a member of Wayland Baptist Church and City Temple Baptist Church.

Udella was married to the late Julius W. Smith jr., and out of this union four children were born, Julius Jr. (Ju-Ju), Sheila, Constance (Connie), and Brian.

Udella was known as the “Queen of the Starlight Mints”, she ate those mints all the time. On Sunday and other special occasions, Udella loved spending time with Lew, Gladys, and Chris. She also loved to entertain and dance with family and friends at her home. Udella had many nicknames but to her family she was known as “UDIE”.

She leaves to mourn: one son, Brian Smith (son Julius Smith Jr. preceded her in death); two daughters, Shelia Dent and Constance Smith (Connie); eight

grandchildren, Shelly, Deneen, Lori, Harold (Joey), Delrene, Duane (Nick), Dajuan, Donnell (grandson Tony preceded her in death); niece, Gladys Smith; nephew, Lew Payne; devoted great niece, Dierdre Coleman; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Private

Baltimore, MD

Previous Events

viewing

APR 16. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

APR 17. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Udella Smith*

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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