



Melgie C. Smith "Polly"

OCT 8, 1939 - SEP 13, 2021



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Melgie C. Smith, "Polly" 81, of Chattanooga, passed away Monday, September 13, 2021. Pastor Anthony E. Ray will serve as the eulogist.



Events

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Lie-In-State

Saturday, September 18, 2021

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM ET

Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc
3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411



Service

Sunday, September 19, 2021

3:00 PM ET

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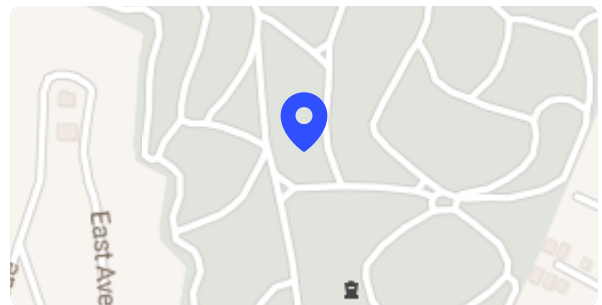


Burial

Monday, September 20, 2021

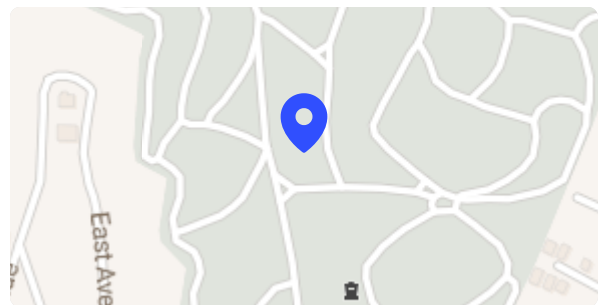
10:00 AM ET

Forest Hills Cemetery
4016 Tennessee Avenue , Chattanooga TN 37409



Cemetery Details

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Henrietta Erskine posted:

Ms. Melgie never met a stranger. Everytime I saw her from many years ago, she was always encouraging. I pray that 🙏🙏🙏 God will grant the entire family and many friends peace that surpasses all understanding ; as we celebrate her life. Elder Henrietta Erskine,Olivet Baptist Church
💜💛.

September 23 at 8:02 PM



Denise H. Wilkerson lit a candle in honor of Melgie.



September 23 at 10:12 AM



Julie Chambers posted:

Melgie was one of the most genuine souls you would have ever known. Met her when I was 16 years old working at the Red Food Store, she took all of us under her wing as her children, or her posse as she called us. She will be missed beyond words. She was dearly loved.

September 19 at 12:00 PM



Brian Benefield September 24 at 6:46 AM

So sorry to hear of your passing.You were such an encouragement to all who met you. Will miss you dear friend.



Marian & Rick lit a candle in honor of Melgie.



September 19 at 5:35 AM



The Clay Family September 19 at 5:39 AM

She was a very Special Person to our family.



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Page Family lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

September 19 at 5:24 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Smith "Polly" family.

September 18 at 5:56 PM



James&Edie Starkey lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

September 18 at 12:05 PM



Elaine Hill lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

September 18 at 10:32 AM



EH Elaine Hill September 18 at 10:33 AM
Melgie was the best employee Red Food Store/BiLo/Food City had. Her memory will be forever!



Alfreda Fletcher lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

September 18 at 9:16 AM





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Maeola Shropshire lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

I will miss Sister Melgie, she was a very kind and loving lady. I am so grateful to have known such a talented person. She was the writer and director of the play , Step Back Alabama. Gone from this earth, but never from my heart. The Shropshire and Bell Family. We love you Sister Melgie.



September 18 at 9:01 AM



Stephanie Hammonds posted:

To the family and close friends of Ms Melgie I pray our Lord and Savior one day give you peace that only He can give. I met a wonderful lady in BILO many years ago, who treated me like a long lost daughter every time I came in. Like she was a part of my family she'd ask after them. She was the highlight of my early morning trip there. I will miss searching you out, your laughter and the funny things you'd say. Rest and laugh in glory sweetness.

September 18 at 5:16 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Smith "Polly" family.



September 17 at 6:02 PM



Renee Sharp lit a candle in honor of Melgie.



September 17 at 3:13 PM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Smith "Polly" family.



September 17 at 12:18 PM



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SH

Sherry posted:

We will Miss Sister Melgie warm personality and Beautiful Spirit at Greater Second. She was Always willing to Minister in any way she could at church and beyond the church doors. God Bless Lana and Family. Sherry B

September 17 at 11:45 AM

RW

Robertta Williams lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

Mrs. Melgie was like a mom to me. She help me get my first job at Red Food Store. She open her home for me to stay in. She was always there when I needed her. I appreciate everything she done for me. I thank Lana for allowing me to share her mom with me. Love Robertta



September 17 at 7:43 AM

DM

Deangelo Montgomery posted:

I will miss you Ms. Melgie 😭

September 17 at 7:15 AM

MT

Marva Taylor lit a candle in honor of Melgie.



September 17 at 6:45 AM

MJ

Myragale Jordan lit a candle in honor of Melgie.



September 16 at 3:35 PM



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Robbie Bailey posted:

Mrs. Melgie, thank you for your warmth and love when er joined Greater Second. Youversion made us feel welcome from the very beginning;). We will never forget your gift of putting together "Skits" or our annual visits from The Greater Second Missionary Baptist Church version of the "Temptations" to highlight our days. We love you and you will forever be in our hearts.You will be missed....Robbie, Darnita, Shai and Elani Bailey & Dyer FamilyPatricia and Robert Bailey Family

September 16 at 5:19 AM



Jacqueline Jones Miller posted:

Jacqueline Jones-Miller

September 15 at 6:08 PM



Wendy King posted:

Mrs. Melgie C. Smith, you will be truly missed I met Mrs Smith at Bilo! She was a wonderful person, always made me laugh I enjoyed knowing her. I send my condolences to her family, spread your wings and fly with the other angels!

September 15 at 2:26 PM



Anonymous sent a Large Basket Garden to the Smith "Polly" family.



September 15 at 10:17 AM



Catherine Hodges lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

Sending my condolences to the family of Melgie she will truly be missed we talked regular. I will miss her phone calls and her encouraging words and always asking about my children.🙏 May God Bless you and keep you.



September 15 at 9:35 AM



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LP

Lloyd P posted:

My neighbor you will be miss RIP.

September 15 at 6:06 AM

DC

Daryl L. Clark li posted:

My sincere condolences to the family of this wonderful woman. I met her years ago when I visited Greater Second Church. We were reacquainted at the Bi-Lo of Lee Hwy. She would always yell out, "Hello Bro Clark" (smile). I didn't care how many people was in line, I'd wait just to go through her line and we would talk and laugh. She was always so kind to my me and my mother I looked forward to seeing her weekly. I will miss her kind words, her smile and jazzy attitude. Rest well sweet woman of God!

September 15 at 4:49 AM

RW

Robertta Williams lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

MAY GOD COMFORT AND GIVE LANA AND FAMILY PEACE. MRS.MELGIE WILL TRULY BE MISSED. SHE ALWAYS DID THINGS FOR OTHERS UNSELFISHLY WANTED TO BRING OUT THE BEST IN A PERSON.THANKS FOR SHARING HER WITH ME. LOVE ROBERTTA

September 14 at 8:48 AM



KS

Kenya "Buffy" Singleton lit a candle in honor of Melgie.

I send my sincere condolences to Lana and the family. Melgie will always hold a very special place in my heart. She was a special gem that God gave to the world, and she used her time giving unselfishly to others. Rest peacefully my dear, until we meet again.

September 14 at 6:47 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Melgie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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