



Arnelia Smith

November 21, 1958 - March 27, 2026

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EJ

“ *My deepest condolences to the family.
Heaven has gained another angel .*



Eunice Jameison - April 13 at 02:08 AM

JL

“Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord...
Revelation 14:13



WHEREAS, the officers and members of New Town Missionary Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Arkansas, offer our deepest condolences and heartfelt gratitude as we bid a Christian farewell to Sister Arnelia Williams Smith, the beloved wife of our cherished brother, Rev. Jerry Smith.

WHEREAS, Rev. Jerry Smith, born and raised in this congregation and a resident of Atlanta for over 30 years, together with Sister Arnelia Smith, built a life of faith and service, having met at the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff. Through their union, Sister Smith became an inspiration to many and a pillar of strength in both her family and the church community.

WHEREAS, Sister Arnelia Smith's life radiated the love and compassion of Christ. Her acts of kindness, steadfast faith, and humble service touched countless lives and reflected the teachings of Scripture. She uplifted others with her grace, prayerfulness, and unwavering devotion to her loved ones and her church..

BE IT RESOLVED that we honor the memory and lasting legacy of Sister Arnelia Williams Smith. May her life continue to inspire us to live faithfully, serve generously, and walk in the love of Christ she so beautifully embodied.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that her memory be honored through our ongoing efforts to live out the Christian values she so beautifully exemplified, striving always to emulate her remarkable faith and commitment.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rev. Theophilus Smith, Sr., Pastor
Officers and Members of New Town Missionary Baptist Church*

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JL - April 09 at 05:16 PM

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“ *Denise Butler lit a candle in memory of Arnelia Smith*



Denise Butler - April 04 at 04:43 PM

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“ *Heartfelt condolences to Jerry and the Smith family. When I think of Arnelia, I think of a gentile spirit, full of wisdom and love. Her love for God was obvious in the way she carried herself. Her love for others was evident by her willingness to serve. The lessons she taught and the kindness she shared will certainly remain. Thank you, Smith Family, for sharing Arnelia with us.*

Denise & Tiffany Butler

Denise Butler - April 04 at 04:43 PM

RM

“ *My deepest condolences to Jerry, the children and grandkids. My heart was saddened to learn of Arnelia's passing. I will always remember her femininity, kindness and infectious smile. May the peace of God keep you during this difficult time. Rebecca*

Rebecca McClain - April 04 at 04:16 AM