



Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith

July 17, 1962 - August 22, 2021

Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw Smith, 59 years old, of Magnolia, Ark. passed away Sunday, August 22, 2021, at her home with her husband Lee Otis by her side.

Rose Mary was born July 17, 1962, to Mr. Jessie Lee McGraw Sr. and Mrs. Pinkie Maxine Cooper McGraw in Magnolia, Ark.

She was raised and taught to believe in and trust God. As a small child she became a member of Jones Chapel B. C. attending Sunday School, BTU, vacation Bible School, singing in the Choir, and she ushered. In 2010 she became a member of Spiritled Church, where she remained a member until her transition.

Rose Mary married Mr. Lee Otis Smith January 6, 1985, together they had 4 children: LaTonya, Desmond, Eric, and Joshua.

Mrs. Smith was preceded in transition by her parents, her daughter (LaTonya); 1 sister (Alicia Grissom); 3 brothers (Clifton Ray McGraw, Richard Charles McGraw, and Elroy McGraw).

Rose Mary (“Ro”, “Big Mama”) will live on forever in the hearts and minds of her family and friends: her husband, Lee Otis Smith of Magnolia, Ark.; 6 sons: Desmond Smith of Magnolia, Ark., Eric Smith of Little Rock, Ark., Joshua

Smith, Douglas Smith and DeWayne Smith all of Magnolia Ark., Kendrick(Keisha) Smith of Waldo Ark.; 6 daughters: Dena(Willie) Baker, Natalie Smith, Rose Marie (Lincoln) James, Pearl Smith, all of Magnolia, Ark., Laverne (Dexter) Beasley of Waldo, Ark., and Victoria Smith of Monroe La.; 4 brothers: Jessie McGraw Jr. of Texarkana, Ark., Scottie (Josie) McGraw of Hampton, Ark., Melvin (Beverly) McGraw of Magnolia, Ark., and Mark (Alisa) McGraw of Hot Springs, Ark.; 3 sisters: Virgie (Walter) Morris, Angeleita McGraw both of Magnolia, Ark., and Sandra (Larry) Randall of Camden, Ark.; 1 aunt: Mary McGraw of Magnolia, Ark.; 2 uncles: Clifton Cooper and Melvin Cooper both of Magnolia, Ark.; cousin/sister Deborah Finley Easter of Magnolia, Ark.; 15 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, Aug. 28th, at 2:00 p.m. at the 23rd Psalms Cemetery in Magnolia, under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home, LLC of Magnolia, AR. Rev. Roderick Totter, eulogist.

Visitation will be Friday evening, Aug. 27th, from 2:30-4:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, "Everyone Is Required to Wear A Mask While Attending the Services and During Visitation Hours". This ensures safety for you and others. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Cemetery Details

23rd Psalms Cemetery

Columbia Rd # 30 East
Magnolia, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

R.L. Reed Funeral Home
100 Hwy 79 North
Magnolia, AR 71753
(870) 901-3536

Celebration of Life

AUG 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

23rd Psalms Cemetery
Columbia Rd # 30 East
Magnolia, AR

Tribute Wall

PR

“ *Peggy Rudd And Roy Rudd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Peggy Rudd and Roy Rudd - August 31, 2021 at 08:23 AM

JC

“ *R.L.P sending prayers for the family*



Janice Crain - August 30, 2021 at 08:06 AM

MM

“ *Margie Warren Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Margie Warren Moore - August 30, 2021 at 01:55 AM

CP

“ *Carolyn Parhm lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Carolyn parhm - August 28, 2021 at 06:19 PM

CP

“ Will miss u my friend... We had some good times laughing, giggling, and talking to each other...My BFF even though we lost touch but thought about you often. I did get a chance to know your daughter and your baby boy Josh and to meet your husband... My Friend always...Love Carolyn

Carolyne parhm - August 28, 2021 at 06:16 PM

MS

“ Praying for the family
Rosemary will be missed and remembered
our growing up days on Boundary Street Rip
❤️



Mary Strickland - August 28, 2021 at 04:13 PM

CW

“ My sincere prayers and condolences for the family.



Carla Williamson - August 27, 2021 at 02:23 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith.



August 26, 2021 at 08:56 PM

AS

“ *Alfredia Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Alfredia Smith - August 26, 2021 at 04:39 PM

PR

“ *Peggy Rudd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Peggy Rudd - August 26, 2021 at 03:59 PM

SE

“ *So sorry for your loss, sending prayers for comfort and peace to all the family. God bless you all*



Shelly Freeman Easter - August 25, 2021 at 11:00 PM

VJ

“ *Vevelyn Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Vevelyn Jackson - August 25, 2021 at 08:42 PM

MC

“ *Michael Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Michael Clayton - August 25, 2021 at 04:55 PM

 Sally Jones

“ *Sally Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Sally Jones - August 25, 2021 at 06:13 AM



“ *Pamela Shaw lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Pamela Shaw - August 25, 2021 at 03:37 AM

MR

“ *Maranda Ross lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



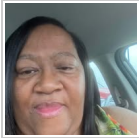
Maranda Ross - August 25, 2021 at 12:40 AM

Joe McIntyre

“ Joe McIntyre lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Joe McIntyre - August 24, 2021 at 08:32 PM



“ Jennifer Peyton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Jennifer Peyton - August 24, 2021 at 08:21 PM

MM

“ Melvin McGraw sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Melvin McGraw - August 24, 2021 at 07:16 PM

MM

“ God's children always has to go Home someday... We loved you but God loves you more..... rest my beautiful sister. . till we meet again on the other side.... truly missed by all you touched....

Melvin McGraw - August 24, 2021 at 07:14 PM

JE

“ Jackie Easter lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Jackie Easter - August 24, 2021 at 05:22 PM

MA

“ Our heart felt sympathy and prayers for Mr. Leotis and the entire
family .
May you feel God's loving presence and comfort right now and in
the days ahead .
Thank you for allowing us to serve Mrs. Rose and the family.
We are still here for you.

Sincerely,
Mary Ainsworth / Chaplain
Encompass Health - Hospice

mary ainsworth - August 24, 2021 at 04:59 PM

ET

“ Praying for strength and guidance for the
family



Eloise Tyson - August 24, 2021 at 03:50 PM

GM

“ Our love, thoughts, prayers, and condolences are extended to the family of Sis. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith during this difficult time. May you find solace and peace in God's Word where He tells us that "blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted" (Matthew 5:4).



Love, prayers, and sympathy,

*Spirit Led Apostolic Church Family
Apostle G. O. Maxwell, Pastor
Rochelle Maxwell, Elect Lady*

G. O. Maxwell - August 24, 2021 at 03:29 PM

BM

“ Beverly McGraw sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Beverly McGraw - August 24, 2021 at 03:23 PM

TS

“ Terry Scott-Hill lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



Terry Scott-Hill - August 24, 2021 at 02:18 PM

TS

Prayers and Condolences to the McGraw and Smith Families. May God give you Comfort during this time of Bereavement.

Terry Scott-Hill

Terry Scott-Hill - August 24, 2021 at 02:20 PM

GT

“ *My heartfelt condolences the family! May God give you all strength to further days ahead!!* 🙏🙏



Gladys Talley - August 24, 2021 at 02:13 PM

GT

“ *Gladys Talley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Gladys Talley - August 24, 2021 at 02:10 PM

LI

“ *Lisa sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Lisa - August 24, 2021 at 01:59 PM

KG

“ Kelly Gentry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



kelly Gentry - August 24, 2021 at 12:50 PM

MS

“ Maurice Strong sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



maurice strong - August 24, 2021 at 11:57 AM



“ Ms. Rosemary YOU WILL TRULY BE MISSED. Your baby Moe says she LOVES HER RO RO. She will FOREVER LOVE AND REMEMBER YOU AS HER GRANDMA WELL HER RO RO.



Niya Brown - August 24, 2021 at 11:43 AM

DH

“ DEBRA HENDRICKS lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith



DEBRA HENDRICKS - August 24, 2021 at 10:37 AM

MM

“ *Mark McGraw sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Mark McGraw - August 23, 2021 at 08:25 AM

MM

“ *R.I.P ROSEMARY YOUR MISSED ALREADY R.I.L TILL WE MEET AGAIN LOVE YOUR BABY BROTHER MARK*

Mark McGraw - August 23, 2021 at 08:23 AM

GJ

“ *George Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



George Jenkins - August 23, 2021 at 03:48 AM

 Jennifer White

“ *Jennifer White lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Jennifer White - August 22, 2021 at 08:22 PM

MP

“ *Mary S. Pickings lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rose Mary McGraw-Smith*



Mary S. Pickings - August 22, 2021 at 06:14 PM