



Cora Smith

January 14, 1928 - July 21, 2018

Obituary

Cora L. Smith departed this life on July 21, 2018 at the Swope Ridge Nursing Home in Kansas City, Missouri.

Cora was born on January 14, 1928 in Gadsden, Alabama to Edwin Starr and Minnie Dudley Starr.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Douglass Smith, two daughters, Infant Betty Jean Smith and Debbie Smith, mother and father, Minnie and Edwin Starr, two brothers, Matthew Starr and James E. Starr, and a sister, Elizabeth Easley.

Cora grew up in Gadsden, Alabama and resided in Kansas City, Missouri. She went to the 12th grade but didn't graduate from high school. She began working as a Housewife and took great care of her family, which was one of her greatest accomplishments.

Cora married Douglas B. Smith in 1950 in Kansas City, Missouri and they were happily married for thirty-five years. Cora was a member of Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ. She was involved in many activities at church. Cora enjoyed Christian music, gameshows, and Detective Shows.

Cora L. Smith leaves to cherish her memories, a daughter, Diane L. Smith Lacy and son-in-law, Michael Lacy; three sisters: Charlcy L. Jones, Minnie Gentle, and Virginia Easley; a brother, George Starr; grandchildren, Lamar D. Smith and Michelle C.L. Smith; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Funeral Service for Mrs.Cora Smith will be held Saturday, August 4, 12:00 p.m. at the Lawrence A. Jones and Sons Funeral Chapel.

Visitation will be from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at the Chapel.

Interment, Monday, August 6, 1:00 p.m. Leavenworth National Cemetery.

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“ *"Jehovah* God is my Shepherd; So why should I fear or fret? For He Who cares for His sheep so much will none of His own forget. By quiet waters He leads me, my soul does restore and bless. He guides my steps for His Own Name's sake in pathways of righteousness."*Psalm 23; Psalm 28:9;Psalm 83:18*

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