



## Evelyn C. Smith

July 4, 1934 - May 18, 2016

Evelyn Carroll (Niemann) Smith swung open the pearly gates and ran into the arms of Jesus on May 18, 2016, at age 81. She was born July 4, 1934 to Erhart Charles Niemann and Sabra Estes Niemann in Lexington, KY.

She was an adored wife, mother and friend to all who knew her. Evelyn was raised in London, KY, where she married her husband of 49 years, Glenn Austin Smith. They moved to Texas, raised their family of four in Austin, then returned to Frankfort, KY before returning to Clear Lake. She was a former member of University Baptist Church and was involved in the Clear Lake Christian Women's Club. While living in Kentucky, she was a member of Graefenburg Baptist Church.

Evelyn loved the Lord Jesus, she loved life, she loved music, she loved bright colors, she was known for being a snappy dresser, and she loved people. Those who were around her were made to feel like family, not just friends. She was a gracious and giving lady.

Evelyn was preceded in death by her parents and her husband Glenn.

She is survived by four children: son Mark Smith and wife D'Ann of Kansas City, MO; son Ron Smith of Lexington, KY; daughter Denise Smith Wright and husband Bobby of Friendswood, TX; and daughter Deborah Smith Wingate

and husband Tommy of Frankfort, KY. She also was blessed with fourteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

Services will be 1:00 p.m., Monday, at LeCompte Johnson Taylor Funeral Home. Visitation will be 12 noon until the time of service. Interment will be at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Alzheimer's Association, Houston and Southeast Texas Chapter, 6055 South Loop East, Houston, TX 77087-1005.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road  
Frankfort, KY 40601

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 23. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

LeCompte-Johnson-Taylor Funeral Home  
1725 Louisville Rd.  
Frankfort, KY 40601  
(502) 223-5858  
[ljtfuneralhome@gmail.com](mailto:ljtfuneralhome@gmail.com)  
<https://ljtfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Services

MAY 23. 1:00 PM (ET)

LeCompte-Johnson-Taylor Funeral Home  
1725 Louisville Rd.  
Frankfort, KY 40601  
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# Tribute Wall

JS

“ Mark we are sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. You, D'Ann, and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

*John and Carol Staudacher*

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**John Staudacher** - May 23, 2016 at 02:49 PM

TM

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I only met Evelyn twice, but knew her well through my Mom (Jeanne Webb Niemann), who definitely loves her. I spent my brief time with Evelyn when she and Glenn were in Camdenton, Mo., for her brother's big birthday. My sisters and I all agreed that after spending that time with them, we felt like old friends. They were both so giving and easy to be with. Evelyn was so excited, having so much fun. She was funny, happy, and so very loving to everyone. That's how I will always remember her. And I know today that she is that same Evelyn joyfully celebrating in Heaven with Glenn and her other loved ones.

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**Thelma Webb Miller** - May 23, 2016 at 09:22 AM

RA

“ We are so sorry for the loss of your Mother. Our Prayers are with your family.

*Ralph and Jan Agee*

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**Ralph Agee** - May 23, 2016 at 08:52 AM

TG

“ My kids and I will dearly miss "Nana." That's what she called herself around my children. She was so kind and thoughtful. She even made blankets for all four of my kids when they were born. They still use them today. Evelyn loved to laugh and sing, and she especially enjoyed listening to big-band music around the house. I'll never forget the joy she brought to my life. Our love and prayers, the Tony Garcia family in Georgetown, Texas.

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**Tony Garcia** - May 23, 2016 at 08:30 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Evelyn C. Smith.



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May 22, 2016 at 01:50 PM

SE

“ Oh, I am so sad to hear this. I adored Aunt Evelyn and her spunkiness. What a role model for women of all ages. Dave and I will see y'all on Monday. Sandy Smith Emerson

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**Sandra Emerson** - May 22, 2016 at 10:15 AM

SL

“ Stacy, Mark, William, James, and Lilly purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Evelyn C. Smith.



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**Stacy, Mark, William, James, and Lilly** - May 21, 2016 at 12:21 PM

RG

“ Prayers and thoughts with your family at the loss of this dear sweet lady. I remember her and Glenn so well from our times together at Main Street Baptist Church. I know she is rejoicing in heaven today. It was my honor to have been their friend and sister in Christ. God Bless,  
Ruth Ann Godfrey

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**Ruth Ann Godfrey** - May 20, 2016 at 04:18 PM