



## Ethel "Juanita" Smith

September 12, 1925 - June 13, 2019

Ethel "Juanita" Smith, September 12, 1925 – June 13, 2019, went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, June 13, 2019. She was preceded in death by her mother, Ettie Cleo Sebren, and brother, Walter P. Cartier. She was married to her husband of 61 years, the late Herbert D. Smith.

She is survived by her children, Virginia Maples, of Temple, TX, Charlotte Hancock, of St. Rose, and Ronald Hess (Mary), of Kenner, as well as her grandchildren, David Moss and Hannah Hess Pope, great-grandchildren, Sandra Maples, Brittney Hastings, Clayton Hastings and Joshua Pope, great-great grandchildren, Ginger and C.J. Evans, and niece, Georgia Ann Cloy. Juanita was a long-time resident of Metairie, LA. She attended Mid-City Baptist Church for years. Before her passing, she was a resident of Peristyle Residences (Lakeview), where she received excellent care. Juanita's many talents included cooking, gardening, and painting. When she was a young girl, she played the trumpet in the Salvation Army Band. Juanita was a woman who prayed and read her Bible daily.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Wednesday, June 19, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Service at 11:00 a.m. Burial will follow in Brookhaven, MS, at Damascus Baptist Church Cemetery, 3385 Choctaw Road, Brookhaven, MS, 39601.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Louisiana Baptist Children's Home, 7200 Desiard Street, Monroe, LA, 71203. Please share

memories or condolences at [www.muhsisen.com](http://www.muhsisen.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Damascus Baptist Church Cemetery

3385 Choctaw Road  
Brookhaven, MS 39601

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **19**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home  
2607 Williams Boulevard  
Kenner, LA 70062

## Service

JUN **19**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ethel "Juanita" Smith*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Charlotte,  
My condolences at the loss of your dear Mother. You are a wonderful daughter and took such excellent care of your Mom. She was such a sweet and loving soul and I am praying for you and your family at this difficult time. Love, Janie Early*

janie Early - June 18, 2019 at 01:07 AM



“ *Charlotte, it was such a blessing to get to know you and your sweet mom at Lakeview House. Thank you for the memories. May your sweet mom rest in peace and may God comfort you during this time of loss. Love, Lisa*

Lisa Buchert - June 17, 2019 at 06:55 PM



“ *Charlotte & Ronald, Bless Mrs. Juanita for a beautiful life well lived. All good memories of you Smith Family. My Mom loved Mrs. Juanita & loved going next door for coffee. Hugs & prayers....Cathy Fontenelle*

Cathy - June 16, 2019 at 10:57 PM