



## Sally Smith

December 1, 1935 - April 24, 2020

Sara "Sally" Elizabeth (Pitts) Smith, 84 of Arab passed away peacefully with her family on Friday, April 24, 2020. Ms. Smith was born on December 1, 1935, in Birmingham, Alabama to Knox Mullins and Sara Crawford Pitts. She was a member of Arab First Baptist Church for 59 years where she sang in the church choir. She was active in her Sunday school class and loved baking cookies for vacation bible school.

Throughout her lifetime she enjoyed many careers. She sold Beeline Fashions, was an Avon representative, a Farm Bureau agent in Arab, a real estate agent, she worked 12 years at the Missile and Space Intelligence Center (MSIC), and worked at the U.S. Embassy in Bonn, Germany. She enjoyed friends, cooking, traveling, singing, writing poetry, making jewelry, sewing, and painting. She loved spending time with her family most of all. She is survived by her daughters: Karen Saint and Lisa Smith of Guntersville; son: Patrick (Pat) Smith of Arab; brother: Knox Pitts of Texas; sister: Sharon Pitts of South Carolina; 9 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, Knox and Sara Pitts; stepfather; Howard Winslett, Sr.; her brother, Conrad Pitts; and her son, Melvin "Mel" Smith III.

A graveside service for the family will be held on Monday, April 27, 2020 at the Arab Memorial Cemetery with Gober Funeral Chapel directing.

# Cemetery Details

## Arab Memorial Cemetery

450 South Main Street  
Arab, AL 35016

# Previous Events

## Private Graveside

APR 27 (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sally Smith*

October 23, 2023 at 12:35 AM



“ *Sally an i did a wonderful excursion to Prague while posted to Bonn. She was the best travelling companion u cud wish for..we had a ball! Sincere wishes for her whole family..God bless her!* 😊😄😍

**Marcie Gauntlett** - July 05, 2020 at 01:14 PM



“ *I met Sally when she worked at the American Embassy in Bonn, Germany. Her generous Godly heart was always on display whether she was singing in the choir, hosting a dinner or what ever. She told me that her son (who passed away) was born the same day and year as I so she considered me her daughter. We stayed friends when I retired and she moved back to Arab. I received yearly birthday phone calls and Christmas cards, and CDs of her choir music. Sally, you were such a precious lady and you will surely be missed. Paula Horne*

**Paula Horne** - July 04, 2020 at 03:28 PM



“ *Sally was always a generous loving person. I got to know her better at the Arab Senior Center. We shared stories about working at the Arsenal/MISC. Thoughts of Sally make me smile.* ❤️

**Linda Widner** - May 11, 2020 at 01:03 PM

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“ To the Smith family: I am so sorry about your mother. I knew her back in the '80s at Singles United. Sally was a real sweet person. She had a pretty voice and I enjoyed hearing her sing "The Rose". My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I pray the Lord will bring peace and comfort to you. Annette Cruse

annette cruse - April 28, 2020 at 04:31 PM



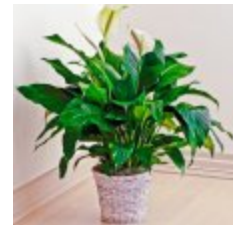
“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sally Smith.



April 27, 2020 at 10:38 AM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Sally Smith.



April 26, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Sally Smith.



April 25, 2020 at 05:40 PM