



## Mrs. Donna Marie Smith

December 27, 1948 - April 2, 2025

Donna Marie Smith, a cherished wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully, leaving behind a legacy of love, warmth, and unforgettable stories. Born on December 27, 1948, in Paragould, Arkansas to Norris Hall and Viva Moore Hall Griffith, Donna was a light in the lives of all who knew her.

She married the love of her life, John Willard Smith Jr., and together they built a beautiful family full of warmth and joy. Donna was the proud mother of four wonderful children: Kevin (Mary) Smith, Troy Jefferson Smith, Tammy (David) Johnston, and Angela (Jimmy) Grooms. She adored her 10 grandchildren: Chad Smith, KC (Natalie) Smith, Hannah (Corey) Herren, Korey (Sunshine) Smith, Abbi Horton, Rachel (Tanner) Stonehart, Sammy Smith. Her love extended to her many great-grandchildren: Lucy, Kylie, Lexi, Gracie, Sophia, Jonathan, Braydyn, Naulie, Indie, Kinley Jo, Klayton, and Mary'Ellen. She leaves behind one sister, Lisa (Kenny) Crafton, as well as her many cherished nieces and nephews.

Donna was everyone's Granny. Whether related by blood or by heart, she had a way of making everyone feel like they belonged. She had the most incredible imagination and a gift for storytelling that could capture anyone's attention. She wove magic into everyday life, making sure every child—her “babies”—felt special, loved, and included in her tales.

She was a beauty, inside and out. Her kindness, strength, and warmth radiated in every hug, every laugh, and every story she told. She was the heart of every family gathering, bringing people together with her love and unwavering support.

Donna is preceded in death by her parents, Norris Hall and Viva Moore Hall Griffith; her brothers, David Hall and Kenneth Hall; her sister, Verna Chapman; her beloved son, Troy Jefferson Smith; and the love of her life, John Willard Smith Jr.

Though she is no longer with us, her stories will live on in the hearts of those who loved her. Her legacy is one of love, laughter, and a life beautifully lived. She will be deeply

missed, but never forgotten.

Tri-City LLC Crematory & Funeral Home is privileged and honored to serve the Smith family. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.Tri-CityLLC.com](http://www.Tri-CityLLC.com) .

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“ Praying for all of you in your loss of mom, granny, mother in law, sister, aunt, etc. A wonderful lady with many titles, most importantly daughter of the King. Walking with Jesus and reunited with the love of her life. Much love and prayers. Hugh & Debbie

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