



## Mattie Smallwood

September 16, 1920 - November 27, 2006

Funeral services for Mattie Ella Smallwood, age 86 of Huntsville are set for Monday November 27, 2006 at 1 PM in the Chapel of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home with Bro. Charlie Powell, Jr. and Rev. Wesley Reagan officiating. Burial will follow at the Farris Cemetery at West Sandy Community in Walker County, Texas under the direction of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home. The family will receive friends Sunday November 26, 2006 from 2 to 5 PM at the funeral home. The pallbearers are nephews; Ronnie Hively, Royce Hively, Donnie Robinson, Robert Robinson, Kenny Roberts, David Robinson and Gary Robinson. Mattie Ella was born September 16, 1920, the daughter of Mercer Lee and Mary Ellen Norwood Robinson in Walker County, Texas and passed away in Houston, Texas November 22, 2006. She leaves a son Darrell Smallwood and wife Janice of Houston, grandson Alan Smallwood and wife Shelly of Houston, granddaughter Shannon Lowrie and husband Clifford of Center, Texas, great-granddaughter twins Courtney and Christina Lowrie of Center, along with sister Lorine Roberts and husband Kenneth of Texas City, brother Donald Robinson and wife Zella of Conroe, and brother Otis Robinson and wife Bille of Huntsville. She also leaves sister-in-law Edith Clay of Bedford, Texas, nephew Wayne Clay and wife Arie of Bedford, sister-in-law Arnelle Camster of Paris, Texas, sister-in-law Della Pearl Robinson of Huntsville, and nieces Barbara Weatherford of Huntsville, Janice Molk of Conroe and Susan Keeton of Dickinson. Mattie spent her married life, 48 years, in Paris and Lamar County,

Texas. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Paris for 20 years, worked with children in Mother's Day Out, Sunday School and Preschool. She was preceded in death by husband Alvin Smallwood in December 8, 1988, sister Lois Hively and brother Delbert Robinson. Memorial donations may be made to Farris Cemetery Association , Farris United Methodist Church or M.D. Anderson Cancer Hospital.. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mattie Smallwood*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Alan, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time. I hope you find peace in knowing that your Ga-ga and Granddaddy are smiling down upon you together. She will be remembered fondly by all who knew her. Stacy*

**Stacy Sikes** - November 30, 2006 at 03:30 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Alan. I wish I could have made it to the funeral. I will always cherish the times that I spent with you and your grandparents in Paris. Your grandmother always made me feel comfortable when I was there. I hope you find solice in knowing that she is in a better place and one day you will see her again.*

*Tim and Jeannette Bowers*

**Tim Bowers** - November 28, 2006 at 01:47 PM



“ *Alan, we were very sorry to hear about your grandmother's passing. I remember her as someone who cared about and respected those around her. Our prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

**Jeff Davis** - November 27, 2006 at 01:43 PM

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“ Alan, We are praying for you and your family. Your grandmother was a wonderful, christian influence. What a blessing that you and she were able to spend so much time together. May God bless you.  
Love, Shannon Pasternak

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**Shannon Pasternak** - November 25, 2006 at 02:24 PM

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“ Alan, your grandmother will be remembered as such a sweet, loving true lady. I know how much you loved her and how hard this time is for you now. I just wanted you to know that we are thinking of you and wish for you comfort and joy in remembering all the happy memories with your grandmother and your time here in Paris together. God bless, Laurie

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**Laurie Gullion Rast & Family** - November 24, 2006 at 05:02 PM

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“ Mrs. Smallwood will always hold a special place in my heart for her generosity and compassionate nature. She always welcomed me into her home whenever I came to visit her grandson, Alan, even enviting me to stay over night at times. She worked hard the entire time I knew her to make sure her family was taken care of. May God rest her soul. My prayers will remain with you and your family.  
David & Suzanne Farris

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**David Farris** - November 24, 2006 at 10:47 AM

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“ *My memories of Mrs. Smallwood consisted of her sweet adorable nature and the love of her husband and family. Being a friend of her grandson Alan, she always treated me like one of her own. She will be missed greatly and will be loved always. To Alan and the family. All of our heart felt prayers are with you. We love you from Paris, Texas.*

*Mike & Kathy Boaz*

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**Mike Boaz** - November 23, 2006 at 09:44 AM