



Penelope S. Smith

May 7, 1933 - April 12, 2015

Penelope (Pennie) Smith was born May 7, 1933 in Richmond, Virginia to Lena and Lawrence Sellers.

After Pennie was born the family moved to Whiteville, N C. In 1948 the entire family began to study the Bible with Jehovah's Witnesses. Pennie, her Father, Mother and sister were all baptized on January 16, 1949 in symbol of their dedication to Jehovah.

On January 1, 1956 she married Louis Smith. Together they made serving Jehovah the center of their lives. For 34 years they traveled visiting congregations of Jehovah's Witnesses in many states. Pennie was quite happy to be wherever Louis was assigned but never forgot home and always was the same "Pennie". She loved people and kept in touch with many of the friends they had met over the years. She had an outstanding memory therefore her stories about her life and travels were rich with details. Although legally blind in her last years she was known for her ability to give accurate and detailed directions to anywhere around the Summerville and Charleston area. She was a positive person choosing to look on the sunny side of the street. Her uncomplaining spirit and deep faith made her a joy to be around. Even though not well her last year she was always interested in how others were doing and what was going on in their lives.

She is survived by her only sibling Mary Lee Bell of Clarkton, N C , nephews Lawrence (Diana) Bell of Wendell, N C, Braxton (Alison) Bell of Holly Springs, Andrew(Leah) Bell of Kansas City, Mo, great niece, Samantha Bell of Holy

Springs, step great nephew Marrs Searles of Holly Springs, brother-in-law Gordon Curtiss of Lexington S C, nephews Mark (Diane) Curtiss of Lexington S C, Glenn (Faith) Curtiss of Lexington ,S C, great niece Bree ((Jose) Sanquintin and their daughter Skylar of Lexington, S C, and great nephew Colton (Stephanie) Curtiss of Charleston, SC.

Pennie died peacefully at home Sunday, April 12 faithful to Jehovah
A Memorial Service will be held at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses,
1308 S. Main Street, Summerville, Saturday, April 18 at 2:30.

Tribute Wall



“ *Penelope S. Smith*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM