

## *To My Brothers*

*I just wanted to let you know that I made it home.*

*The journey was not an easy one, but it did not take too long.*

*Everything is so beautiful here, so white, so fresh, so new.*

*I wish that you could close your eyes and see it too.*

*Please try not to be sad for me.*

*Try to understand.*

*God is taking care of me.*

*I am in the shelter of His hands.*

*Here there is no sadness, no sorrow, and no pain.*

*Here there is no crying, and I will never hurt again.*

*Here it is so peaceful when all the angels sing.*

*I really must go now....*

*I have just got to try my wings.*

## *Active Pallbearers*

David Smith Jr.  
Justin Blash-Smith  
Bart McMorris

Brandon Smith  
Barry Carter  
Thomas Pickett

## *Flower Attendants*

Nieces and Nephews

## *Repast*

Family's Residence  
603 E. 7th Street  
Alma, Georgia 31510

## *Acknowledgements*

The family of the late Frank Smith wishes to express our heartfelt thanks for your expressions of sympathy, caring, and compassion shown us during these most difficult hours. Whether it was a prayer, a phone call, a visit, food, kind words or your presence, we want you to know how we are truly appreciative.

## *The Family*

*Final Arrangements Entrusted To:*



HARRELL'S FUNERAL HOME  
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# *Celebration of Life For Frank Alvin Smith "Jangles"*



*April 3, 1964 ~ June 29, 2025*

*Saturday, July 5, 2025*

*3:00 PM*

*Harrell's Funeral Home Chapel*

*400 East Cherry Street  
Douglas, Georgia 31533  
Elder Jackie Welch, Eulogist*

# Order of Service

Processional.....Ministers and Family  
Final Glimpse  
Invocation.....Prophetess Adriane Jenkins  
Selection.....My Life Is In Your Hands  
Scripture Reading.....Minister Minnie Smith  
Reflections.....Please Limit To Two Minutes  
    Anyone Desiring to Speak  
Poem.....Lashema Barnes  
Selection.....The Battle Is The Lord's  
Eulogy.....Elder Jackie Welch  
Acknowledgments.....Harrell's Staff  
Committal Service  
Benediction



# Precious Memories



# The Obituary

Mr. Frank Alvin Smith was born on April 3, 1964, in New York, NY, to the late Mrs. Mildred Jean Brackeen and the late Mr. Donald J. Brackeen. He peacefully entered eternal rest at his home in Alma, Georgia, on June 29, 2025, at the age of sixty-one.

Frank was raised in his beloved hometown of Alma, Georgia, where he graduated from Bacon County High School as part of the Class of 1982. He had a love for sports especially baseball and basketball which brought him great joy throughout his life. He was a devoted fan of Georgia Bulldogs football team.

A dedicated and hardworking individual, Frank spent many years employed at Albaco Foods Inc., a cake and biscuit manufacturing company. After its closure, he continued his work ethic at the Country Fresh Piggly Wiggly in Alma. He later joined the team at Bacon County Hospital, where he worked in environmental services with the same diligence and commitment he was known for.

Frank was a loving brother, devoted uncle, and loyal friend. He was known for his sincerity, compassion, and the ability to make a lasting impact on everyone he met. His warm spirit and kind heart will be remembered by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Ms. Madie Jean Smith; his parents, Mrs. Mildred Jean Brackeen and Mr. Donald J. Brackeen; his aunt, Estelle K. Jeffries; and his brothers, Glenn Tyrone Smith, David Lee Smith Sr., and Darryl James Brackeen Sr.

He leaves to cherish his memory: brothers, Thomas (Kenya) Smith and Gregory Smith Sr., both of Alma, GA; aunt, Irene Slaughter; sisters-in-law, Juanita and Minnie Smith of Alma, GA, and Tina Brackeen of Hamden, CT; special friends, Rozie Smith, Barry Carter, Willie Burch, Lamarcus & Jennifer Gaskin, Janice O'Neal, Kimberly O'Neal, Shameia Rawls, Lisa Pickett, Danielle Wertz, and Pam Copeland, all of Alma, GA; along with a host of nieces, nephews, extended family members, and beloved friends.