



## Madge Smith Wells

December 8, 1931 - September 18, 2023

Madge Smith Wells

Born December 8th 1931 - Life - Passed September 18th 2023

Mom was loved by countless people through many generations. She never met a stranger she didn't win over as a friend. Her doors were always open to meet the needs of those who would enter. Be they friends through troubled times or those of her adult children, she would take them in until they were able to piece their lives back together again. She was a Great-great-grandmother with dozens calling her Mom Mom, half of which were of no relation in the traditional sense but in her heart, were always family. Too many to list here but they all know very well who they are.

She worked for the FBI in the early 1950's. She soon decided to stay home and raise her three children, Michael, Robert and Melinda. In the 1970's mom went to work for the Prince George's County Schools in Maryland, retiring in the 1990's. For over fifty years she was very active in her local church, Whitehall Baptist. She enjoyed participating in church plays, choir singing, outreach programs and Sunday School Director to mention a few. She was a gentle spirit, always encouraging and never condemning. Many times she helped her adult children through very troubled waters.

Mom and dad enjoyed building their home together. Literally block by block

and wall by wall, a house was built over time. One where her children found shelter through life's storms. A sign rests over a doorway in their home which reads, "All because two people fell in love." Her testimony of grace and mercy, of love and forgiveness lives on in the lives of those she touched. Whether they were strangers or neighbors, friends or family it was her desire that they be touched by the same God who had changed her life forever.

Mom lived a rich, full life and left a great legacy. She is survived by her children Michael and his wife Jenny, Greg, Melinda and four generations of family and friends who simply called her, Mom Mom. Viewing will be held at Raymond Funeral Home in LaPlata, Oct. 19th, 6-8pm. Service will be held at Whitehall Baptist Church in Accokeek Oct. 20th at 11am.

Memorial contributions in her honor may be made to Whitehall Baptist Church (1205 Farmington Road E, Accokeek, MD 20607).

# Cemetery Details

## Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery

11301 Crain Hwy  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Service

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Whitehall Baptist Church  
1205 Farmington Road East  
Accokeek, MD 20607

# Tribute Wall

FB

“ *Blessed is the land and the kingdom. I hope that in the afterlife you find a throne on which to sit, Madge. No matter how you felt, you would always lend a hand to those around you.  
Tonight I light a candle in your honour.  
Tonight I say goodbye to an incredible woman.*

Florence Bojo - October 20, 2023 at 12:26 AM

CS

“ *Callie McCoy Stewart purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Madge Smith Wells.*



Callie McCoy Stewart - October 18, 2023 at 08:29 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Madge Smith Wells.*

October 18, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Madge Smith Wells.*



October 18, 2023 at 10:45 AM

LF

“ Lois Mae Osborn Morales and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Madge Smith Wells.

Lois Mae Osborn Morales and Family - October 16, 2023 at 05:24 PM



“ Madge Smith Wells

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Madge Smith Wells

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM

SO

“ Sonny planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Madge Smith Wells.

Sonny - September 26, 2023 at 06:32 PM

SO

“ Sonny purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Madge Smith Wells.



Sonny - September 26, 2023 at 06:32 PM

SG

“ *Been so long since I've heard Aunt Madge say the Thanksgiving Blessing at Grandma in Kentucky. She and Uncle Bob are together again. GOD Bless those left behind.*

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**Scott Gunnell** - September 26, 2023 at 08:41 AM

SG

“ *8 files added to the album The Smith Sisters*



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**Scott Gunnell** - September 26, 2023 at 08:37 AM

SG

“ *Scott and Jan Gunnell purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Madge Smith Wells.*



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**Scott and Jan Gunnell** - September 26, 2023 at 08:25 AM

JO

“ My heart goes out in sympathy for the Wells family at the passing of this dear lady, but my heart is full for knowing her. She came into my life at a very young age, she had just recently trusted Christ as her savior. And in all that time she had demonstrated the most kind and gracious Christian spirit I have ever known. I can truly say I never saw a frown on her face, I never witnessed a cross or bad attitude from her in any circumstance. It could be said of her that she had lived her life in the presence of Jesus. And so, it is now a great comfort to know she is looking in the face of Jesus and worshipping with the saints together in that celestial place called Heaven. I look forward to worshipping with her their someday. George O.

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**Joyce A OBier** - September 21, 2023 at 11:35 PM