

A Celebration of Life for Patricia Sneed



Sunrise: January 21, 1926 — Sunset: June 11, 2017

Thursday, June 29, 2017
10:00 A. M.

Mt. Zion Church of Ontario
224 West California Street
Ontario, California 91762

Officiant: Richard Young, Executive Pastor
Eulogist: Brian E. Kennedy, Sr., Senior Pastor

Obituary of Mrs. Patricia Sneed

The angel of the silence came Sunday, June 11, 2017, and carried Mrs. Patricia Sneed to that place where appointments and daily commitments are no longer a part of her life and eternal life is born. The angel's appearance came without warning, yet so swiftly to end her pilgrimage with us. We realize that life's journey, long or short, depends on how it was lived and how it affected those it touched.

Pat, as she was so affectionately called, was a loving wife to the late Theodore Matthew Lee "Ted" Sneed for more than 55 years (until the Lord called him home). They raised three loving children Michael, Timothy, and Tara. Pat was a wonderful loving mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend. She began her pilgrimage in Liverpool, England, where she was born in January 1926, the eldest of four children.

Mrs. Sneed believed and professed Christ as her Savior at an early age in Liverpool, England and upon moving to Upland, California she united with the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, under the leadership of Dr. Brian Kennedy. She proclaimed Heaven as her home and started sending up her timber for her heavenly home. Now that her home is completed, she is now at rest in her new home.

Pat's greatest joy was doing for others. Her love for her children and grandchildren was unmeasurable. She loved making others happy, holding and loving babies, cooking her favorite dish for us, making tissue box holders and teaching whatever she knew how to do to others. Her work with organizations was another joy in her life. Until her health started to decline, she was active in several service organizations including Western Amateur Radio Friendship Association (WARFA) and Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, and Kentucky Amateur Radio Association, Inc. (OMIK).

In addition to her husband, father and mother, Mrs. Patricia Sneed is also preceded in death by her sisters, Irene Martin, Molly Martin and brother, Michael James Martin.

To keep Patricia Sneed's memory alive forever are her two sons, Michael Nathaniel Sneed (Beth) of Allen, Texas, and Timothy Matthew Lee Sneed (Annalissa) of Upland, California, and daughter, Tara Marie Lea Jordan (Rod) of Mission Viejo, California; 5 grandchildren: Bryan (Debbie), Matthew, Monique (Chad), Sophia and Blake; 3 great grandchildren: Roland, Kodi, and Marcus; nieces, nephews, cousins, two sisters-in-law: Dorothy M. Lampkin (Anderson "A. B."), of Fort Worth Texas, Jessie M. Cleaver (Lowell), of Dallas, Texas, two brothers-in-law: Rev. A. L. Sneed (Clementis) of Austin, Texas, Barbar "Bob" Sneed (Temekia), of Killeen, Texas, Mount Zion Church of Ontario Family, and extended family WARFA, and OMIK Families of America and many other loving friends.

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The Order of Service

Prelude..... Soft Music

Processional.....Ministers

Musical Selection.....Mt. Zion Male Chorus

The Reading of the Holy Scriptures

The Old Testament.....Elder Thomas Kemp

The New Testament.....Minister Clarence Johnson

The Invocation.....Pastor A. L. Sneed

Musical Selection.....Mt. Zion Male Chorus

Acknowledgments/Resolution.....Deaconess

Tribute.....OMIK Representative Cornelius Washington

Tribute.....WARFA Representative Moody T. Law

Remarks.....2 Minutes

Musical Selection.....Mt. Zion Male Chorus

The Message of Hope.....Pastor Brian E. Kennedy, Sr.

Recessional.....Ministers and Family

Repast following Burial in Mt. Zion Café

Pall Bearers

Mt. Zion Church of Ontario Deacons

Honorary Pall Bearers

Joe Contogenis

Frank DeCuire

Cliff Evans

Moody T. Law

Harold Mitchell

Willie Patterson

Neville Pedro

Frank Smith

Bob Spann

Thomas Spight

Cornelius Washington

Gary Westrope

Acknowledgements

The family gratefully acknowledges the many kind expressions of love during these trying hours. The presence of friends has always been and still is one of our sustaining elements. Your prayers have increased our faith, your words have encouraged our sad hearts, your presence has given us the arms to lean on and the food has helped us maintain our strength for the today. The flowers have added beauty for the occasion, the message from each card, visits and telephone calls added a special touch of peace to a time and event that saddens this day. Because of your continued expressions of sympathy our burdens seems so much lighter. May God richly bless you and forever keep you in His loving care.

The family of Patricia Sneed

Arrangements

Stone Funeral Home

355 East Ninth Street

Upland, CA 91786

Interment

Riverside National Cemetery

22495 Van Buren Blvd.

Riverside, CA 92518