



## Joan Crawford Smith

June 16, 1947 - September 21, 2016

Joan Darlene Crawford Smith, 69, of Mooresville, passed away on Wednesday, September 21, 2016 in Greenville, SC. She was born on June 16, 1947 in Pelzer, SC, to the late Alvin and Inez Bishop Crawford. Mrs. Smith was an active member of Lake City Church in Mooresville, where she was a member of the worship team for many years. She had a great love for singing, shopping, dancing, and the beach. Joan enjoyed hanging out with her husband and spending time with her kids and grandkids. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Phillip L. Smith; and brother, Thomas Crawford. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Ansel Smith; daughter, Darlene Smith Nichols; brother, Bill Crawford; sister, Doyce Ford; grandchildren, Amanda Watts (Daniel), Christian Smith, Justin Reid, Heather Smith, Danny Smith (Naomi); and great granddaughter, Heidi Esquivel. Funeral services will be held at 3:00 PM on Sunday, September 25 at Grace Covenant Church in Cornelius with Rev. Rob Spradley officiating. The body will lie in state 30 minutes prior to the service at the church. Burial will follow the service at Glenwood Memorial Park, Mooresville. The family will receive friends on Saturday from 6:00-8:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Mooresville Christian Mission, PO Box 62, Mooresville, NC 28115 and/or Community Pregnancy Center, 212 Caldwell Ave, Mooresville, NC 28115. Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, is serving the Smith family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).



# Tribute Wall



“ *Joan Crawford Smith*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Joan Crawford Smith*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Joan Crawford Smith*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Ansel, our condolences and prayers go out to you and your family.  
David & Linda Crawford*

September 30, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Cousin LaGrande(Ansel)and family,Please accept our deepest  
Sympathy in the passing of your blessed wife, Joan.Oh, how I know  
you will miss her sweet and special ways. Take comfort in knowing  
you will join her by and by in her home in Heaven. May God wrap  
His loving arms around you and your's at this difficult time. We love  
you.Pat and Craig Skok*

**Pat & Craig Skok** - September 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EO

“ Ansel Our hearts and prayers go out to you and your family in the loss of Joan. Nancy and I feel your loss. If there is anyway we can help, please let us know. Eddie and Nancy Overcash

Eddie Overcash - September 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Ansel, You and your family are in our prayers,.. Our hearts are broken over this. Every Sunday, Joan made a point of talking to me and making me feel loved. That was just who she was, so loving and happy. Always in our thoughts. I have it now

Jim & Pam Belcher - September 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Ansel, I am sorry to here of your loss. I will be remembering you.

Charles Fowler - September 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ My prayers are with your family as you go through this very difficult time. May God give you peace & comfort in the days and months to come. Thinking of you all with much love.

Patty Burton - September 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ So sorry for your loss, Joan was a beautiful and kind woman. She always had a warm and loving smile that lit the way to her caring heart .A great loss for us and a great gain for heaven . Your family are in our thoughts and prayers

Jeff and Linda Watson - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Ansel, We are keeping you in our prayers and in our hearts! Take comfort in knowing that there is now a very special angel in heaven.*

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**Bob Brownlee** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *May the God of All Comfort soothe the aching pain in your hearts. Sincere condolences, Smith Family*

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September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *Ansel, We are very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless You All. RIP Joan.*

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**Ed & Donna Cox** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ansel and Family, We were so saddened to hear of Joan's passing. Our thoughts and prayers for you all during this time. Paul and Marilyn Beaver*

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September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ *Ansel, Darlene and grandchildren...Our hearts are broken and our prayers are with you all. Joan will always be remembered as Godly, joyful, friendly and loving toward her family and friends. What a wonderful addition to Heaven! Our thoughts, prayers and love as we grieve with you.*

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**Hart & Carolyn Pannwitz** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ So sorry for your loss. May the Good Lord bless you all His comfort and care. May the prayers of your friends bring comfort. Keep the FAITH. God is with you and He is welcoming Joan with open arms. God Bless you and Keep you.

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**Tom&Peggy Camp** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Ansel, Please accept condolences from Butch and I. You and your family are in our prayers daily. We will surely miss Joan's smile and her kind and gentle spirit!

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**Dee Wilmoth** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Our love and prayers for your precious family. Joan was a very beautiful woman - inside and out. She was a blessed friend and will be missed by so many. Love you all.

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**Debbie Smith** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I have very fond memories of Joan while growing up. My heart breaks for you all at this sudden loss. Thoughts and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time.

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**Jill Collins** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Ansel, You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. It was always great to run into you and Joan at lunch after church when I was in town. May God provide you with his perfect peace. Jamie Price (Fred & Faye Wright's daughter)

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**Jamie Price** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Ansel, so sorry to hear of the death of Joan. You and the family are in our thoughts and prayers. May you find comfort in the many memories you have of your life together. Max and Nancy Huntley/

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**Max Huntley** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Ansel and family, We were so shocked at Joan's passing and we will miss her greatly. We are praying for you and are here for you. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help. We love you.

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**Mitch and Nicky Parker** - September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Ansel & Darlene, my heart is breaking, Miss Joan was one of the sweetest, kindest, most genuine, beautiful ladies inside & out that I have ever met. I am so sorry, we are praying for you and your family. We love you guys so very very much.

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**Anne Parker-Cole** - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

VS

“ Dear Ansel, We love you. WE are so sorry for the sudden loss of Joan. Praying comfort, strength & peace. Love you & yours, Ronnie & Virginia Stewart

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**va stewart** - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ With deepest sympathy.... Such a sweet soul and spirit is in her forever home.....she will definitely be missed, much love and prayers to family .

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**Mary & Mark Coleman** - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ Hi Ansel Both Nuala and myself would like to tell you how sorry we are to hear the news that your lovely wife has passed away. We remember so well your time together in Ireland. I know Joan liked Ireland so well when she settled in. We will always remember the good times we had together. Ansel we will remember you and your family in our prayers at this very difficult time in your lives.  
Nuala&Raymond

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**Raymond MC Cormack** - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Ansel and family, you are in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort all during this time. Suzanne and Don Markofski

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**Suzanne and Don Markofski** - September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM