

*In Loving Memory of*

*Mary Delores Smith*

*Sunrise*  
September 9, 1962

*Sunset*  
January 21, 2013

Service

Wednesday, January 23, 2013 - 7:00 p.m.

**BREAD OF LIFE WORSHIP CENTER**

Clinton, North Carolina

*Rev. Gene Jones, Officiating*

## Obituary

**Mrs. Mary Delores** smith was born September 9, 1962 in New Hanover, Co to the late Marvin Thomas and Patricia Ann Jones. She was a member of Bread of Life Worship Center in Clinton.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: sisters, Sylvia Ann Ammons (Douglas), Tonya Gail Romero (Jose) both of Clinton, NC; brothers, Charles Thomas Smith of Boone, NC, Bobby Thornton of Clinton, NC and Anthony Thornton of Clinton, NC.



### **Miss Me But Let Me Go**

*When I come to the end of the  
road and the sun has set for me,  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,  
Why cry for a soul set free.*

*Miss me a little-but not too long,  
and not with your head bowed low.  
Remember the love that we once shared,*

*Miss me-but let me go.*

*For this is a journey that we all must take,  
And each must go alone.  
It's all part of the Master's plan,*

*A step on the road to home.*

*When you are lonely and sick of heart,  
Go to the friends we know.  
And busy your sorrows in doing good deeds -*

*Miss me-but let me go.*

## *Order of Service*

Opening Prayer ..... Pastor Gene Jones  
Song ..... “I Can Only Imagine” Gene Jones  
Comments ..... Rev. Ricky Jones  
Song ..... “Well Done, Well Done” Stephanie Jones  
Poem ..... Linda Lorouch  
Song ..... Linda Lorouch  
Message ..... Pastor Gene Jones  
Closing ..... Prayer Pastor Gene Jones

**Interment**  
Private



## *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.  
I could not stay another day.  
To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.  
If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it up with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much.  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

-author unknown

### *Acknowledgement*

The family would like to thank you for all acts of kindness shown during our time of bereavement. Your prayers, cards and presence has shown how much you care. Thank you, and God bless you.

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