



# Phyllis Estella Ssekasozi

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**P**hyllis Estella Ssekasozi, 78, of Columbia, MO, passed away on Monday, August 9, 2021 at the University of Missouri. Services will be live-streamed through Facebook on Friday, August 20, 2021, at 11:00 AM at <https://www.facebook.com/htmayfuneralhome>.

Phyllis Estella Hale was born on February 24, 1943 to John and Hattie Hale in Knoxville, Tennessee. She was married to Englebert Ssekasozi in 1963. To this union were three children. Joseph, John and Charles.

She graduated from Austin East High School in Knoxville, TN. She attended the following: graduating from Knoxville College in Knoxville, TN, Lincoln University in Jefferson City, MO, with a degree in Psychology and graduated from the University of Missouri in Columbia, MO with a Masters Degree in Sociology.

She went on to tutor students and typed papers for college students.

Her hobbies were crocheting arts and crafts. She enjoyed shopping at antique malls and yard sales. She loved praising the Lord. She would greet you with a kiss. Her favorite color was Yellow.

She attended Wright Temple Church of God in Christ in Columbia, MO, under the direction of the late Dr. Frank Wright Jr., and the current Pastor Elder Ronald Franklin.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one niece, five siblings, one brother-in-law, and one sister-in-law.

Phyllis transitioned on Monday, August 9, 2021 at the University of Missouri and Clinics in Columbia, MO. She leaves to mourn her passing and to cherish her memory her , Son Joseph Ssekasozi(Mila) of Columbia, MO, Son John Ssekasozi of Columbia, MO, Son Charles Ssekasozi ( Joannie) of Atlanta, GA, several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, one Brother William Hale of



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Knoxville, TN, One sister-In-Law Rosetta Hale of Phoenix, Arizona, Three Nephews, and One Niece of Phoenix, Arizona, several Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Friends. She also leaves special Friends, Mother Lena Jones, Evangelist Missionary Dianna Morris, Phineas and Lagretta Gitta, Joseph and Speciala Motovu, and Jacqueline Olebe and Sister Lou Frances Maxwell.



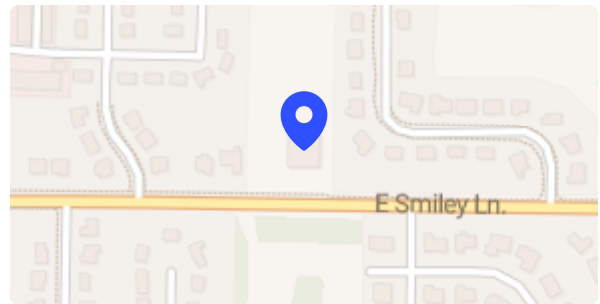
# Events

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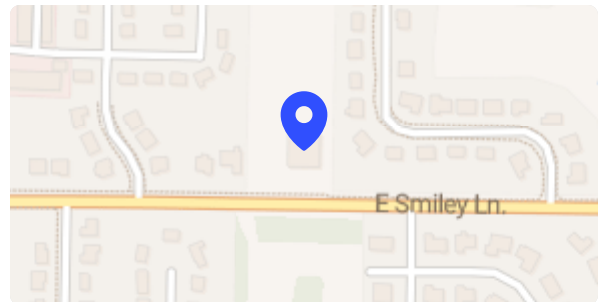
## Family Visitation

- Friday**, August 20, 2021
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT
- Friendship Baptist Church**  
1707 Smiley Ln, Columbia MO 65202



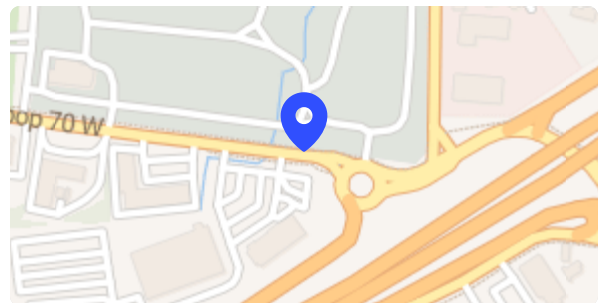
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## Cemetery Details

- Memorial Park Cemetery**  
1217 Business Loop 70 W, Columbia MO 65202
- 5734433173**





## Tribute Wall

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**Reverend Jacqueline Olebe** posted:

My deepest sympathy for my friend. Words cannot express the the love I and my family had for Phyllis and your family. Phyllis will be surely missed. We were friends for over 60 years. Love to you all, Joseph, John and Charles. May you find peace , comfort and strength in the Lord. Love, God Bless you.

September 3 at 5:59 PM

RD

**Rosita Davis** lit a candle in honor of Phyllis.



August 30 at 6:13 AM

PF

**Pastor And First Lady Franklin** sent a virtual gift in honor of Phyllis.

Look to the hills from whence cometh your help. Earth has no sorrow, heaven cannot heal.



August 19 at 5:16 AM



**Sandra Butler** lit a candle in honor of Phyllis.



August 18 at 4:36 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Phyllis by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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