## SMITH HERITAGE TOUR T.H.& HELEN E. FAMILY WELCOME!

Today we will not observe any big monuments depicting the lives of Thomas Horace Smith and Helen Estill Smith; however, we will touch some of their paths that have changed "the lives of thousands". His career was unique in that his 54 years of successful pastorate were all done within a radius of 20 miles of his birthplace. We are the recipients of this great heritage and "the future is limitless".

## JONESTOWN, KENTUCKY

T.H. Smith (June 7, 1882- September 5, 1970) and Helen E. Ray (May 11, 1887- September 29, 1948) were married at the Bethsaida Baptist Church on April 30, 1903.

Family rented cottage on farm south of Jonestown.

Mary Elena: Born June 17, 1904.

T.H. Smith's father built their first house for \$40.00 in Jonestown.

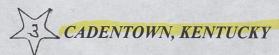
Family operated store in front of new home.

T. H. Smith, was ordained and pastored several small churches including Little Zion, Jessamine County, Uttingertown and Bethel, Fayette County. Upon accepting his call to Zion Baptist Church in Georgetown, the family moved in 1914.

Family cemetary is located adjacent to Bethsaida Baptist Church.

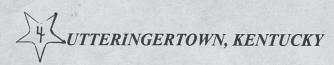
WHITEHALL / MADISON COUNTY

Mace Ray and Nellie Tilford (Parents of Helen E. Ray) came from Virginia via Madison County.



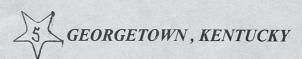
T.H. Smiths grandfather, Rev. Benjamin J. Strider, founded the Haven Methodist Episcopal Church on May 24, 1872. The present structure is the third building.

Rev B. J. Strider and his wife Molly reared T. H. Smith on Thomas Street. They were the parents of his mother Lucinda Strider (Yates).



First Baptist Church, Utteringertown was one of Thomas H. Smith's early Pastorates

Residence of Horace Smith (His father).



First Pastorate - Zion Baptist Church 1914-1919

Family resided Payne Street (Boston).

Minnie Beatrice: Born May 12, 1915

Thomas Horace: Born 1917 (Died shortly after birth)

John Thomas: Born June 14, 1919

Second Pastorate. Zion Baptist Church Georgetown Kentucky 1926-1932

Family resided on S. Mulberry Street.

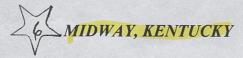
Helen E. Smith Operated "Eat Shop" next to Parsonage.

Mary married Dr. Simpson in 1928 (Parsonage Rose Garden).

Horace Ray: Born April 14, 1928.

William Henry (Acie): Born January 27, 1930.

Charles Herbert: Born April 12, 1931



Pastorate - Pilgrim Baptist Church 1919-1926

New Parsonage Erected Gloster Maceo (Freck) Born June 20, 1921 Carter Omega (Stillborn) 1923 Rose Ann "Mossie": Born 1924 (Died in 1935)

## LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

Pastored Shiloh Baptist Church January 1932 - August 31, 1962 - (30 years / 9 months)

Family resided at 571 Maryland Avenue (also Parsonage)

Kathryn Elizabeth: Born April 26, 1934

Gloster Maceo married Mattie Williams: June 3, 1942

Minnie Beatrice married Robert Hall: November 30, 1945

Horace Ray married Ethel Hayes: May 13, 1950

John Thomas married Josephine Flemming: June 8,1950

William Henry married Virginia Bright: June 26, 1954

Charles Herbert married Lillie Hamilton:(Divorced) 1955

Charles Herbert married Kimanne Core: June 16, 1990

Mary Elena married Fred Matthews: 1955

Kathryn Elizabeth married William Tudor: June 1956 (Divorced)

Kathryn Elizabeth married Herman Stephens, Sr.: December 20.. 1958

