



## Miss Susan Paddon Smith

December 16, 1942 - March 1, 2014

On March 1, 2014 in Annapolis, MD, Susan Paddon Smith, beloved daughter of the late Colin McKenzie Smith and Mary Paddon Gillespie; dear sister of Colin Fraser Smith and loving aunt of Jennifer P. Thorpe, Alexandra L. Avedisian, Jacob M. H. Smith, Anna C. Smith and Emily C. Smith. Also survived by six grand nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Tennessee Primary Care Association, Inc., 710 Spence Lane, Nashville, TN 37217.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAR 7. 9:30 AM (ET)

Green Mount Cemetery  
1501 Greenmount Aveue  
Baltimore, MD 21202

## Memorial Service

MAR 7. 11:30 AM (ET)

First Unitarian Universalist Church of Baltimore  
12 W. Franklin Street  
Baltimore, MD 21201

# Tribute Wall

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“ Susan was a trusted friend, a mentor for many of us and an extremely courageous person. She had a very sharp analytical mind and a famous wit that could make you laugh hysterically but also wound if you took yourself too seriously... She was modest and reserved , preferring to work "in the background", and always focused on the objective at hand. The success of State's nurse practitioner program is in great part due to Susan Smith's advocacy and to her relentless commitment to advancing the rights of nurses throughout the Foreign Service. My deepest condolences go to Susan's family, to her loved ones and to my FSHP colleagues who have lost one of their best.

*Cedric Dumont*

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**Cedric Dumont** - March 07, 2014 at 01:40 AM

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“ Dear Smith Family,  
As a colleague of Susan, Foreign Service Nurse Practitioner, I will always think of her as a most solid and impressive role model. Her vision for the entire MED medical corps, her steadfastness, her intellect and her eloquence have served MED in the highest capacity. Because of Susan's efforts, to a large extent, our corps of Foreign Service medical providers (physicians, nurse practitioners and physician assistants) has evolved into the supportive and caring team that Susan envisioned.

*I thank you for sharing Susan with us all and send my prayers and thoughts,*

*Anne Saloom (also previous FSHP Director)*

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**Anne Saloom** - March 06, 2014 at 02:30 PM

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“ *...Most of all, I will remember Susan's cutting wit and brilliant mind. She was a visionary who showed us the way. Her legacy will live on.*

*Carol Dorsey*

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**Carol Dorsey** - March 06, 2014 at 12:31 PM

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“ *Assefa Kidane lit a candle in memory of Miss Susan Paddon Smith*



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**Assefa Kidane** - March 06, 2014 at 11:55 AM