



## Joan Agnes Smallwood Bowers

February 20, 1929 - November 4, 2017

Joan Agnes Smallwood Bowers of Murrells Inlet, SC formerly of the Northern Virginia area and Charles Town, WV, died November 4, 2017.

Joan was born February 20, 1929 in Georgetown, Washington DC to Luther B. and Agnes O'Brien Smallwood. She retired in 1996 after 40 years of service for the US Senate Commerce Committee.

Joan is predeceased by her parents; her sisters, Ethel Stahl and Claire Crim; her brothers, Robert, Rayburn, William and Kenneth Smallwood. She is survived by her son M. Douglas Bowers (Jane); her grandchildren, Brian and Megan; her great grandson Avery; her sister Elaine R. Ragsdale and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

A mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 am, November 20, 2017 at St. Michael Catholic Church, Garden City, SC.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic High School, 1300 Carolina Forest Boulevard, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579 or Caris Healthcare, 174 Waccamaw Medical Park Court, Conway, SC 29526.

Arrangements are by Goldfinch Funeral Homes Beach Chapel.

Please sign the online guestbook and view her obituary at [www.goldfinchfuner](http://www.goldfinchfuner)

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“ *Doug ..my deepest condolences.*

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