



Mr. Bill Smith

May 26, 1940 - September 11, 2022

Mr. George William Smith, age 82 of South Carolina, passed away on Sunday, September 11, 2022, at his residence in Henagar.

Graveside Service is Wednesday, September 14, 2022, at 3:00pm at Rainsville Memorial Park with Curtis Smith Officiating.

Kerby Funeral Home directing, www.kerbyfuneralhome.com.

He is survived by:

Wife: Jackie Smith

Son: Curtis Smith

Daughter: Faime Milstead

Grandchildren: Wes, Chloe, Alex and Jared

Sisters: June Suber

Beth Shirley

Becky Canaan

Joyce Reed

He is preceded in death by:

Parents: James and Elizabeth Smith

Brothers: Jerry Smith

Douglas Smith

Warren Smith

Sister: Sunny Mitchell

Cemetery Details

Rainsville Memorial Park

498 McCurdy Avenue North
Rainsville, AL 35986

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 14. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Bill Smith*

May 01, 2023 at 02:09 AM



“ *Dad, you always have been and always will be my hero. When i was a child you always made me feel safe, loved, and at home. I will cherish the memories of all the amazing years I had with you. You always had confidence in me and told me i was capable of great things. You were the most loyal, honest, loving, kind hearted person i have ever known and I will always have you in my heart and in my thoughts. I remember stories of Tom and Huck to this day and thinking about the stories you used to tell me before bed warms my heart. I love you so very very much. You will always be in my heart and thoughts.*

Wesley - October 05, 2022 at 11:40 PM



“ *Dear Grandad,*

Some of my fondest childhood memories are of visiting you and Nanna at your old house in El Cajon. It was always a pleasure to hear your jokes and your stories. I learned a lot from you on how a person can live with a sense of humor, not stress the small things, and treat those around you with kindness. You were a very happy person, and that happiness was spread to everyone around you. Miss you Grandad.

Love, Jared

Jared - October 02, 2022 at 06:08 PM

ES

“ Bill, or “Billy” as he was called by his siblings, was the third child of nine.

He was the best looking of all of us with his movie star looks. This is saying a lot as we were a handsome family. As Momma said, “beauty is as beauty does”. Our brother was kind, thoughtful and had manners that would make any Southerner proud. He was also honest and hard working.

He joined the Navy and moved to California where he met the love of his life, Jackie. Thiers was a fairy-tale romance.

He will be greatly missed.

Love, Beth

Elizabeth Shirley - September 22, 2022 at 12:23 PM

JR

“ Jackie, please forgive my typing errors. I meant how dear you will always be to me. Love you, Joyce

joyce reed - September 17, 2022 at 11:36 PM

JR

“ I remember my brother with love and affection. The happiest I ever saw him was when he met his wife, Jackie. How wonderful it is to know a marriage that lasted a lifetime and dear Jackie will always be to me.

joyce reed - September 17, 2022 at 11:28 PM

JS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



jackie smith - September 17, 2022 at 05:47 PM

JS

“ 'Stop all the clocks, cut off the telephone'
Stop all the clocks, cut off the telephone,
Prevent the dog from barking with a juicy bone,
Silence the pianos and with muffled drum
Bring out the coffin, let the mourners come.

Let airplanes circle moaning overhead
Scribbling on the sky the message He Is Dead,
Put crepe bows round the white necks of the public doves,
Let the traffic policemen wear black cotton gloves.

He was my North, my South, my East and West,
My working week and my Sunday rest,
My noon, my midnight, my talk, my song;
I thought that love would last for ever: I was wrong.

The stars are not wanted now: put out every one;
Pack up the moon and dismantle the sun;
Pour away the ocean and sweep up the wood;
For nothing now can ever come to any good.

W H Auden

All My Love for eternity. Me

jackie smith - September 17, 2022 at 05:07 PM

FM

“ Hi Dad!

I will never forget all the lessons you taught me about life, love and most of all, how to laugh. The stories you told me and the jokes you came up with never failed to make us both laugh, even if it was the 100th time I had heard it. It made me laugh that you still thought it funny. You're the best man I have ever known and I hope I live the rest of my life in a way that would make you proud. Your approval was always very important to me. I know you're in a place where you're young again and in no pain and I'm happy about that but I wish you were here with mom still. I love you Dad and will miss you everyday for the rest of my life: Until I see you again. Love your favorite Daughter!

faimé Milstead - September 17, 2022 at 03:43 PM

“ Dear Dad

Dear Dad, thank you for all that you gave me. You have always been my role model and my hero. You taught me right from wrong what it means to be a good man and a good person.

You showed me that a good man is patient and kind, gentle and forgiving.

Often times throughout my life when I've lost my cool, your example was always there to remind me to control myself, be gentle and kind, which takes true strength. The kind of strength you have Dad, my example of discipline of character.

You always have great stories to share, and bring humor to even the hardest of conditions.

Your way of bringing comfort to others.

One of the most important lessons you gave me is how to love. To love with your whole heart, and with everything you've got. Your devotion to family and friends is unmistakable. How you love Mom to me will always be the definition of what true love is.

To this day, and I'm sure for the rest of my days, your guidance is with me to show me the way.

The love that you gave me lives on in my heart and in my soul. Thank you, Dad, for loving me, Giving me strength. Even when we have been miles away, we have never been far apart.

Our love is forever and always. Though your passing from this life is saddening, I am comforted by knowing we will truly never be apart.

With love and respect,

*Your son
Curtis*

Curtis Smith - September 17, 2022 at 03:24 PM

LF

“ *Love, the Canaan Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mr. Bill Smith.*



Love, the Canaan Family - September 13, 2022 at 10:45 PM