



William (Squeak) Guy Smith

March 23, 1941 - November 10, 2019

William Guy “Squeak” Smith, 78, of Mentone, Alabama went to be with the Lord on Sunday, November 10, 2019 while at his home.

Born on March 23, 1941 and raised in Mentone, Alabama to parents John Paul Smith and Nettie Jane Crow Smith. He and his family descended from the Mayflower Pilgrims and other New England families that first moved from Massachusetts to the Mentone area around 1840. He was known by most as “Squeak”, a nickname given to him as an infant by his sister, Dorothy.

Squeak loved his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and was a lifelong, devoted member of Mentone Church of God of Prophecy which he had attended since birth. He also attended Moon Lake School in Mentone.

Squeak spent his entire adult life working in sales. As a young man he worked for Erby C. Harris as an automobile salesman at Harris Motors in Fort Payne and completed Chrysler Automotive Sales School. He later worked for William Blackburn at Mentone Superette before joining the mobile home industry working first with Pioneer Homes in Fort Payne and then Sunset Mobile Homes. He worked 48 years with Paul Green at Sunset Homes and was involved in placing countless individuals and families in homes.

Some of his fondest hobbies included fishing, working on vehicles, and getting to spend time with his family.

He was a proud, loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather to his six children, nineteen grandchildren, and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Survived by his wife of almost 53 years, Judy Hasting Smith; daughters, Crystal and Ray Poteat, Nicole and Josh Goldsmith; sons, Stacy and Karen Smith, Shan Smith and Heather Sandusky, Whitney and Crystal Smith, and Chad and Amber Smith; brother, John Paul Smith, Jr.; and his special pet Corgi, Sophie.

He is preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Levona Cooper, Dorothy Gray, Catherine Henley, and Geraldine Ellis; and brother, Ernest Smith.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Wilson Funeral Home with his eulogy given by two of his sons, Whitney and Chad, both local ministers. Burial will follow in Bankhead Cemetery. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 5 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Cemetery

Bankhead Cemetery
2151 County Road 642
Mentone, AL,

Events

NOV 13 Visitation 05:00PM - 08:00PM

Wilson Funeral Home
3801 Gault Ave. N, Fort Payne, AL, US, 35967

NOV 14 Funeral Service 02:00PM

Wilson Funeral Home Chapel
3801 Gault Avenue North, Fort Payne, AL, US, 35967

Comments



“ Prayers are with you all. So many times he would stop in at the store, when I worked there, an we would drink a cup of coffee together. If any of you need me , just give me a call.

Dwight Tilley Blue Ribbon Farms - November 13, 2019 at 05:05 PM



“ So sorry for your famlies loss our love and prays is with you all Wayne and Jannie McElhaney



jannie mcelhaney - November 12, 2019 at 08:00 PM



“ Judy, so sorry to hear of the passing of Squeak. He is a distant cousin of mine. We are related on both sides of his family. Paul is a relative of my Dad Blake and Squeak's mom is a relative of my mother. I haven't talked to Squeak if a couple of years or so. I considered him a true friend and am VERY SORRY at his passing. May God Bless you and yours always. And bless The Holy Name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.This is Donald Smith and I am so sorry to hear of his passing.

Donald Smith - November 12, 2019 at 04:24 PM



“ Judy you an your children are in my prayers Love Norma Hughes Tidmore,

Norma Dell TIDMORE - November 12, 2019 at 02:06 AM



“ I was privileged to call this wonderful man my brother-in-law for a number of years and I've never known any nicer person. To Judy, their children, grand children, great grandchildren, and the Smith Family, I send my deepest condolences and prayers. I am so sorry for your loss. Glenda Hasting Roden

Glenda Hasting Roden - November 11, 2019 at 06:37 PM



“ So sorry for your loss your family is in my prayers.



Carol Coots - November 11, 2019 at 05:26 PM



“ Great Godly man. Our family sure loved him and are so thankful we have gotten to get to know him the last five years. He will surely be missed. Continued prayers for his sweet family!

Jessica Battles - November 11, 2019 at 03:57 PM