



Royal "Smitty" Smith

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Royal "Smitty" Smith, 74, of Huntington, WV, passed away on Saturday, March 29, 2025, at St. Mary's Medical Center in Huntington.

Born on December 1, 1950, in Huntington, WV, he was the son of the late James and Frankie Johnson Smith.

Smitty was retired from the U.S. Postal Service and was a member of the First Christian Baptist Church in Guyandotte.

He is survived by his wife, Joan Smith; sons, Royal (Kristina) Hart Smith II and James (Jackie) Roger Smith; grandchildren, James Roger Smith Jr. and James (Hailey) Royal Smith; great-grandchildren, Gabby, Ari, Novah, Jayce, and Adelina; sisters, Jamie Henry, Carol Jarrell, Dorothy Harris, and Gail Smith; several nieces and nephews; and special daughter and Dolly and Cory Julian.

Visitation will be held from 6:00-8:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 1, 2025, at Hall Funeral Home and Crematory in Proctorville, OH.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at the funeral home, with Pastor Ray Vance and Pastor Delbert Dixon, officiating.

Burial will follow at Rosemont Memorial Gardens in Huntington, WV.

Condolences may be expressed to the family at ehallfuneralhome.com




Events


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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, April 1, 2025


 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

 **Hall Funeral Home & Crematory**
625 County Road 775, Proctorville OH 45669

Funeral Ceremony


 **Wednesday**, April 2, 2025

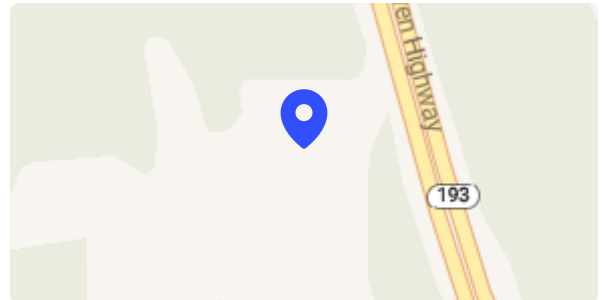
 1:00 PM ET

 **Hall Funeral Home & Crematory**
625 County Road 775, Proctorville OH 45669


Graveside Service

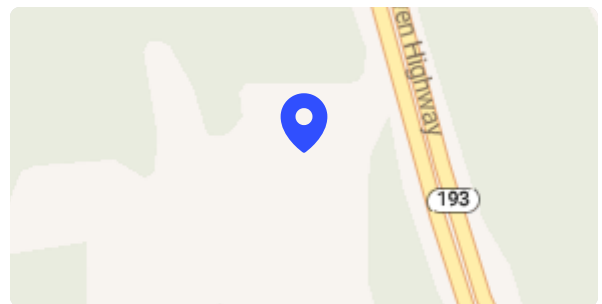
 **Wednesday**, April 2, 2025

 **Rosemont Memorial Gardens**
1057 Big Ben Bowen Highway, Huntington WV
25702



Cemetery Details

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Tribute Wall

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CS

Carrie Spangler lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

Even though I knew Smitty for a short amount of time, he was a blessing and I'm glad I got to know him. Thoughts & prayers for the family.

April 1 at 8:18 PM



LD

Lee Dequasie lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

April 1 at 1:36 PM



JH

Jamie Henry posted:

He was such a blessing to us He never met a stranger. He was a friend to everyone. He Loved Jesus and tried to tell everyone he met how to get saved. I'm so glad God put him in our family. He will be truly missed. Forever loved.

April 1 at 7:24 AM

JH

Jamie Henry lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

April 1 at 7:14 AM



GS

Gale Smith lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

March 31 at 7:40 PM



JH

Jamie Henry April 1 at 7:04 AM

He was such a precious person. Always tried to be good to every person he met. Loved Jesus and that was one of the things he he talked about so much especially at the end . He was so worried about members of his family not being saved. Maybe one day they will but they will always have his words telling them how.

JH

Jamie Henry April 1 at 6:55 AM

So beautiful and such precious memories.



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Gale Smith posted:

My handsome wonderful brother The moment you left I missed you. I could picture our mother holding her arms out and her little boy running, yes running into her arms. While our dad and everyone else we love that had went on before us were watching with smiles. What a reunion that must have been. We have so many Wonderful memories together It's hard to come up with just one. When we were children our mom would let us play under the kitchen table and give us a can of pork-n-beans and we would eat them out of the can while under the table like we were Cowboys camping out those were the great days. Oh and we would always have our cap guns hanging on our sides. Then we have the bad wreck you had years ago when we thought you weren't gonna make it, you told me in the elevator at the hospital to have you some Stewart's root beer And hot dogs when you got out. And all through the years even lately when you were sick in the hospital you would always want me to get you Stewart's root beer and hot dogs I'm glad I got chance to do that one last time. I'm sure God will have you an abundance of root beer in Heaven. So many things will always make me think of you when I see a car show,see a toy cap gun,Stewart's drive-in,tootsie rolls,model cars,Kings Island, The Beach and the movie Thunder Road. My heart is so broken I love you so much. I don't know how my life will be without seeing you again in person but as they say we have to go on,but one fine day we will be together again. I know you're in fine hands with God in heaven, With our mom and dad and everyone we love and my boys. Until the day we meet again I will miss you every minute. I love you "Bubby" forever in my heart. ALWAYS your little sissy ,Gale ❤️

March 31 at 6:35 PM



Bonita Porter posted:

You will truly be missed. You and Joanie and Jim and I were like family. We went to Kings Island, went fishing and shared lots of meals together. I was so happy when you accepted Christ as your Savior. Now you are reaping your rewards. Love Bonita

March 30 at 7:00 PM



Karen Canfield lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

I am so sorry for your loss and sadness! Prayers for family and friends! ❤️🙏❤️



March 30 at 12:30 PM



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SJ

Sean Jarrell lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

Uncle Roll I have so many great memories with you.. We had so much fun together. All your stories and teaching me all about cars. I can't believe you are gone it just doesn't seem real. I just thought you would live forever.. But I guess now you will live forever in our hearts.. Say hello to My Katie, Grandma and Grandpa. I see all of you just having a big party in heaven.. I hope I will be lucky enough to see you again.. I love and miss you so ❤️❤️

March 30 at 8:52 AM



BS

Brenda Sisler lit a candle in honor of Royal "Smitty".

March 30 at 8:06 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Royal "Smitty" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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