



Edward E. Smith

July 27, 1924 - March 23, 2014

Edward E. Smith of Queenstown, MD, died on March 23, 2014, at the Queen Anne's County Hospice Center in Centreville, MD. He was 89 years old.

Born in Queenstown, MD, on July 27, 1924, he was the son of the late Eli and Lydia Smith of Queenstown. Ed met and married Gladys M. Mansfield in 1943. Together they raised six children. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II, and was deployed to Germany. He was honorably discharged in 1946. Ed spent many years as a waterman and later Smith's Painting and Drywall, at which he worked until he retired.

Ed was a member of the Bay Country Moose Lodge and the American Legion Post #296 in Queenstown, MD. He loved his karaoke and said once that he was almost a star. He could also play a harmonica and a banjo. Some say he could make that thing talk! Ed also loved taking care of his squirrels.

He is survived by his children, Betty Lou Reynolds and her husband, Herman Reynolds, of Centreville, MD, Connie Sue Higgs and her husband, Billy Higgs, of Preston, MD, and Bonnie Lou Chance of Hillsboro, MD; a stepson, Robert Patchett of Queen Anne, MD; sisters, Frances Hammond of Centreville, MD and Betty Clark of Denton, MD; a brother, Calvin Smith, of Federalsburg, MD; his longtime companion and sister in-law, Rosie Smith; twelve grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and one great great-grandchild. He was preceded in

death by his wife, Gladys Smith; his wife, Blanche Smith; children, Edward Smith, Jr., Shirley Mae Thompson, and Mary Jane Horney; brothers, Eli, Jr., Albert, Henry, Sam, Harvey, Elwood, George and Eugene; and sisters, Lula Lewis and Emma Higdon.

A funeral service will be held at 12 p.m. on Friday, March 28, 2014, at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Centreville, MD, where friends and family may visit beginning at 11 a.m. Interment will follow in Chesterfield Cemetery, Centreville, MD.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, Inc., 255 Comet Dr., Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

Chesterfield Cemetery

406 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edward E. Smith*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Edward E. Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Edward E. Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *You will be missed especially at the vfw karaoke nights. Ms Gladys was moms cousin and so were you in our hearts. I loved Shirley so much and remember when little Eddie passed so go be with them and give them my love. Wanda collier*

wanda collier - March 30, 2014 at 12:06 PM



“ *See you on the other side Uncle, you can sing and I'll dance! We'll even have some cupcakes!*

Billie Jo Turner - March 27, 2014 at 04:01 PM

KL

“ KAREN LEGG lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith



KAREN LEGG - March 26, 2014 at 11:30 AM



“ Ruthie Patton lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith



Ruthie Patton - March 26, 2014 at 12:03 AM



Had some really fun nights singing with Uncle Eddie at the Moose. He made me laugh and smile. I'll always remember the day he, mom, and I sat and talked all afternoon. A really nice heart to heart.

Ruthie Patton - March 26, 2014 at 12:05 AM

BR

I know he enjoyed those nights as much as you did! Thanks for sharing some memories. He would be pleased. God Bless!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 26, 2014 at 05:06 AM

LB

“ Linda Bennett lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith



linda bennett - March 25, 2014 at 11:08 PM

LB

sorry for your loss

linda bennett - March 25, 2014 at 11:09 PM

BR

Thanks and God Bless!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 26, 2014 at 05:08 AM



“ *Raymond Dorrell lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith*



Raymond Dorrell - March 25, 2014 at 05:53 PM

BR

Thanks and God Bless!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 26, 2014 at 05:09 AM

CT

“ *Connie Todd lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith*



Connie Todd - March 25, 2014 at 12:16 PM

BR

Thanks and God bless you!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 25, 2014 at 05:18 PM

GP

“ *Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Edward E. Smith*



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - March 24, 2014 at 09:15 PM

GP

Will always remember the wonderful house painting Mr. Eddie did. He was neat and always wanted to make sure everything was done right. We would always chat when we would see him and never forgot us. Our prayers and blessings are with his family at this time. God Bless. Rest in Peace Mr. Eddie, Gene and Lynda Palmatary.

Gene and Lynda Palmatary - March 24, 2014 at 09:18 PM

BR

Thank you so much for your special words about our dad. He would be so pleased to hear how well you loved his painting. God bless you both!

Betty Lou Reynolds

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 25, 2014 at 05:16 PM

CM

“ *You always made me laugh and I know you will be missed by many. Much Love to the family during this sad time. May you Rest in Paradis Uncle Edward !!*



Cindy Mansfield - March 24, 2014 at 06:29 PM

BR

Thanks, Cindy! You are such a special person!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 25, 2014 at 05:16 PM

PM

“ *Phyllis Martin lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Smith*



phyllis martin - March 24, 2014 at 04:28 PM

PM

sorry for your loss

phyllis martin - March 24, 2014 at 04:29 PM

BR

Thanks, God bless you!

Betty Lou Reynolds - March 25, 2014 at 05:17 PM