



Carl Eugene Smith

March 25, 1933 - January 13, 2019

Carl E. Smith, age 85, of Huntington, died at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, January 13, 2019 at his home.

There will be no visitation or funeral services.

Preferred memorials are to VFW Post #2689 of Huntington, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Carl was born on March 25, 1933 in Huntington, the son of Alvin D. and Marie V. (Soper) Smith. He graduated from Huntington High School in 1952 and served in the United States Army during the Korean War. He married Barbara A. Harrell on November 3, 1953. He was the former owner of Smith's garage for 13 years; he loved working on cars as a mechanic. Carl served the City of Huntington as a police officer for 20 years. He worked for 16 years with Indiana State Revenue and served as Huntington County Auditor for four years. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren, as well as American Legion Post #7, VFW Post #2689, and the Fraternal Order of Police. He was a 50-year member of Amity Lodge #4483 and a member of Mizpah Shriner's Temple, the Scottish Rite of Fort Wayne, Little 500 Racing Shriners, York Rite of Indiana, and the Khyber Green Club.

Survivors include his wife of 65 years, Barbara A. Smith of Huntington, a son,

Wayne E. (Theresa) Smith of Huntington, daughters Pamela (Thomas) Holzinger of Roanoke and Karen (Steven) Fairchild of Columbia City, brothers Jack A. Smith and Larry W. Smith, a sister, Sharon Turner, nine grandchildren, and a great grandchild. His parents precede him in death.

Tribute Wall

TS

“ To the family of Carl Smith my thoughts and prayers are with you. I enjoyed talking with Carl on his walks around wal mart. Good guy!



Terry E Scher - January 24, 2019 at 04:18 PM

GS

“ I am saddened to learn of Carl's passing. We had been friends since I was a 19 year old kid. I was one of the few in Huntington that drove a VW Beetle. Smith Garage on Gardendale was the best VW place in town to have repairs made and as a result got to know Carl well. We had been acquainted with him previously because he went to school with my older brother Bob. When I returned from the Air Force, it was Carl who hired me onto the Police Department in July of 1968, his first. He was a kind, caring man. My sympathies to Barb and his children. He has gone to where the good go.



Gerald Sailors - January 20, 2019 at 08:18 AM

JA

“ Carl and I worked together on the Huntington Police Dept. so we shared many memories which was our good fortune, the years have passed to quickly. May a life well spend be a comfort.

j b allen

J. B. Allen - January 17, 2019 at 01:08 PM

 Annis Patee

“ *My condolences to the Smith family . Carl will be fondly remembered .*

Annis Patee - January 17, 2019 at 01:46 AM

DD

“ *My sympathy to Barbara and the Smith Family. Carl was a great friend.*

David Daugherty - January 16, 2019 at 11:22 PM

PR

“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



Paula Rice - January 16, 2019 at 06:43 PM

PJ

“ *Carl will be so missed by many. He had so many accomplishments in his life because of his love, hard work, and dedication to his family and country. What a kind wonderful person he was. I have so many great memories of Carl. I am so sorry for everyone in his family. My prayers and thoughts are with you all.*

Pamela (Rader) Johnston - January 16, 2019 at 06:35 PM

JE

“ I worked for Carl when he was Huntington County Auditor. He was very kind and generous. I have never had a job since where i was fed so well. We spent a lot if time together his last two years in office. I have very fond memories of him. Prayers to his family. His loss will be felt. Rest in peace dear friend! I hope heaven is an all you can eat buffet!! Jennifer Pyle Lee

jennifer - January 16, 2019 at 06:29 PM

RH

“ Sorry for your lost. We have great memories of the past with Carl.

Richard & Dianne Hollinger

Richard Hollinger - January 16, 2019 at 11:55 AM

KR

“ ON BEHALF OF THE COMRADES AND SISTERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA YOU HAVE OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR LOVED ONE AND OUR DEPARTED COMRADE. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. SINCERELY VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA STATE CHAPLAIN KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY

KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY - January 16, 2019 at 11:42 AM

MS

“ Mr. And Mrs. Joseph Schnitz lit a candle in memory of Carl Eugene Smith



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schnitz - January 16, 2019 at 04:53 AM

CK

“ I have fond memories of Mr. Smith growing up across the street from him and his family. My dad and I were so surprised to see him on the Honor Flight with us last May. We are so sorry for Mrs. Smith, Pam, Wayne, their families and his brothers. Our hearts goes out to all of you. Bill Kruzan & Connie Kruzan



Connie Kruzan - January 16, 2019 at 02:39 AM

PR

“ 1 file added to the album Memories for Carl Smith



Paula Rice - January 15, 2019 at 07:05 PM

PR

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Paula Rice - January 15, 2019 at 07:00 PM

RM

“ *Rex & Nancy Martin lit a candle in memory of Carl Eugene Smith*



Rex & Nancy Martin - January 15, 2019 at 06:57 PM

KB

“ *Kay Bartrom lit a candle in memory of Carl Eugene Smith*



kay bartrom - January 15, 2019 at 02:06 PM



“ *Carl was Chief of police and hired me in 1970 and this led to a 48 year in Law Enforcement . Carl was a asset to the city of Huntington with the years of his service.*

Barry Cochran - January 14, 2019 at 10:35 PM

CT

“ *Carl was just 12 years older than me, and was chief of police for some of the time when I was with the prosecutor's office. We always got along well, and respected each other. I remember when Don Yates, the prosecutor at the time, took Carl with us on a trip to Indianapolis to visit with the Attorney General's office. We shared a lot of laughs that day. Rest in peace, Carl.*

Chris Terry - January 14, 2019 at 07:37 PM

TK

“ *Deepest Sympathy to Barbara and family. Carl was a great person and will be missed.*

Terry and Pat Kelsey

Terry & Pat Kelsey - January 14, 2019 at 06:39 PM

NM

“ *Nancy Mccoart lit a candle in memory of Carl Eugene Smith*



Nancy Mccoart - January 14, 2019 at 05:29 PM

JT

“ *Joan Tardy lit a candle in memory of Carl Eugene Smith*



Joan Tardy - January 14, 2019 at 05:08 PM