



James "Jimmy" Smith

September 8, 1927 - June 29, 2019

Frankfort – James “Jimmy” Griffie Smith, age 91, passed away at home Saturday, June 29, 2019. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 3, 2019. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens with Military Honors conducted at the gravesite by the VFW Post 4075. The family will receive friends at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 2, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday.

Jimmy was born on September 8, 1927, to the late Hartford Allen and Ninnie Frances Howard Smith. He proudly served the Frankfort community for 25 years as a police officer retiring as Captain in 1979, and in addition, worked as retired at Farmer’s Bank and was a Special Deputy Sheriff for the Franklin County Sherriff’s Office. He enjoyed being active, whether it was trips to the store or dinners with his beloved wife. Jimmy’s life was dedicated to his family, being the support and influence for his children and grandchildren leading them to be the amazing people they are today. The depth of Jimmy’s character showed through his calm, cool, and collected demeanor to his family, friends, and the community he served, and with a loving, caring heart, always holding a special places for children and people in need.

He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Lois Lee Smith; children, Rhonda and Troy Woody, and Denise Smith, all of Frankfort; grandchildren, Brendon Woody (Lisa) of Lexington, Lindsey Fitzgerald (Brian) of Frankfort, Brittany May (Kelly), of Frankfort, and Brooklyn Hellard, of Frankfort, and great-

grandchildren, Kylie, Kinsey, and Kourtney Woody, Addison, Lauren, and Kendall Baker, Andrew Fitzgerald and Lillian May.

Serving as pallbearers will be the Frankfort Police Department Officers.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the Bluegrass Hospice Care, 663 Teton Trail, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, or Capital City Fraternal Order of Police, 104 Lakeview Ct, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road
Versailles, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-4526
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Visitation

JUL 3. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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Service

JUL 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ James "Jimmy" Smith

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ Denise Smith lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Smith



Denise Smith - July 09, 2019 at 10:19 PM



I love you so much, Daddy! I will see you again some day!

Denise Smith - July 09, 2019 at 10:20 PM



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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - July 02, 2019 at 01:55 PM

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“ *Michael Lee lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Smith*



Michael Lee - July 01, 2019 at 02:26 PM

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“ *Memories of my youth of my uncle Jimmy. He was my Dad's little sisters husband. He was well liked and well received by Aunt Lois's brothers. All of us kids liked Him as well. He was the calm one of the men at all the gatherings on Sundays at Maw & Paw Lees home. Me and my brother Calvin, actually went on a date outing with Aunt Lois and then "boyfriend" Jimmy many moons ago before they tied the knot! Don't remember much, but me and Calvin were in the back seat getting a little bored ! I know He is now with Jesus and many more of our friends and relatives who have gone on before us to Glory land! I will miss you here on Earth Uncle Jimmy, but will meet you someday on the other side of the Jordan!*

your nephew, Mike Lee (Pig's Boy) !

Michael Lee - July 01, 2019 at 02:21 PM