



Phillip Gipson Smith

December 7, 1959 - September 21, 2021

Frankfort – Phillip Gipson Smith, age 61, passed away on Tuesday, September 21, 2021. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Monday, September 27, 2021, at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Bill Hartung officiating. Burial will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. The family will receive friends at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Monday.

Phillip was born in Frankfort on December 7, 1959, to Charles E. Smith and Patricia Triplett Smith. He was employed by Power Service Agency as a regional sales manager. Phillip was an avid University of Kentucky and NASCAR fan. Most of all, he loved spending over 25 years of his life refereeing several sports for many kids in the community.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his son, Shayne Allen Smith; sister, Jennifer Lewis-Bass (Stephen), half-brother, Charles “Chuck” Smith; grandchildren, Abigail Smith, Isabella Smith-Hackworth, Noah Smith, and Triston Smith; great-grandchildren, Lennon Wyatt, Bailee Smith, and Alayna Smith; niece, Andrea Lewis-Womack (Seth); great-nephew, Dylan Womack and great-niece Delaney Womack. He was also blessed with several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Phillip was preceded in death by his wife, Nicole Haverty Smith; maternal grandparents, Harry Triplett and Geneva Triplet Vaughn; paternal grandparents, Henry Smith and Alice Smith; and brother-in-law, John R. Lewis, III.

Serving as pallbearers will be Seth Womack, Noah Smith, Charles “Chuck” Smith, and Efren “Alex” Prado, Jeremy Triplett, and Rick Waddle. Honorary pallbearers will be Richard Smith, Jimmy Smith, Mike Triplett, Triston Smith, Ed Stansberry, Bob Ault, and Pat Grugin.

Livestreaming of the services will be available on Monday, September 27, 2021, after 1:00 p.m. via www.harrodbrothers.com/service-videos

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Cemetery Details

Frankfort Cemetery

215 East Main Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-2403

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-4526
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<https://www.harrodbrothers.com>

Live Streaming of Service

SEP 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

HB Live Streamed Services
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3Tu6xc7pPEA72hRG8Mmlow>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillip Gipson Smith*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Dear Jenny, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and all of Phillip's family,*

I was out of town and could not attend the funeral but my heart and prayers were with you all. Jenny, you and Phillip were such wonderful friends growing up. In those days we never thought about getting old and death. Those days seemed much easier and happier to live. Please know that I'm asking God to bless you all with strength and peace that only He can give. Much love, Kim Tillett

Kimberley N Tillett - October 05, 2021 at 04:38 PM



“ *Joe Peters, Electi-Glass purchased the Mrs. Field's Signature Heritage Pail for the family of Phillip Gipson Smith.*



Joe Peters, Electi-Glass - September 25, 2021 at 10:24 AM



“ *I'm so terribly sorry for your loss. Phillip was a great friend and will be so missed.*



Lisa Ballinger - September 24, 2021 at 01:10 PM

RJ

“ Richard Wilson trucking had the pleasure of meeting Phillip a short time ago thru a mutual friend Janet Hulett later became my lady. A month ago we went to Florida. Our vehicle broke down on our return home in Georgia. We were stuck. No rentals available no parts to repair ours. Phillip heard of our dilemma and dropped everything and drove 12 yrs to bring us home. He wouldn't accept payment. He was just glad to help. As we shook hands and he drove away. I new why Janet called him a friend. Now I new I had a friend on my side also. Just an honest sincere guy whiling to help. I'm sure he will be greatly missed. Sincerely Richard Wilson

Richard @ Janet - September 23, 2021 at 08:24 PM



“ This loss is such a shock even though I had not seen Phillip since a few years after high school. He was always such a nice guy and a real gentleman. I would see him at Winn Dixie of course when I would go and we would catch up. He had a gift for talking to anyone which made him seem more mature. Great sense of humor and he was Jenny's brother but everyone else's too - that was Phillip. I know he will be missed but am glad to see he had a large family which is such a tribute to him. He would give you the shirt off his back that was Phillip. To me he is still that guy from Elkhorn Elementary and FCHS and Jenny's brother. He is not all grown up with a family and kid and grandkids. He was way to young to be gone. My thoughts are with you all as you go through this time and hope that you know many are praying for the Lord to bring you comfort and joy in the life that he led. I am sure you don't need me to tell you that he was a wonderful person and I was truly blessed to know him. Kelly Tillett Feifer

Kelly Feifer - September 23, 2021 at 06:56 PM

DB

“ I've known Phillip since high school. He was a very kind person, loved by many and will be missed dearly. Thoughts are with his family and many friends.

Deb Bingham - September 23, 2021 at 05:52 PM

NR

“ Nancy Roberts lit a candle in memory of Phillip Gipson Smith



Nancy Roberts - September 23, 2021 at 04:40 PM

BG

“ Bonnie Gaines lit a candle in memory of Phillip Gipson Smith



Bonnie Gaines - September 23, 2021 at 02:14 PM

KH

“ I don't even know what to say. I'm shocked and so extremely saddened. We loved Phillip and all you guys. Please know we are praying for you all. You are family. If there is anything at all you need us to do you just need to ask.

Love you so much,
Kim and Mike and family

Kim Hall - September 23, 2021 at 12:35 PM



Tim
Clark

Although your work here on earth is done. Your life in heaven has just begun. Your struggles here were long and hard. But they're over now, you're finally home my friend.

Tim Clark - September 23, 2021 at 03:41 PM



MP

Such a nice guy. When we saw each other we would pull over and shoot the bull. RIP Phillip.

Mike Pelosi - September 23, 2021 at 09:16 PM



KS

I will miss Phillip very badly. He was certainly a wonderful person. My thoughts and prayers are with his entire family, but especially with Shayne, his sister Jenny and his brother Chuck. Good Bye for now Bubba.

Karol Smith Sargent

Karol Smith Sargent - September 24, 2021 at 09:33 AM