



Roland A. Smith

June 11, 1955 - August 4, 2020

Roland A. Smith, 65, passed away August 4, 2020 at Copiah County Medical Center. Visitation will be 4pm-6pm Monday, August 10, 2020, at Stringer Family Funeral Services in Crystal Springs.

Mr. Smith is survived by his wife, Cynthia McClelland Smith of Crystal Springs; sons, Jeremy Smith (Giselle) of Lacey, WA; Dane Knight of Carson City, NV; brother, Bob Smith (Phyllis) of West Chester, PA; sister, Carol (Bob) Curtis of Media, PA; grandchildren, Isa Smith, Gavin Smith, Xavier Forte, and Abby Smith; and several nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **10**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Stringer Family Funeral Home - Crystal Springs

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Tribute Wall



“ *Roland A. Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *Heartfelt condolences to Roland's family and friends. We were in grade school together and went all the way through high school with good times paling around and having fun. Roland shined from his good heart as his always friendly demeanor, humor and talent kept us all in good spirits.*

Darren Ginn - June 13, 2021 at 09:38 AM



“ *I will always remember our fun times for many years in the Art Room at Penncrest High School and Indian Lane Junior High! You were always a character with your sense of humor! Your kindness and gently spirit will also be remembered! I think learning all I did from you about your Coast Guard experiences when my cousin was passing in the VA put a different facet on how I knew you! Thank You for your service to our Nation. I am sure you are a bright star in heaven! I wish I knew about this sooner but somehow I got Cindy's post on my feed on FB on your Birthday is the same day as our sons just 30 years earlier! Prayers for comfort and peace for your family! Rest In Peace Roland! Dana*



Dana Walz - June 12, 2021 at 10:21 AM

GR

“ Ginny Raasch purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Roland A. Smith.



Ginny Raasch - August 09, 2020 at 02:21 PM

BS

“ Rol was a force to be reckoned with and always remembered. From stories of him and his brother being tied to a chair as boys to tales of Coast Guard rescues, all could tell that he was special. He lived a beautiful life and will be missed by many. Wishing you strength for today and hope for tomorrow.
With love and remembrance, Bob & Phyllis

Bob & Phyllis Smith - August 08, 2020 at 11:52 AM

PS

“ Phyllis A Smith purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Roland A. Smith.



Phyllis A Smith - August 08, 2020 at 10:24 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Roland A. Smith.



August 07, 2020 at 11:02 PM

TC

“ Cindy

*So sorry to hear about the passing of Roland.
We have missed having him in the club but I
know he was enjoying living in Mississippi.
Our condolences to you and your family. Stay safe.*



Teya Caple-Woods and Tidewater Big Train Operators

Teya Caple-Woods - August 07, 2020 at 06:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Roland A. Smith.*



August 07, 2020 at 01:03 PM

SJ

“ *Dependable, capable, practical, courageous and committed to the
mission. Doc will forever remain in my memories as one of those
people who only saw the possibilities in life's challenges and not the
limitations. The world was a better place while he was here.*

Captain Steve Johnson, Chesapeake Fire Department (Retired).

Steven Johnson - August 07, 2020 at 10:32 AM

CT

“ *Chesapeake CERT Team purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Roland A. Smith.*



Chesapeake CERT Team - August 07, 2020 at 08:19 AM

PR

“ *I had the honor of working with him when stationed at the USCG Support Center, Portsmouth, VA. I was the Clinic Administrator and he was the Chief. He was a joy to work with and made my job easier. The clinic staff, and others around the base, knew they could count on him whenever needed.*



Even though I have not seen him in years, my heart aches. Prayers and blessing to his family and friends.

Fair wind and following seas. Rest easy, Senior Chief, we have the watch.

P.D.Scott, MED-4, USCG, Ret - August 06, 2020 at 02:50 PM

RW

“ I had the pleasure of working with Doc for a few years. We could talk about just about anything and he'd always add real value to the conversation. He had a deep knowledge of many subjects, and was always expanding his interests. He was meticulous in all aspects of his work and projects. He cared deeply for everyone in his family, and was proud of each and every one of them. Roland had a drive and motivation that would often spread to those around him, including myself. A proud native of Pennsylvania, he ventured out into the world and did many wonderful things. He was a force for good, and made the world a better place, something Im positive his family has also done, and will continue to do. My condolences to you all; Doc will be deeply missed.


Rick Wicks - August 06, 2020 at 06:30 AM

CS

“ Cindy Snith sent a virtual gift in memory of Roland A. Smith



Cindy Snith - August 06, 2020 at 05:21 AM

 Nancy
B. Kraus

“ I only had the opportunity to meet him a few times. He was a smart man with a sense of humor and a lovely wife. I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My condolences.

Nancy B. Kraus - August 06, 2020 at 01:08 AM