



Mack Nelson Smith Jr.

August 7, 1949 - January 15, 2024

Mack Nelson Smith, Jr., age 74, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Monday, January 15, 2024 in a Roanoke, Virginia hospital.

He was born in Richlands, Virginia and was the son of the late Mack Nelson Smith, Sr. and Altha Marlow Smith.

He was a lifelong resident of the area and was a retired coal miner of 22 years. He was a U.S. Army Vietnam Veteran and was a graduate of Richlands High School Class of 1968. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Louise Mullins.

Survivors are:

His Companion of 30 years: Gail Haywood Rakes

Daughter: Kelli Smith of Claypool Hill, Virginia

Grandchildren: Zach Smith and Zoe Smith

Funeral services for Mack Nelson Smith, Jr. will be conducted Friday, January 19, 2024 at 7pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with Pastor Lisa Haywood officiating. Friends may visit with the family from 6pm until 7pm prior to the funeral on Friday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral

Home in Richlands, Virginia. Members of the Casey-Shortt VFW Post #9640 will conduct military rites.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

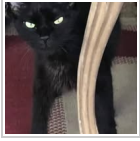
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Funeral

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Tribute Wall



“ R.I.P. MY FRIEND



Davie Horton - January 24, 2024 at 06:57 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Mack. He was a great guy and former teammate at RHS under Coach Dunham.

Tom Jessee

Tom Jessee - January 19, 2024 at 04:54 PM



“ Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mack Smith



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - January 19, 2024 at 03:30 PM



“ Yes, I remember cutting trees down on the banks of the Clinch River behind his house and dragging them up and building a cabin when we were kids. Many fond memories. He will be missed greatly. Our prayers go out to the whole family.

Andy Lee Walls & Family - January 19, 2024 at 03:27 PM

CH

“ Kelly, I’m so sorry for your loss.
Prayers for you and your family.



Carolyn Walk Hess - January 19, 2024 at 12:22 AM



Thank you.

Kelli Smith - January 19, 2024 at 02:33 PM

JJ

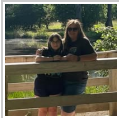
“ Gail I’m so sorry sending you lots of love and prayers I always loved
Mack

joann coffman joyce - January 18, 2024 at 09:23 PM

SC

“ Family of William Kelton Smith (Buddy) sends prayers and thoughts
to the family.

Sondra S Crigger - January 18, 2024 at 07:45 PM



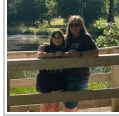
Thank you so much.

Kelli Smith - January 19, 2024 at 02:34 PM

PW

“ So sorry to hear this. Mack was always very nice and friendly. He
was a classmate for our RHS class of 1968. Prayers for his family.
May God bless and comfort each of his family.

Pat Warner - January 17, 2024 at 09:28 PM



Thank you for your kind thoughts of my father.

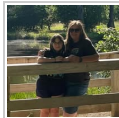
Kelli Smith - January 19, 2024 at 02:34 PM



“ *I'm so sorry, Kelly.*



Marie Altizer - January 17, 2024 at 06:28 PM



Thank you, Marie.

Kelli Smith - January 19, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mack Nelson Smith Jr..*



January 17, 2024 at 06:21 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Mack Smith*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 17, 2024 at 05:51 PM