



Mac Larry Smith

January 2, 1944 - December 25, 2010

Mac Larry Smith, 66, husband of Barbara Cooklin-Smith, of 955 Pickett Post Road, Walhalla, SC, passed peacefully in his sleep at home on December 25, 2010.

Mr. Smith was born in the Boones Creek Community of Salem, the second of three sons to Margaret "Bessie" Chapman Smith and the late Ernest Smith on January 2, 1944. He was a retired United States Mail Carrier where he served thirty years with the Salem and Tamassee Post Offices. Mr. Smith retired from the Oconee County School District after working several years as a facilities specialist at Tamassee-Salem Elementary School. His most recent employment was with Snow Creek Meats as a deliveryman.

Mr. Smith was a 1961 graduate of Salem High School , was an ordained deacon of the Baptist Church and attended Calvary Baptist Church when his health permitted. He served our country as a member of the United States Army Reserve Unit based in Clemson.

In addition to his wife of thirty-three years and mother, Mr. Smith is survived by a daughter, Lori Jean Smith of Orangeburg; son, Jack Robert Smith and wife Tarra of Seneca; granddaughters, Taylor Madison and Emma Kate Smith of Seneca; brothers, Laylon Smith and wife Doris of Salem and Lynn Smith and wife Sandra of West Union; brother-in-law, Earl Cooklin and wife Joyce of

Hastings, Michigan; five nieces, two nephews, four great nephews, one great niece and two Goddaughters.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 PM Thursday, December 30, 2010 from the Chapel of Davenport Funeral Home with burial to follow in Salem First Baptist Church Cemetery. The body is at Davenport Funeral Home where the family will receive friends from 6-8:00 PM Wednesday, December 29, 2010.

The family is at the residence.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mac Larry Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Dear Smith Family,
I was saddened for you when I heard that Larry had passed away. I'm sure Dad is happy to see him! He was so special to our family and a good friend to my dad. We will lift you up in prayer during the months ahead.##imported-begin##suzanne merrell##imported-end##*

January 21, 2011 at 08:25 PM



“ *Barbara, Jack & Lori Jean, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. May the Lord comfort you and surround you with his peace.##imported-begin##Michelle Winchester Kendrick##imported-end##*

January 07, 2011 at 04:13 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy goes to the family of Larry Smith. He was not only my mailman. I feel honored to call Larry my friend. He was a very dear one at that. May God comfort you in this very difficult time. May He give you the strength to endure the very difficult days ahead.*

Sincerely

Dianne##imported-begin##Dianne Reid##imported-end##

January 04, 2011 at 10:32 AM



“ Keeping you in our prayers and thoughts during this challenging time. In your life of adjustment and new beginning we send our condolences to the family and acquaintances.
With Christian love and best wishes.
Leroy and Joyce###imported-begin###Leroy and Joyce
Stewart###imported-end##

December 30, 2010 at 11:31 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers remain with you all during this time.###imported-begin###Jody McGee###imported-end##

December 29, 2010 at 02:26 PM



“ May God keep you and protect you###imported-begin###Stephen
Jones###imported-end##

December 28, 2010 at 10:38 PM



“ Smith Family - Please know my most sincere thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time. May God's grace and love surround each of you as only he can do.###imported-begin###Martha
LeCroy###imported-end##

December 28, 2010 at 10:16 PM



“ *To the Smith Family:
Words cannot express the feelings I hold for you at this moment. But our God is a good God and I know he holds you all in His loving hands. Trust and lean on Him for strength and understanding. Lori I know you know that we are here for you. Just call. Love you and yours.##imported-begin##Beverly Parler-Rice##imported-end##*

December 28, 2010 at 09:38 PM



“ *You stand strong in the knowledge that Larry is the happiest and healthiest and received the best Christmas present of anyone on earth this year--Christmas in Heaven must be AWESOME!!
You're in my thoughts and prayers, girl!
Love Ya,
Jody##imported-begin##Jody Pitterle##imported-end##*

December 28, 2010 at 02:38 PM



“ *Barbara,
So sorry to hear of your loss. Focus on the good times. May God bless you with serenity at this time and the days to follow.
Blessings and Peace.
Pat##imported-begin##Patricia Grant Rhoden##imported-end##*

December 28, 2010 at 09:52 AM



“ *##imported-begin##Patricia Grant Rhoden##imported-end##*

December 28, 2010 at 09:48 AM



“ Larry was a wonderful person. I went to church with him for years and he was my mail carrier. I know everyone will really miss him. You have my deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Donice Kelley##imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 10:27 PM



“ Our deepest sympathies are with you during this difficult time. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Terry and Jamie Tilson##imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 08:43 PM



“ Lori, Jack, and Barbara,
I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Amy##imported-begin##Amy Twitty##imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 06:21 PM



“ To: Lori, Jack, Momma Smith, Taylor, Emma and Tarra. God gave us the greatest gift his son on Christmas and just think that God would send his angels to bring home one of his servants who has toiled for many a years on the same day we celebrate the greatest gift to mankind. That must be love. This year won't be easy, but with prayer and love ones near it will help you cope. My prayers are with you Lori and the family and I am only a telephone call and a shoulder away.

Myra##imported-begin##Myra M. Barnes##imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 04:18 PM



“ Lori Jean and family we are all saddened by the pain you guys are going through at this difficult time of loss. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers. If you need anything let us know. Lindsey, Deanna, Caroline, Donna, Alex, and Michael AKA " the circle in orangeburg"###imported-begin##lindsey jackson###imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 01:45 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Larry was a wonderful person and will be missed so much.

Praying God will comfort you in this time of need.

Sincerely,

Glenda###imported-begin##Glenda Towe###imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 10:08 AM



“ Larry was the mail carrier for my family for many years while I was a boy growing up in Salem, SC and for many years afterward. He was a good man and a family friend. My sincere sympathies to his family and friends.###imported-begin##Wayne Reid###imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 05:43 AM



“ *To Larry's Family*

We are so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. Our thoughts are prayers are with you all.

Paul & Brenda Chalmers##imported-begin##Brenda Chalmers##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 10:25 PM



“ *May you find peace and comfort in your faith knowing Larry has gone home to our heavenly father.*

Our sympathy to your family.##imported-begin##Frieda Cobb##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 08:37 PM



“ *My prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Reg Tatum##imported-end##*

December 26, 2010 at 07:36 PM



“ *Barbara myprayers are with you.I know how you hurt. But I know if you will lean on Jesus he will be with you and comfort you and family. And a special prayer for the rest of the family, May God bless allof you.*

Love Fae Miller##imported-begin##Fae Miller##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 06:33 PM



“ I am saddened to hear the news of Larry's passing. I thought alot of him. My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you face such sorrow. May the Lord comfort you and shower you all with His amazing grace and peace as only He can do. May God bless you all.

Tonya Bowen Cain##imported-begin##Tonya Bowen
Cain##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 06:03 PM



“ All our thoughts and prayers are with you Barb at this sad time,

Rob and Kelly Hirss
Pete and Eileen Basham
Lori and Ken Whitney
Reese and Connie Basham##imported-begin##Kelly
Hirss##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 05:41 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. May the words in Isaiah 57:15 give you hope and comfort.##imported-begin##Barb & Tom Layton##imported-end##

December 26, 2010 at 02:33 PM



“ *Barbara, Jack and Lori our hearts were saddened when we heard of Larry's homegoing. Heaven is indeed brighter with his presence with Jesus and all the other loved ones of his. Look to God for the guidance, comfort and strength you will need in the difficult days ahead. Love you all.##imported-begin##Glenn and Janice Price##imported-end##*

December 26, 2010 at 01:01 PM