



Bennie Smith III

December 26, 1963 - October 16, 2015

Bennie Smith III son of Patricia Smith and the late Bennie Smith Jr. was born December 26, 1963 in Long Beach, California and entered into rest in his home October 16, 2015 in Anderson, Missouri at the age of 51.

Bennie enjoyed fishing, being outdoors, and his animals. He was a very simple guy with a big heart. He loved his family greatly and will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

Bennie is survived by his mother, Patricia Smith of Linn, Missouri; sister, Patricia Smith and husband Mark of Linn, Missouri; special friend, Shelly Osburn of Anderson, Missouri; daughters, Jennifer Smith and Synthia Smith; nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Bennie Smith Jr. and his grandparents.

A memorial service for Bennie Smith III will be held 1:00PM Thursday, October 22, 2015 at the Salem Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Pastor Billy Anderson officiating. A visitation for family and friends will be held prior to service from 11:30 – 1:00 PM. Interment will be held in the Dry Fork Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bennie Smith III*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



“ *Bennie Smith III*

January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bennie Smith III.*



October 21, 2015 at 07:05 PM



“ *Billie Briggs lit a candle in memory of Bennie Smith III*



Billie Briggs - October 21, 2015 at 06:09 PM



“ *I am sorry to hear of the passing of a distant cousin, Bennie Smith III. I knew the older Smith and related families very well. I extend my thoughts and prayers to each member of the family. May God bless and comfort all of you.*

Ken Fiebelman - October 21, 2015 at 09:04 AM

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“ *Tammy Christie lit a candle in memory of Bennie Smith III*



Tammy Christie - October 21, 2015 at 01:18 AM

TC

“ *Ben had such a kind heart. He always called my dad, his good friend Glen every morning to check on him. He made sure when Shelley was home and they had a cook out that they made plenty of food to bring some over to my dad. I will always remember Ben for his kind heart and his big smile. He could always make me laugh. Nobody was ever a stranger to him. He was family to me and I miss him already.*

Tammy Christie - October 21, 2015 at 01:17 AM