



David Edward Smith

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Services for David Edward Smith , 32, of Longview will be noon Saturday at the Rader Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Marion Coon officiating. Burial will follow at Rosewood Park . David died Thursday morning at a Longview hospital.

He was born December 28, 1974 at Farmville, Virginia and had resided in Longview for 7 years. David was a corrections officer for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and a member of the Baptist faith.

He is survived by his wife, Celita of Longview; his daughters Alexis and Trinity; a brother, Frank Smith of Southhill, Virginia; parents, Stanley and Sandra Piwtoratsky of Blackstone, Virginia,; grandmother, Jean Hunte of Blackstone, Virginia; 3 nieces and 2 nephews.

The family will receive friends at Rader Funeral Home Friday evening 6 to 8 pm.



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous posted:

I was both shocked and saddened when I heard the news of David's passing. I only knew him for a short time but I have so many great and funny memories that I will never forget him.##imported-begin##Jeff Church##imported-end##

May 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I loved David like a brother and wish I could've spent more time with him recently. Sandra if you ever need anything, don't hesitate to contact me.##imported-begin##Josh Freed##imported-end##

May 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Celita, We are so sorry for your loss...we will be here for you & the girls...if there is anything we can do, please don't hesitate to call. I love you. You & your families are in our prayers. Marsha Warren##imported-begin##Marsha Warren##imported-end##

May 14 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Words cannot begin to describe how sorry I was to hear about David. We have been good friends since we were kids but we became closer than others over the past ten years. David was someone who could always make you laugh and we had a lot of great times together. I really missed David when he moved to Texas but he made a great life for himself and his wife and daughters. I will always remember David and will smile knowing how blessed I am to have known him.##imported-begin##Lonnie Morgan##imported-end##

May 13 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

It is with great sadness that we have heard of David's death. I was always impressed by what a warm, caring and respectful young man David was. Even though we have not had the opportunity to see him in some time, we have always tried to keep up to date with him through his mother, Sandra. I was greatly pleased that he found such happiness, joy, and self-fulfillment in Texas. Celita, although your pain is great right now, let this thought console you... David is like the lovely rose that grew through the fence to better receive the "Light" of God's Love on the other side. David and Christy Hunte##imported-begin##James Hunte##imported-end##

May 13 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I had the pleasure of meeting David a few years ago when he came to VA. I am so very sorry that this happened to such a sweet fellow. I know that he loved his wife and daughters very much, and was very close to his family. Please accept our sincere condolences. Your loss is Heaven's gain!##imported-begin##Teresa Keller##imported-end##

May 12 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

##imported-begin##Steve Winn##imported-end##

May 11 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry to hear about David. He was a great man who always could make people laugh. I can't tell you how many times I have laughed with him when we were younger. I have always missed him since he left Virginia. David was one of those people who I will never forget and I will always feel honored that God allowed me to be his friend. His heart was huge and my memories of him will never be forgotten. God Bless everyone in this difficult time.##imported-begin##Jason & Shaun Seamster##imported-end##

May 11 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss! I am a neighbor, only saw him, coming and going, but he always spoke and smiled, and made my day brighter. We talked right before his baby was born, and he told me how excited he was, and then when she came home--he was so happy! I will miss his friendly wave, and smile! You are all in my prayers, and I know that God will hold you close and give you comfort! Love, Mary, Scott and Quintin Stout###imported-begin###mary womack stout###imported-end##

May 11 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We are so sorry for your loss. Know our thoughts and prayers are with you. Suzann has been keeping us posted on David's condition. Nottoway Baptist Church along with us have been praying for him and the family. May God continue to give you comfort and peace. Love in Christ, Wayne & Charlotte Wood###imported-begin###Charlotte & Wayne Wood###imported-end##

May 10 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

David, when you are in heaven looking down on your family remeber your blood father and blood brother will never forget you and will never forget you###imported-begin###S. Edward Smith###imported-end##

May 10 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

###imported-begin###Dexter Payne###imported-end##

May 10 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Sandra, Jeremy and Ed, Even though we haven't seen him in years, we remember "Little David" as being such a kind young man, he always took the time to smile and say hello. Our deepest sympathy to you and your families 2 Corinthians 1:3-7###imported-begin###Kitty Dews & Sara Hunte###imported-end##

May 10 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

All of you - David, Celita, Alexis and Trinity, David's family and Celita's family are in my prayers. I hope that you will allow God to comfort you during this tremendously painful time for your family. I hope you're confident that David is now safe in God's loving hands and will forever look down on the ones he loved so dearly - especially his precious girls Celita, Alexis and Trinity. May they never ever forget how not only their earthly father loves them, but their heavenly one as well. God bless you all. Shandra Coleman##imported-begin##shandra coleman##imported-end##

May 9 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

To our Texas family, we are so sorry for the loss of my nephew. He was a great guy!! He is now with our Lord and is free of all discomfort. We pray for all of you. David is now in the Kingdom of God. To David's mother, my sister Sandra, we are there in TX with you. Our hearts are broken in sorrow. We love each of you. Celita, you were the perfect wife. Thank you for making David the happiest man on earth. You and the girls will always hold a special part of our hearts. We send our love and prayers, and if you ever need anything. Just call on us. Love, Suzann, Mac & son John##imported-begin##Suzann Osborne##imported-end##

May 9 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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