



## Dan L. Smith

September 1, 1933 - March 8, 2014

Daniel Leon Smith, 80, of Searcy received his reward and was welcomed into heaven on March 8, 2014. He was born on September 1, 1933 to the late Harold and Florence Smith in Summerville, PA.

He was a minister at Highway Church of Christ having served as a minister in West Virginia, Pennsylvania, and Arkansas for the past 60 years. He attended Montgomery Bible College, which is currently Faulkner University in Montgomery, AL.

He will be remembered as a faithful, kindhearted, loving, affable and overall great man who touched countless lives. His lifetime mission was to share the Lord with everyone he met.

He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Norma Jean Bice; his daughter Danna (Brian) Mayhall of Searcy; sons, Steven (Vicky) Smith of Floral; David (Jodie) Smith of Brentwood, TN and Jeffrey (Bridget) Smith of Searcy. Grandchildren are Malesa McLeod, Taylor, Brennan and Keaton Smith, Brad and Ben Smith and Kimberly Moore, Zoe Grace and Lane Smith. Great-grandchildren are Charlotte and Theo Hiltz and Clement McLeod.

He is also survived by 5 brothers and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters, 3 brothers and his

granddaughter Amelia Mayhall Hiltz.

Visitation with the family will be Monday, March 10, 6p-8p, at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy with funeral service on Tuesday at 11am at Highway Church of Christ, Judsonia.

# Tribute Wall

CT

“ I wish, at the end of my time in this life, to be remembered as the nucleus (along with my wife) of a mighty, happy, generous and kind family. If I can achieve the degree to which Dan Smith accomplished this, my wish will have come true. The Smith progeny are a very special group and the best possible tribute of respect to Dan.

Heather and I grieve for the loss of the Smith family and so many who have known Dan.

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**Curt Thorne** - May 04, 2016 at 04:44 PM

AW

“ Our deepest sympathies to The Smith Family for the loss of your wonderful Husband/Dad/Grandfather.

The memories you cherish of times spent together will help heal your hearts.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all,  
Anne & Steve Wise

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**Anne & Steve Wise** - May 04, 2016 at 04:44 PM

BH

“ Sending our deepest sympathy. Remembering the special times our families shared in Pa.Dan will be greatly missed.Remembering you in thought and prayer. Love, Bob and Nancy (Knight) Hennen

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**Bob and Nancy Hennen** - May 04, 2016 at 04:44 PM

AD

“ We will keep your family close to our hearts. You will be in our prayers during this bittersweet time of celebration of a life well lived and mourning the loss of a loved one.

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**Allen and Debbie Deaver** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

AW

“ Dan L. Smith

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**Anne & Steve Wise** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

AP

“ I want to wish my deepest condolences to the Smith family in the passing of a great man that truly loved The Lord. I did not know Dan but was able to watch the recent video of his life's testimony of sharing the Love of Christ with everyone that he knew and it made me wish that i had known him! I do know his son Dave and he is a great friend and co-worker and a man of great encouragement, faithfulness and integrity. It is clear that Dave and Dan share these things in common. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you in this time of loss. Poenitske Family

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**Alan Poenitske** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

BH

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Love, Bob and Nancy (Knight) Hennen

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**Bob and Nancy Hennen** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

SS

“ I remember many visits with Dan at Mom and Dad's homes over the years. Now Dad is gone, Uncle Marion is gone, and Dan is gone. May God bless and strengthen all of you.

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**Steve Stevens** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

RP

“ May we extend our deepest sympathy to you each over the loss of such a blessed man, he walked with grace upon this earth to insure we too would be saved. We are thankful for the blessings in each message he gave. We will remain in prayer lifting you to a comfort that only God may provide at this time.

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**Ron & Shelley Pruett** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

WM

“ I would like to extend my deepest heartfelt sympathy to the family. He baptized me and I looked up to him as a brother.

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**willis mcfadden** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

JT

“ I will always appreciate and remember Dan for his work in teaching others and his kindness to me and many others through the years. He was definitely a source of encouragement to others. God bless his family.

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**Jack Thorn** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM

WM

“ brother dan led me to the lord baptized me and taught me gods word to this day 30 years later i still love jesus as my savior. he pastored the connellsville church of christ he was a dear brother and i sadly miss him.

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**willis mcfadden** - February 10, 2016 at 02:42 PM