



## James Lynn Smith

September 16, 1987 - April 1, 2018

James Lynn Smith, age 30 of Judsonia, died Sunday, April 1, 2018 in Searcy. He was born September 16, 1987 in Searcy, Arkansas. He was the School Resource Officer (White County Sheriff's Department) for Riverview School District and a member of Midway Baptist Church in Judsonia. Lynn was an avid fisherman and outdoorsman. His life calling was to serve his community and the students of the school he loved. He is survived by his parents, Ricky and Lisa Smith of Beebe; one brother, Devon Gavin of Searcy; his True Love, Jackie Pearrow of Bald Knob; biological mother, Rebecca Lucille Stevens; and many other loving family and friends. He is preceded in death by Lorene "Polly" Smith, grandmother; James Elmer Smith, grandfather; Lucille Hicks, grandmother; James Brewer, grandfather; and Michael Hicks, uncle. Visitation will be Friday from 5:00 until 8:00 pm at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy. Funeral services will be Saturday at 2:00 pm at Riverview High School Gymnasium with interment to follow at Cheek Cemetery at Vinity. Arrangements by Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)

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## Funeral Service

APR 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

Riverview High School Gymnasium

Searcy, AR 72143

# Tribute Wall

PH

“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of James Lynn Smith



Powell Funeral Home - April 06, 2018 at 11:55 AM

SB

“ The first time I met him I had just been in an accident, he was very nice and helped calm me down. I didn't realize until 20 minutes later while he was talking to my husband that they were friends that grew up together. The world has lost a wonderful person. RIP... my prayers for his family and friends



Samantha Brooks - April 08, 2018 at 03:35 PM

DS

“ The Stewart family will never forget how you helped our children feel safe at school. My kids absolutely adored you. My condolences go both to his family and his blue family.  
James & Devon Stewart  
Courtney (Senior 2015)  
James Gregory (Senior 2018)  
McKenzie (Senior 2021)

Devon Kimberling Stewart - April 08, 2018 at 08:46 AM

PY

“ You was a great officer, always with a smile on your face. As God always tells us this is not our home. You just made it home before we did, we will meet you there one day rest in peace Lynn Smith. You made a big difference on this Earth.

Pam Yaerger - April 07, 2018 at 09:50 AM

AT

I miss you so much and I will see you again idk how I'm ever going to get over this Love you 🥺🥺

andrea taylor - April 07, 2018 at 10:20 AM

JR

“ Lynn was a sweet little fourth-grade student. His passing has left me sad.

judy Robertson - April 06, 2018 at 02:39 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.



April 06, 2018 at 12:56 PM

JK

“ Jimmy King lit a candle in memory of James Lynn Smith



jimmy king - April 05, 2018 at 08:29 PM

DH

“ DEBRA HALL sent a virtual gift in memory of James Lynn Smith



DEBRA HALL - April 04, 2018 at 10:05 AM

DH

“ In Sympathy. May God bless you all during this difficult time. May He fill your hearts with His presence and may He comfort you. -- Debra M. Hall



DEBRA HALL - April 04, 2018 at 10:04 AM

BD

“ Officer smith was awesome he taught me how to shoot a bow and he was always funny

Bradyn DeGroat - April 03, 2018 at 10:46 AM

DB

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. We pray for your strength during the sad days ahead. Lynn was a good guy and easy to work with at the White County Sheriff's Office. Our prayers and thoughts are with your family.

Darcy Baxley, Ticket and front desk clerk at the White County Sheriff's Office.

Darcy Baxley - April 03, 2018 at 09:53 AM

KL

“ As the pastor of Park Avenue Baptist Church I am blessed to have several deputies from the Sheriff's office as my members and friends. I know that they feel Lynn's loss deeply. May we all grow spiritually from the tragedy. Our prayers are with his family and his fellow officers. God bless you all. Keith Lunceford

Keith Lunceford - April 03, 2018 at 09:28 AM



I saw Officer Smith @ Riverview school when I would take my grandsons. He was very watchful of the students and you knew just by his look if you were going to fast. I knew his grandma "Polly " Smith having worked with her for years, many years ago. R.I.P. Officer Smith and may God hold your family, friends& co-workers (the county and city police departments) in the Palm of His Hand during this difficult time. Providing them with comfort and peace of mind. God Bless you for a job well done

Nancy Womack Billiot - April 03, 2018 at 11:06 PM

BS

I am Lynn's mother Becky and I remember meeting you at one of the Christmas parties that I went to with Polly. It's so sad that two people that was loved so dearly by so many in Searcy an surrounded areas got thier Angel wings so young. Thank you so much for your prayers.

Becky Stevens - April 06, 2018 at 05:50 AM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.



April 02, 2018 at 07:33 PM



“ *Mosaic of Memories Square Easel Wreath was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.*



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April 02, 2018 at 06:04 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.*



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April 02, 2018 at 06:03 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.*



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April 02, 2018 at 05:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Lynn Smith.*



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April 02, 2018 at 04:17 PM

GB

“ So enjoyed working with Lynn when I was a juvenile probation officer. He was such an awesome resource officer. Praying for the family at this time. God has you in the palm of his hand.



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**Gina Bunker** - April 02, 2018 at 03:16 PM