



Donald E. Smith

January 4, 1947 - January 4, 2024

Donald E. Smith of Wilmington, DE, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on January 4, 2024. Donald proudly served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He volunteered his time as a firefighter in Darby, PA where he was born. Donald was an avid Philly sports fan. He enjoyed traveling and weekly trips to the theater to watch movies. Donald enjoyed living in Florida during his retirement years and it brought him great joy to host family at his Florida house.

Donald is survived by his daughters: Lara Smith, Michelle Smith (Joseph Endicott), and Jodi Jones (John Jones); grandchildren: Danae, Alexis, Isabelle, and Lilly; brothers: William Smith Jr., Raymond Smith, Warren Smith, Robert Smith, Harold Smith, and Thomas Smith; and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Mary Smith and sister, Eleanor Gallagher.

A viewing will be held on January 15, 2024, from 11 AM - 12 PM at Strano and Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Rd., Newark, DE, 19702, a celebration of life will follow at 12 PM. Burial will take place on February 12, 2024 at 11 AM at the Delaware Veteran Cemetery, 2465 Chesapeake City Rd, Bear, DE 19701. For directions or to send an online condolence, visit www.stranofeeley.com

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
info@stranofeeley.com

Celebration of Life

JAN **15**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

FEB **12**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery
2465 Chesapeake City Road
Bear, DE 19701

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Donald E. Smith.*



January 14, 2024 at 12:07 AM



“ *The Graham Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald E. Smith.*

The Graham Family - January 12, 2024 at 11:35 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald E. Smith.*



January 12, 2024 at 11:35 AM



“ *Robert and MaryAnne Smith purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donald E. Smith.*



Robert and MaryAnne Smith - January 11, 2024 at 01:37 PM

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“ Margie and Dawn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald E. Smith.

Margie and Dawn - January 11, 2024 at 08:45 AM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald E. Smith.



January 11, 2024 at 08:45 AM

KZ

“ Karen Z. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald E. Smith.

Karen Z. - January 10, 2024 at 05:06 PM

KZ

“ Karen Z. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Donald E. Smith.



Karen Z. - January 10, 2024 at 05:06 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Donald E. Smith.



January 06, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Donald E. Smith.



January 06, 2024 at 06:47 PM