



## Robert G Smith

July 9, 1938 - October 5, 2015

Hardwick - Robert G. Smith, age 77, passed away on Monday, October 5, 2015 while surrounded by his loving family at his residence in Hardwick. Born in Jersey City to the late Gerard and Gertrude (Tyler) Smith, Mr. Smith grew up in Lincoln Park and had lived in Madison for 43 years before moving to Wantage in 2007 and most recently to Hardwick. He had served in the United States Army during the Vietnam Era. Mr. Smith had been employed at the Madison Police Department for 26 years and retired as Captain in 1986. He then worked at Shering Plough in the security department, retiring in 2004. Mr. Smith was a member of St. Jude the Apostle Church and the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Elaine (Griffith) Smith; his three sons, Kevin Smith, Timothy Smith and his wife Denise, and Gregory Smith and his wife Kristine; his daughter, Elissa Samartin and her husband Kevin; his two brothers, George Smith and his wife Janet and Raymond Smith and his wife Arlene; and six grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 am on Saturday, October 10, 2015 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11:30 a.m. at St. Jude The Apostle Church, 4-24 Beaver Run Road, Hamburg, NJ 07419. Final disposition will be held at the convenience of the family. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Friday from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to Global Lyme Alliance, 2001 West Main Street, Suite 280, Stamford, CT 06902. Online condolences may be offered to the family at ww

[w.pinkelfuneralhome.com](http://w.pinkelfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **9**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Pinkel Funeral Home, Inc.  
31 Bank Street (Route 23)  
Sussex, NJ 07461  
(973) 875-3272  
alexis@pinkelfuneralhome.com  
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## Service

OCT **10**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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## Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **10**. 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Jude The Apostle Church  
4-24 Beaver Run Road  
Hamburg, NJ 07419

# Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert G Smith.*



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October 09, 2015 at 07:25 AM



“ *Bob was a good man, a good friend  
Most of all grew a great family  
He's done a great job here  
I will always admire the greatness of a good man  
Dan Brady  
Dan Brady*

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**dan brady** - October 08, 2015 at 10:47 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Robert G Smith.*



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October 08, 2015 at 01:24 PM

Margaret  
Finn

“ *My deepest sympathies to the family of Captain Smith. Also to Officer Ray Smith; his brother.*

*Our prayers are with you.*

*Sincerely  
Margaret And Fred Finn*



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**Margaret Finn** - October 08, 2015 at 09:14 AM

JP

“ *Jackie and Jack, Elaine and Phil purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Robert G Smith.*



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**Jackie and Jack, Elaine and Phil** - October 07, 2015 at 07:30 PM

JA

“ *It is so sad to lose the first of the cousins in our family. Over the years there were lots of good times: Thanksgiving dinners, Christmas celebrations, family picnics, visits down the shore, children's weddings and more. Robert, you are dearly missed.  
Love, Jackie and Jack*

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**Jackie** - October 07, 2015 at 04:29 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert G Smith.*



October 07, 2015 at 03:12 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert G Smith.*



October 07, 2015 at 01:20 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert G Smith.*



October 07, 2015 at 11:43 AM