



## Joe Wilson Smith

December 11, 1926 - March 10, 2017

Joe Wilson Smith, 90, of Jackson, Missouri died Friday, March 10, 2017 at Southeast Hospital in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

He was born December 11, 1926 in Cape Girardeau County, Missouri to Webster Clyde and Ada Belle Robinson Smith.

He and Coleen Simpher Smith were married April 26, 1973 at Jackson, Missouri.

He served in the Army Air Force in 1945. He was a charter member of the American Legion Post 158 Honor Guard and a life time member of the VFW Post 10495. He worked at Brennecke Chevrolet for 40 years and had served as a member of the Southeast Missouri District Fair Association for 60 years.

He was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Jackson .

Survivors include :

Wife - Coleen Smith, Jackson, MO

Son - Jory (Jo Ann) Smith, Jackson, MO

Son - Chuck Wolters, Jackson, MO

Daughter - Beth (Bob) Armstrong, Kansas City, MO

Daughter - Charlotte Wolters, WA

Sister - Doris "Jean" Seabaugh, Jackson, MO

Sister - Mary Marshall, Jackson, MO

Sister - Vickie Statler, Cape Girardeau, MO

Grandchildren - Samantha (Blane) Tidwell, Cory Woods, C.J. Wolters, Annika Wolters, Haley Armstrong, Jessica Armsstrong, Laura Leigh Armstrong, Joseph Wolters, Andrew Armstrong

Four Great Grandchildren

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Webster Clyde Smith

Mother - Ada Robinson Smith

Sister - Erma D. Williams

Sister - Thelma "Sis" Himmelsbach

Sister - Naomi Crites

Friends may call 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Monday, March 13, 2017 at Ford and Sons Funeral Home in Jackson, MO.

Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Tuesday, March 14, 2017 at First Presbyterian Church in Jackson with the Rev. Grant Gillard officiating.

Burial will be at Russell Heights Cemetery in Jackson.

Memorial contributions may be given to First Presbyterian Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Russell Heights

Jackson, MO 63755

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 4:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Jackson  
708 W. Main Street  
Jackson, MO 63755  
(573) 243-2541  
info@fordandsonsfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com>

## Celebration of Life

MAR 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church  
235 Broadway  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ I am so sorry to hear this. Thoughts and prayers for Joe's family. Joe was a member of the board of directors of the Cape County Transit Authority and I was that organization's first Executive Director. He was a consummate professional who always had sage advice for me both personally and professionally. What a great man Cape Girardeau County has lost.

*Jeff Brune  
Cape Girardeau*

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**Jeff Brune** - March 13, 2017 at 10:28 AM

SR

“ So sorry to hear of Joes passing. He was a sweet man. My condolences to Coleen and his family. My thoughts and prayers for you at this difficult time.

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**Sandy Rivera** - March 13, 2017 at 01:03 AM

RL

“ We send our deepest sympathy to your family. Joe was a good friend for a long time. We can't be there, but know that your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

*Robert & Mary Loos*

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**Robert Loos** - March 12, 2017 at 09:13 PM

BM

“ To all the Smith families I am sorry to see Joe has passed, he was a dear and unique man. I am so glad I knew him and my prayers and thoughts are with you all during this time. Bill McGhee

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**Bill McGhee** - March 12, 2017 at 11:58 AM



“ *Thoughts and prayers to your family.  
Susan and Darren Lukefahr*

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**SUSAN L HEKMAT** - March 12, 2017 at 09:43 AM



“ *Our neighborhood will not be the same. 💔*



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**Michelle Reeves** - March 12, 2017 at 03:59 AM