



Charles Wayne Smith

October 16, 1944 - January 4, 2018

Charles Wayne Smith, 73 year old Okmulgee resident, passed away on Thursday, January 4, 2018 at OU Medical Center in Oklahoma City. He was born October 16, 1944 in Hamilton, Alabama to the late Dennis and Della (Lawler) Smith. He married Linda Canada on July 2, 1978. He taught science in Alabama and then in Okmulgee before becoming a computer programmer at Community Care. Charles was a member of the First Baptist Church. He enjoyed turning pens and tying flies.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Dent and Deller Smith and siblings, Bernice "Bunk" Courington, Mildred "Smooge" Anglin, Dennis Gilbert "Jr." Smith, and R.J. Smith. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Linda, of the home and numerous nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held 10:00 A.M. Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at the First Baptist Church with Dr. Dennis Taylor officiating. Interment will follow in the Okmulgee Cemetery.

Friends may visit the funeral home on Tuesday from 12:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M. Arrangements have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee.

Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Charles' Tribute Page of our website at www.mcclendon-winters.com

Cemetery Details

Okmulgee Cemetery

2601 South Wood Drive
Okmulgee, OK 74447
(918) 756-5109

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 9. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home - Okmulgee
303 E. 7th Street
Okmulgee, OK 74447
(918) 756-1677
info@mcclendon-winters.com
<https://www.mcclendon-winters.com>

Funeral Service

JAN 10. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Okmulgee
311 W. 5th Street
Okmulgee, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Wayne Smith*

December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers.
Love, Brad & Debbie Wion*

Debbie Wion - January 10, 2018 at 12:57 PM



“ *We had a lot of fun over the years with Charles at our barber shop. We spent as much time laughing and cracking up at the funny things he would say. If we got near his brows he might try and bite our finger. He was a charter member of the Ralphs barber shop family and will definitely be missed.
Ralpk Kovarik*

Ralph Kovarik - January 09, 2018 at 05:50 PM

DJ

“ I enjoyed being a fellow member at the Baptist Church with Charles. He was always willing to do anything in the office that was needed and had the ability to do so. He was so generous with his photography and restored so many memories that were being lost from old photos. He many times recorded Vacation Bible School activities that were shared with our grandchildren's parents. He frequently shared pictures with others on Sunday that were taken the week before, some I loved and some that I begged him to never show again. He was always available to help Duaine and me whenever we needed advise on the purchase of cameras or computers but never would allow us to pay. Charles was a man that had many talents and shared them with others freely without any thought of repayment or praise other than the joy of being able to help.. We shall remember him and appreciate being his friend..
Duaine and Linda Janzen

Duaine & Linda Janzen - January 09, 2018 at 04:12 PM

AC

“ Mr. Smith was my 7th grade science teacher at Okmulgee Middle School. I think it was his first year in Okmulgee. He was one of my favorite teachers of all time. He was a gifted teacher and a good man. I am thankful to have known him. Sending prayers for comfort for the family.

Ann Crawford - January 09, 2018 at 09:09 AM

JC

“ Linda...I remember well when you and Charles were planning your wedding and my small contribution for the occasion..you were a beautiful bride and Charles was absolutely beaming with one clever remark after another. Happy memories of your marriage years will be a blessing you will treasure. My sincere sympathy for your loss.



Jeneane Campbell - January 09, 2018 at 12:19 AM

SS

“ You will be greatly missed Uncle Charles!



Shelley Sanborn - January 08, 2018 at 07:53 PM

GM

“ Gary & Nancy Mount lit a candle in memory of Charles Wayne Smith



Gary & Nancy Mount - January 08, 2018 at 05:32 PM

BT

“ Barry Thompson lit a candle in memory of Charles Wayne Smith



Barry Thompson - January 08, 2018 at 02:28 PM

BT

Charles Was my Science Teacher in Okmulgee, loved this guy, he introduced me to model Rockets, have passed this passion onto my 5 year old son Elijah! Rest In Peace Charles Wayne Smith, Rest In Peace.

Barry Thompson - January 08, 2018 at 02:31 PM

CK

“ *Cynthia Kell lit a candle in memory of Charles Wayne Smith*



Cynthia Kell - January 08, 2018 at 10:26 AM

CK

*Linda -
I am so sorry to hear of Charles' passing. You are in my prayers for peace and comfort during this difficult time.
Cynthia Kell*

Cynthia Kell - January 08, 2018 at 10:27 AM

JM

“ *Charles was a dear friend of mine, and he and I always could count on one another to engage in some good-natured ribbing! I always admired his devotion to Linda and to his Church, and what a hard worker he was. I'm sure going to miss my buddy, and we're praying for you, Linda.*

Jesse Mitchell - January 07, 2018 at 08:46 AM

PS

I love and miss you Uncle Charles. Give Dad a kiss from me.

Patricia Smith Sams - January 08, 2018 at 09:56 PM



Sherry
Smith

It doesn't seem possible that you're gone. You will be greatly missed. I love you, Uncle Charles.

Sherry Smith - January 08, 2018 at 11:42 PM

EK

“ *Eloise Doss Keeter sent a virtual gift in memory of Charles Wayne Smith*



Eloise Doss Keeter - January 06, 2018 at 12:32 AM