



William Smith

July 11, 1949 - July 24, 2015

Gause Smith, age 66, of Kappa Road, passed away Friday, July 24, 2015. Mr. Smith was born in Mullins, a son of the late William G. Smith, Sr. and Maymie Lee Teague Smith. He was a graduate of Mullins High School and Wofford College where he was a member of Kappa Sigma. He received his Master's Degree from the University of South Carolina and his Doctorate of Education from South Carolina State University. He was a retired Minister from the United Methodist Conference and pastored at Ebenezer and Hebron United Methodist Churches in Marlboro County. His interests included gardening and fellowship with family and friends.

Surviving are his wife, Debra Smith, one son, G Smith, two daughters, Lee Rains and Elizabeth Cox-Smith, three grandchildren, one brother, Texas Teague Smith (Helen), a sister-in-law, Trudy Gerrald, his special caregiver, Gerome Myers, nieces, Ashley Smith Watson (Heath), Lauralee Celi (Oscar) and Ginger Gerrald and her fiancé, Lloyd Huggins and many other extended family members and friends.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Monday at Zoan United Methodist Church with Rev. John Watts and Rev. Grady Corder officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.

The family will receive friends from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM Monday at the church.

Memorials may be sent to Zoan United Methodist Church, 12345 Hwy. 19

West, Loris, SC 29569.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Zoan United Methodist Church

Loris, SC 29569

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Zoan United Methodist Church
Loris, SC 29569

Service

JUL 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ I am truly sorry for your loss.



Meshia Small - August 05, 2015 at 08:25 PM

DE

“ Debra, so sorry to hear about Gause. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sending love during this difficult time.
Carl and Debbie Dawsey

Debbie - July 29, 2015 at 08:26 PM

LK

“ I am so so sorry for your loss. I know we are never prepared regardless of a person's health. Cherish those special moments with a very special person. I have special memories all the way back to high school days in Mullins. May he rest in peace!

linda harley karr - July 28, 2015 at 02:14 AM

SS

“ Debra, my prayers are with you and your family

Sue Sarvis - July 27, 2015 at 07:59 PM

RW

“ Condolences to the family, from the west, down Dogwood Drive.
-- Reynolds Williams

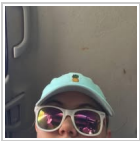
Reynolds Williams - July 27, 2015 at 07:51 PM

DP

“ Gause was a fellow graduate of Mullins High School Class of 1971. He and I attended graduate classes at Francis Marion Collage (University). Loved our daily rides to class and being able to have a study partner. We shared many days of laughter and tears over our coursework. Gause was a great friend and leaves many happy memories from our younger lives. May the heavenly Angels greet you at the door. Please gives hugs and words of wisdom to all of our family and friends who welcome you home for your final graduation! Prayers and love to all of your family and friends...🙏🌹🙏



Dierdre Poole - July 27, 2015 at 03:51 PM



“ Gause was a very loving cousin. I am going to miss him. Love you Deborah.

Taro Floyd - July 27, 2015 at 10:41 AM

NR

“ Debra I am so thankful I had the opportunity to get to know Gause and work with him at Aynor High School. Our deepest sympathy to you and all of your family.

Nelson and Agnes Roberts - July 26, 2015 at 08:39 PM

BS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire Smith family during this time of grief for our friend, Gause. Trust In Christ to deliver you all from the sadness of his death.

Bee and Martha Strain

Bee and Martha Strain - July 26, 2015 at 10:01 AM

CJ

“ *Cindy Jones purchased the You're in our Thoughts Sympathy Gift Basket for the family of William Smith.*



Cindy Jones - July 26, 2015 at 08:45 AM

CJ

“ *Debra- Franklin and I want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. We love you and we loved Gause so much. He was compassionate and easy to love. He helped us both so much over so many years. He will be missed but we know he is with God in heaven now. Our heart breaks but will heal as we remember the love Gause demonstrated in his life and the good work he did for God's Kingdom! Love, Cindy and Franklin Jones*

Cindy Jones - July 26, 2015 at 07:22 AM

SP

Debra, we were so glad we got to talk with you last night and sorry we were not able to be with you today. Gause was a special cousin and friend to me and a special friend and fraternity brother to Ken. It's hard to believe he's gone but good to know he is with his Savior. We will be in touch. Ken and Susan Buchan Pearson

Susan Buchan Pearson - July 27, 2015 at 08:38 PM

SF

*It was just today when we passed Zoan church and we read the message on the church board that we learned of your loss. Sorry that we were out of town and did not know. Ashley and Bo join me in sending love and prayers to sustain you in the days to come Thinking of Trudy and Laura as well.
Susan M. Fowler*

Susan Fowler - July 29, 2015 at 04:55 PM