



James Edward Smith

November 21, 2019

James Edward Smith, 68, of Porterdale, passed away Thursday, November 21, 2019 at Piedmont Atlanta Hospital. He was born in Lithonia, GA to Virgil and Eula Mae Rutledge Smith. James was a loving husband, father, Pop-Pop, brother and friend. He loved to play the guitar and sing, enjoyed playing poker, sitting around the campfire, fishing with his son and grandson. James was a big Jeff Gordon fan. He had a great sense of humor. He loved his grandbabies, they brought him great joy. James will be greatly missed.

He is preceded in death by his parents; sister, Peggy Avant; brothers, Troy Smith and Sonny Smith. James is survived by his loving wife of 20 years, Sherry Smith, children; Denise (Bobby) Short, Donna (Randall) Edge, Jeanie (Brandon) Fulcher, Mike (Darlene) Smith, Derek (Tonya) Tankersley; grandchildren, Dalton, Hunter, Jacob, Taylor, Logan, Braeden, Haley, Savannah, Billy, Emersyn, Connor, Ethan, Alyssa; great-grandchild, Zane; sister, Carolyn (Terry) Hyatt.

Funeral Services will be held Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 2:00 pm in the Chapel of Wheeler Funeral and Cremation Services with Rev. Brian McCollough officiating. Interment will follow at Oxford Historical Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Saturday, November 23, 2019 from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm. Guests may sign the online register at www.wheelerfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Oxford Historical Cemetery

Oxford, GA 30054

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wheeler Funeral & Cremation Services
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Funeral Service

NOV **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



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Wheeler Funeral & Cremation Services - November 23, 2019 at 11:50 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *James Edward Smith*.



November 22, 2019 at 11:02 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes* was purchased for the family of *James Edward Smith*.



November 22, 2019 at 08:27 PM

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“ *Scott & Michele Fulcher purchased the Beautiful i
n Blue for the family of James Edward Smith.*




Scott & Michele Fulcher - November 22, 2019 at 06:46 PM

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“ *So sorry for your lost*

Suemahan - November 22, 2019 at 05:29 PM

 Jeanie
Lane

“ *Bugga. I will miss you forever. I will remember
everything you taught me to be. Thank you for
loving my mother as much as you did.*



Jeanie Lane - November 22, 2019 at 05:01 PM

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*He was a good old boy , my neighbor , a friend for many years !! Fly
high dear friend and no more pain or sickness !!!*

sissy lowe - November 22, 2019 at 11:46 PM