



Eric Smith

January 1, 2015

It is with very heavy hearts that we announce the passing of our beloved son, brother and grandson, Eric Wayne Smith, on January 1, 2015. He brightened up a room each time he entered through the door. God has a plan for each of us, and even though we don't know what that plan is, God saw a reason to take him so early. He will be greatly missed by his family and numerous friends.

Eric was born on June 6, 1987 in Tyler, Texas to Amber Smith of Tyler and Ronald Wayne Smith of Lindale. Eric attended Lindale Schools where he played on the High School Varsity Tennis Team for three years and holds many medals and trophies for his efforts as well as helping the Team in winning many Championships for Lindale High School. He attended the Cross Brand Cowboy Church in Tyler, Texas.

Memorial Services will be held January 6, 2015 at 2:30 p.m. in the Caudle Rutledge Funeral Home Chapel with the Reverend Byron Howard officiating with interment immediately following at the Lindale City Cemetery.

Eric was preceded in death by great grandparents Sammie and Walter Smith, Nannie Elizabeth and Joe Pierson, L.D. & Rosa Pinson, Grandfather, Robert Morrow, Aunt and Uncles, Louise & Dick Perryman, Joe Pierson, Jr., James Howard Pierson, and a very special Aunt Cindy Thedford.

He is survived by his mother, Amber Smith of Tyler, his father and step

mother, Ronny and LaVonda Smith, sister, Morgan Elizabeth Smith of Lindale, Grand Parents Joyce & Johnny Moore, of Lindale, Billy Wayne & Pam Smith, of Tyler; Betty Davis of Tyler; Gene Davis of Jacksonville; Nelda and Joe Wright of Longview; Aunt Betty Waymire of Grand Saline, Aunt & Uncle Rivvie and Jimmy Lynne Smith of Lindale, Brent & Cassidy Smith of Tyler, Scott & Cheryl Toles of Quitman, Becky and Justin Meadows of Lindale, Aunt Martha Nell Smith of Lindale and Irene Cobb of Gilmer and numerous cousins and a host of friends.

Pallbearers are Alex Moore, Aaron Jones, Carson Middleton, Jackie Culverhouse, III, Brandon Clinton, and Dr. David Chilek. Honorary Pallbearers are Louis Nance and Aaron Neely.

Family Visitation will be from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m on Monday, January 5, 2015 at the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale.

Cemetery Details

Lindale City Cemetery

702 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
jeff@crdfh.com

Chapel Service

JAN 6. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eric Smith*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Eric Smith*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *Brandi Mizzles lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Brandi Mizzles - December 06, 2015 at 01:46 PM



“ *Share a memory of Eric Smith or send condolences to the family.*



Delilah Rios-Sowell - June 01, 2015 at 07:47 PM

BM

“ *Becky Meadows lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Becky Meadows - January 12, 2015 at 10:43 AM

DC

“ *Diane and Steve Chumley purchased the My Soul Lives On Blanket for the family of Eric Smith.*



Diane and Steve Chumley - January 11, 2015 at 04:21 PM

 Brittney Hudson

“ *Brittney Hudson lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Brittney Hudson - January 06, 2015 at 10:17 PM

JF

“ *Jerry Fuquay lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Jerry Fuquay - January 05, 2015 at 11:13 PM

CA

“ *Cally lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Cally - January 04, 2015 at 09:30 PM



Cassidy
Copeland
Smith

“ *Cassidy Copeland Smith lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Cassidy Copeland Smith - January 04, 2015 at 08:35 PM

BB

“ *Belinda Garrett Blackshear lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Belinda Garrett Blackshear - January 04, 2015 at 03:23 PM

SS

“ *Stephanie Smith purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Eric Smith.*



Stephanie Smith - January 04, 2015 at 02:19 PM

SS

“ Stephanie Smith lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith



Stephanie Smith - January 04, 2015 at 02:14 PM

RH

“ Richard Harris lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith



Richard Harris - January 04, 2015 at 12:28 PM

ML

“ Melissa Love lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith



Melissa Love - January 04, 2015 at 12:10 PM

TN

“ Tanja Clinton Nunn lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith



Tanja Clinton Nunn - January 03, 2015 at 09:14 PM



“ *Lajuanda Morrow lit a candle in memory of Eric Smith*



Lajuanda Morrow - January 03, 2015 at 06:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Eric Smith.*



January 03, 2015 at 03:50 PM