



Reverend Randall "Randy" David Smith

December 11, 1943 - February 20, 2012

Reverend Randall "Randy" David Smith, age 68, of Versailles, passed away Monday, February 20, 2012, at Capital Region Medical Center in Jefferson City. He was born December 11, 1943, in St. Louis, Missouri, the son of the late Earl B and Louise Berryman Smith.

On August 26, 1967, in St. Louis, Missouri, he was united in marriage to Jackie Fischer, who survives of the home.

Randy served in the U.S. Army Reserve from 1963 to 1969.

He served as a full-time minister in several churches throughout the United States. From 1984 to 2005, he worked for Olan Mills and was a bivocational pastor. After retirement, he continued in the pastorate. He was currently serving as pastor to the Hopewell Union Church in Barnett.

In addition to his wife, Jackie, Randy is survived by a son, Scott Smith and wife Andie of Warrensburg, Missouri; a daughter, Amber Smith of Sunrise Beach, Missouri; three granddaughters, Kira Smith, Mieka Smith, and Zalie Smith all of Warrensburg, Missouri; one brother, Gary Smith and wife Judy of St. Louis, Missouri; and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, February 24, at the

Hopewell Union Church in Barnett with Reverend Ron Robinson officiating. Graveside services and interment will follow in the Hopewell Cemetery with Greg Schad, Dwayne Schad, Dennis Schad, Tom Daniels, Fred Reinhart, and Jeremy Callen serving as casketbearers. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., Friday, at the church. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Hopewell Union Church.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Cemetery

19700 Highway C
Barnett, MO 65011

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Hopewell Church
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Service

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Tribute Wall

SM

“Randy Pandy had a positive influence on my teenage life many years ago. He was someone that I looked up to, which is kind of funny because I was taller than him. He was the camp director of one of the best camps that I attended and had the best smile. In Don Piper's book "90 Minutes In Heaven", he said that he was met at the gate by people who had a spiritual influence on him...if that is so, then see you at the gate, Randy Pandy!

"Moose"

Sue Bartlow McFarland - February 23, 2012 at 05:26 PM

DC

“Sorry to hear about the passing of Randy. As a youth at Tower Grove Baptist Church we played Maplewood Baptist Church and Randy was one of the best softball pitchers I ever faced. My condolences to his family.

Don Curtis

Fairview, Texas

Don Curtis - February 23, 2012 at 12:56 PM

BC

“ Jackie, Scott, Amber and Family,
You have our deepest sympathies and our prayers in Randy's loss. I want you to know what an influence he had on my life as a youth at TG. I surrendered to ministry while he was my youth pastor. He showed me that ministry was both serious and fun. The space is too limited to share everything, but suffice it to say that God used him greatly in my life and in the lives of thousands of others. May God comfort you in these days and in the days ahead. We'll see him again. Yes, we do grieve, but NOT as those who have no hope. We love you all!
Bob and Debbie Curtis,
Olive Branch, MS

Bob F. Curtis - February 23, 2012 at 08:50 AM

ER

“ Jackie, Scott and Amber, So sorry for your loss. Randy was a very special person. We have many special memories of Randy while he was pastor at Calvary Baptist and all. May God comfort you during this time. Love and Prayers, Everett and Angie Rayl

Everett D. Rayl - February 21, 2012 at 09:13 PM

BJ

“ Praying for the family. Appreciated the fellowship from time to time.

Bill Johnson - February 21, 2012 at 06:26 PM