



William P. Smith, Jr.

May 13, 1974 - May 1, 2018

William Percel Smith, Jr. affectionately known as Billy, of the 3400 block of Woodstock Street in Portsmouth, Virginia, passed away on May 1, 2018. Billy was born on May 13, 1974, to the proud parents of William P. Smith, Sr. and Priscilla Goudeau in Casteau, Belgium. A product of the Portsmouth school system, Billy attended Cradock High School and went on to obtain his GED soon after. Billy loved to write, cook and worked as a culinary chef for many years before changing fields. His love for writing was expressed in the form of poetry and rap songs. He was skillful with his hands and loved to make people smile as he detailed cars to perfection. Billy was known for his quick wit and sense of humor and if ever in his presence, you were overtaken by his infectious smile. On June 12, 2017,

Billy was joined in marriage to the love of his life, Democha Smith. He was a diehard fan of the Philadelphia Eagles and loved to brag about his team. Billy will be sorely missed, but in our hearts forever. He is predeceased by maternal grandparents, Freddie & Cora Goudeau and paternal grandparents, Arnold & Ella Smith. He leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Democha Smith; four sons, Caleb Adams, NaQuan Palmer, William Smith III, and Elyjah Smith; parents, Priscilla Smith and William Smith, Sr., one sister, Cora Smith, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd
Chesapeake, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
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Service

MAY 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

J. T. Fisher Funeral Services Chapel
1248 N. George Washington Hwy
Chesapeake, VA

Tribute Wall

 Tazz Hicks

“ *Tazz Hicks lit a candle in memory of William P. Smith, Jr.*



Tazz Hicks - June 01, 2018 at 01:50 AM

 Tazz Hicks

*My condolences to your family.
Shatonia from Maplewood Park*

Tazz Hicks - June 01, 2018 at 01:51 AM

 LP

“ *My condolences for the family of William P Smith Jr. I lit the candle in your memory.*



Linnea Palmer - May 08, 2018 at 09:40 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of William P. Smith, Jr..*



May 07, 2018 at 04:31 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of William P. Smith, Jr..*



May 07, 2018 at 04:24 PM



“ *Tears are God's gift to us. Our holy water. They heal us as they flow. So cry. Accept the gift that GOD has given so that the healing may begin. My heart is with you DeMocha and family!!! Remember; HE MAKES NO MISTAKES!!! R.I.H. Billy*



Shante' Holloman - May 07, 2018 at 11:43 AM



“ *Your family at NNSY would like to send you our deepest condolences and prayers.*



Code 600 - May 07, 2018 at 11:28 AM



“ *ECRC FWD CENT STAFF purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of William P. Smith, Jr..*



ECRC FWD CENT STAFF - May 07, 2018 at 08:13 AM

MD

“ *In loving memory of the life of William P Smith, Jr.*



Minister Catherine Elcock(Aunt Mae's dau - May 06, 2018 at 09:25 PM

DC

“ *My condolences to my childhood friends. The Lord has called another one of his children home. Praying that God eases the pain of your loss and blesses you with smiles and memories of Billy's life.*

Daryll Crump - May 06, 2018 at 08:21 PM



“ *28 files added to the album Life Tributes*



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - May 06, 2018 at 01:35 PM

MN

Deepest Condolences to the Smith Family during the passing of William P Smith Jr

Mrs LaRosa H Newby - May 06, 2018 at 09:07 PM

LN

Heartfelt condolences to the family of William P Smith Jr

LaRosa H Newby - May 06, 2018 at 09:14 PM

CR

“ *My condolences to you and the family . We will continually to lift you all up in prayer.*



coley&annette rogers - May 06, 2018 at 12:08 PM

DE

“ *Danelle Eley lit a candle in memory of William P. Smith, Jr.*



Danelle Eley - May 05, 2018 at 05:06 AM

LM

“ *May God Bless you and your family and bring understanding and healing to you all. God Bless !!!*

Lavenia Mathews

Lavenia Mathews - May 04, 2018 at 01:43 PM

CM

May GOD give you strength and keep you in his care ,we are so sorry for your loss, Randy Ferguson, Broadus&Carolyn Miles Easley SC

Carolyn Miles - May 05, 2018 at 10:54 PM

PE

To William and priscilla may God continue to give you strength ,and I am so sorry for your loss of your son. I remember when he was born. Penny from Maplewood Park.

Penny - May 06, 2018 at 07:02 PM

AS

William and Priscilla I pray for you during the loss of your Son "Billy" I truly remember when he was born. Angela Sanders daughter of Mr Clyde and Ms Joanna. Now in Atlanta , GA

Angela Sanders - May 08, 2018 at 10:40 AM