



Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith

September 26, 1941 - May 28, 2021

Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith, 79, of Bloomington passed away at 10:12pm Friday, May 28, 2021 at the IU Health Hospice House with his loved ones by his side.

He was born on September 26, 1941 in Hartsville, Indiana the son of Vernes and Zora Smith. He was a 1959 graduate of Richmond High School in Richmond, Indiana.

Charlie married Karen Gunderman on September 24, 1988 in Bloomington, Indiana they were happily married for 32 years. He worked for Rogers Group in Bloomington and was co-owner of Morning Star Realty in Bloomington and was a member and co-pastor of the Eastern Gate Community Church along with his wife.

Charlie was survived by his wife, Karen Smith of Bloomington; his children, Dana (Barry) McCoy of Jacksonville, FL; Tyson (Claire) Smith of Los Angeles, CA; Dan (Kara) Gunderman of Gosport, IN; Brian (Valerie) Gunderman of Gosport, IN; several grandchildren; several great grandchildren; his siblings, Ted Smith of Richmond, IN; Eddie (Edie) Smith of Nashville, IN; Cindy (Kelby) Mathis of Columbus, IN; XZYondra (Mike) Hutt of Seymour, IN; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, children, Jeff Smith; Randy Smith and Debbie McGuffy; his siblings, Stanley Smith; Juanita Brown; and Kay Jones; one niece and one nephew.

Memorial contributions may be made to the IU Health Hospice House or

Donor's Choice in Charlie name.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00pm Thursday June 3, 2021 at the Turning Point Apostolic Church at 210 S. Vine St Ellettsville. With Rev. Eli Johnson officiating. Burial will follow at Chambersville Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4:00pm to 8:00pm Wednesday June 2, 2021 at the Allen Funeral Home 4155 S. Old St Rd 37 Bloomington, and from 11:00am to service time Thursday June 3, 2021 at the church.

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory have been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences, photos and memories may be shared with family and friends at www.allencares.com

Cemetery Details

Chambersville Cemetery

9 N County Line Rd
Spencer, IN 47460

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory
4155 S. Old State Road 37
Bloomington, IN 47401
(812) 824-5905
<http://www.allencares.com>

Visitation

JUN 3. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Turning Point Apostolic Church
210 W. Vine St
Ellettsville, IN 47429

Service

JUN 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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210 W. Vine St
Ellettsville, IN 47429

Tribute Wall

DV

“ Karen, we are saddened by Charlie's passing but comforted knowing he is in a far better place. We have so many memories of the fellowship and encouragement the two of you gave us in our ministry. Love and prayers, Gordon and Dorothy.

Dorothy Vick - June 27, 2021 at 10:07 AM

SR

“ Charlie and Karen have been our neighbors for years--Good positive people they are. Never a mean word. Our hearts go out to Karen, who has been a model partner and caregiver for Charlie during his illness. Best wishes from your friends on 17th St.
Sharon Roualet

Sharon Roualet - June 02, 2021 at 04:07 PM

CW

“ Dana and family we are so sorry for your loss. Continued prayers for you and your family
🙏
Love & hugs 🤗



Cathy Wheeler - June 02, 2021 at 02:46 PM

CW

“ Dana and family so sorry for your loss. Continued prayers for you and your family. 🙏
Love & hugs 🤗
Cathy Wheeler

Cathy Wheeler - June 02, 2021 at 02:41 PM

ML

“ Charlie & Karen were good friends for many years. He always had a smile when you saw him. May you rest in peace..

A special message to his wife., Karen .I am so sorry about your loss, may GOD Bless you during this time of your life/

Myra Lee

Myra Lee - June 02, 2021 at 12:16 PM

LZ

“ Love, Mary Ann & Z purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith.



Love, Mary Ann & Z - June 02, 2021 at 07:48 AM

DM

“ Dana McCoy purchased the Care and Compassion Spray for the family of Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith.



Dana McCoy - June 02, 2021 at 04:20 AM

TP

“ TPAC purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith.



TPAC - June 01, 2021 at 08:50 PM

BW

“ *The time that the Good Lord gave Charlie on this earth, he has touched many lives with the love that he had for the Lord, many memories to cherish, my heart is saddened, and will miss him dearly. Karen, my heart is sad for you, God's peace and comfort and strength help you through this and all the days that follow. My love and prayers for you and all Charlie's family and friends. My sympathies, Barbie Wiley*



barbara wiley - June 01, 2021 at 02:50 PM

LP

All I can say is, He is resting. And while here, as I observed, Always smiled and had shown Love. Loss is hard, my sympathies

Laura Pitman - June 02, 2021 at 11:12 AM

PG

Charlie (Sir Charles) lived and loved life. He loved the LORD, his beautiful wife Karen, grandchildren and family. Always smiling, telling funny stories, helping others, singing, playing his harmonica. Charlie was a wonderful person who will be missed by many. He is truly home in the presence of the LORD. We will meet again. My heartfelt condolences ❤️❤️💜💜

Pam Good - June 02, 2021 at 09:25 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Charles Henry "Charlie" Smith.*



June 01, 2021 at 11:05 AM