



John Harold Smith

September 16, 2017

J. Harold (Smitty) Smith, 98, of Elmer, NJ passed away peacefully Saturday at home, September 16, 2017, with his wife Lois at his side. Son of the late Aubrey Love Smith and Edna (Woolman) Smith, Harold graduated from Woodstown High School in 1938.

Harold served in the Army during WWII, being awarded a Purple Heart when he was wounded at the Battle of the Bulge on his first day on the field. He served over 30 years as a rural mail carrier on Elmer's RFD#2. He knew most on the route personally and went out of his way to give them good service, even taking mail to the door of those not able to go to their mailbox. Retiring at 57, he enjoyed spending winters in Mesa, AZ for 20 years and enjoyed showing off the beauty of the area to any and all who came to visit.

He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Lois Fithian Carman Smith, his daughters Joy (and Jim) George of Whiting, NJ, Judy (and Bob) Meigs of Kingman, AZ, his grandchildren Bruce (and Kathy) George, Doug George, Tammie (and Mitch) Burkhart and Mindy (and Dave) Uyar, his great grandchildren Dan, David, Shelly, Gavin and Tyler, his sisters Marian Turner of Elmer and Janet Guy of Largo, FL and his stepdaughters Hallie (and Jimmy) Justice, Tina Harris and Bobbie Jean Carman, all of Elmer.

Harold was predeceased by his wife of 46 years Doris Sickler Smith, his

grandson Daniel Harold George, his sisters Audrey Lafferty and Vera Tongue and his stepchildren Doc Carman and Lois Morgan. Over the years, he enjoyed driving truck and bus, traveling, gardening, playing golf, pinochle and dominoes. He was very social, involved with family and friends. He was known for being very congenial and very considerate of others. He will be very much missed.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 23, 2017 at Adams Funeral Home, 111 S. Main Street, Elmer, NJ 08318 with a visitation from 10 to 11 AM followed by the service at 11 AM. Interment will be at Pittsgrove Presbyterian Church Cemetery in Daretown, NJ. Memorial contributions may be made in his memory to Bayada Hospice, 603 N. Broad Street, Suite 301, Woodbury, NJ 08096 or to the Alzheimer's Association, PO Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011 or online at www.alz.org. Please visit www.adamsfuneralhome.org to leave a note of condolence to the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

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