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Alvin Dorsey Ray Smith, age 76, of Elizabeth, Pennsylvania, passed away peacefully and surrounded by family on May 24, 2019. Formerly of Doddridge County, Alvin resided with his daughter and her children over these last several months. Alvin was preceded in death by wife, the late Brenda Smith, parents Ralph and Mona Smith, as well as, siblings Roena Mulac and Francis G Smith. He is survived by son, Shawn Smith; daughter, Shelley (Smith) Hoffman; siblings, Rose Ann Grimenstein and LaVonne Keller; three grandchildren, Jordan, Taylor, and Allison Hoffman; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Alvin was a hardworking man and dedicated to his family. In addition to serving in the US Army, he held many jobs from working in West Virginia coal mines, the railway systems, US steel mills, and G. C. Murphys to serving his community as a correctional officer at the Allegheny County Jail. He was a member of the Elizabeth Township Sportsman Club and he enjoyed bowling and putzing in his lawn and garden. His family and friends could depend on him in times of need. Alvin will be missed by many, but he joined his beloved wife who captured and kept his heart.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, May 28th from 11 AM - 2 PM and 4 - 8 PM at the JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME, INC., 301 Curry Hollow Road, Pittsburgh, 15236. A Funeral Service will be held Wednesday, May 29, at 12 PM in the funeral home chapel. Condolences may be left at www.jeffersonmemorial.biz.



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T.W. posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss, it's never easy accepting the loss of a loved one. The Bible makes this promise at Psalms 34:18, \"Jehovah is close to the brokenhearted; He saves those who are crushed in spirit.\" God can give your family and friends the strength to cope even with death. (Philippians 4:13)
My deepest heartfelt sympathies to your family for the death of your loved one.

May 27 at 5:18 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Alvin by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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