



Guy Edwin Smyth

October 3, 1947 - July 3, 2015

Guy Edwin Smyth, 67, of Evansville, passed away Friday, July 3, 2015 in Benton, KY. Guy was born October 3, 1947 in Shawneetown, IL to the late Edward and Mary Elizabeth (Kent) Smyth. In addition to his parents, Guy was preceded in death by an infant brother, Charles Edward Smyth.

Guy was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Vanderburgh County. He was a 1965 graduate of Shawneetown Illinois High School was a Vietnam Veteran. Guy enjoyed being outdoors, sailing and camping. He also loved home repair projects; nothing was too big or too difficult for him to tackle. He died doing what he loved along with his family on Kentucky Lake.

He was employed as a plumber at Industrial Contractors and retired in 2009. He was currently employed by Mater Dei High School as a maintenance coordinator. He was a member of the German Township Water District Board of Directors.

Guy is survived by his wife of 40 years, Cindy (Phillips) Smyth; a daughter, Erin Smyth, DVM of Indianapolis; son and daughter-in-law, Ben and Colleen (O'Connell) Smyth of St. Louis, MO and the love of his life, his grandson, Isaac James Smyth. Also surviving are his sister, Mary Elizabeth (Ron) Abell of Ridgeway, IL; nephew, Craig Abell of Mahomet, IL; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Sue and Jerry Malone of Tell City and nieces, Kate, Meghan

and Lauren Malone.

A Mass of Christian Burial will begin at 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, July 9, 2015 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Vanderburgh County, 6202 W. St. Joseph Road, Rev. Eugene Schroeder officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 2:00 until 8:00 P.M. on Wednesday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street, where there will be a memorial service conducted by the church at 5:00 P.M. Friends may also visit with the family from 9:30 A.M. until service time on Thursday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in the county.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Dr. and Mrs. Matt O'Connell who did everything possible to save Guy's life on the lake.

The family requests memorial contributions be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church, 6202 W. St. Joseph Road, Evansville, IN 47720 or to Mater Dei High School, 1300 Harmony Way, Evansville, IN 47720.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Church Cemetery

6202 W. St. Joseph Road
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 8. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN 47712
(812) 423-6471
info@pierrefuneralhome.com
<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

Visitation

JUL 9. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church (County)
6202 W. St. Joseph Road
Evansville, IN

funeral

JUL 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church (County)
6202 W. St. Joseph Road
Evansville, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Guy Edwin Smyth*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Cindy, Erin & Ben & Family,*

Guy was one of those guys that always had a smile on his face no matter what job you asked him to do. His dedication to his work and community is something that will be remembered forever.

I always enjoyed our little talks we had when he came to school to help us. He is one great guy and will be truly missed.

*My Deepest Sympathy,
Becky Doshier*

Becky Doshier - July 10, 2015 at 08:01 AM



Thank you Becky.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:36 PM



“ *I used to see Guy when he would service American General. I always enjoyed talking to him. So sorry to hear of his passing.*
Jaime Quirk

Jaime Quirk - July 08, 2015 at 04:18 PM



Thank you Jaime.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:37 PM

JH

“ Please know you have our sincere sympathy. I just heard about Guys passing. It was my pleasure to know him and work with him. He had a way of making a bad day not quite so bad. He will be missed.

Jack&Doris Hinton - July 08, 2015 at 09:48 AM

CS

Thank you so much for kind words.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:38 PM

TM

“ Guy was a great person period. I'd worked with Guy as long as he'd been with Industrial Contractors. We've also had alot of fun working together, even if it was a bad, dirty and difficult job Guy always made the best of it and laughed his way through it! Guy helped me and my parents with home projects and I helped Guy with some at his. I know he was very much in demand since he was such a great craftsman, but he always seemed to be able to squeeze your job in. Even when he retired he never really quit, it was in his DNA to keep on pluggin'.

Cindy and kids I'm sorry for your shocking loss, but please find consolation in the fact that you were able to spend as much time as you were able to with one of the greatest person I've ever happened to meet! Thanks for sharing him with us all!

We'll always miss you, but when we think of you it will make us smile, Tim, Nancy, Clarence, and Lucy Mitsdarffer

Tim Mitsdarffer - July 08, 2015 at 09:22 AM

CS

Thank you so much for kind words. Lucy strawberry pie was delicious!!

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:35 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.



July 07, 2015 at 10:38 PM



“ Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Having had him in your lives will serve as the strength to deal with your loss.

Elvira Knapp - July 07, 2015 at 05:07 PM



Thank you Elvira. Hope you are doing OK.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:39 PM



“ Gary & Charlotte Grabert purchased the Garden Accent - "Gone yet not forgotten..." for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.



Gary & Charlotte Grabert - July 07, 2015 at 02:50 PM



“ Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.



July 07, 2015 at 11:26 AM

JW

“ *TRULY one of the most remarkable men I ever met. Guy was always happy, always had something nice to say and could brighten any day with a word or a smile. My deepest sympathy to Cindy, Ben and Erin.*

Jalane Weber - July 07, 2015 at 10:21 AM

CS

Thank you for kind words Jalane.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:41 PM

WS

“ *With deepest sympathy, Austin, Jennifer & Benjamin Schafer purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.*



With deepest sympathy, Austin, Jennifer & Benjamin Schafer - July 06, 2015 at 08:20 PM

SF

“ *Our hearts and prayers are with your family. Guy's love lives on in you, and remember the truth that once was spoken: to love another person is to see the face of God. We offer our deepest condolences for your loss.*

- The Schafer Family (Austin, Jennifer, Benjamin); Columbus, Ohio



Schafer Family - July 06, 2015 at 07:01 PM

CS

Thank you Austin. So sweet of you, Jenny and little Benjamin to travel to be with us. Much appreciated.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:43 PM

BD

“ Cindy, Erin, Ben and families, our sincere sympathy to you all. We know you will miss Guy, but have many memories to cherish. Though we lost contact over the years, we have lots of fun memories from when our kids were little. May God bless you. Steve and Becky Deutsch

Becky Deutsch - July 06, 2015 at 04:36 PM

CS

Thank you Steve and Becky. I will always remember our Trivial Pursuit games!

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:45 PM

AD

“ Erin, My heart and prayers to you and your family after the sudden loss of your father. May your love in Christ comfort you in this difficult time.
Amy, Jeff, Chandler and Stella

Amy Duell - July 06, 2015 at 02:37 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.



July 06, 2015 at 01:16 PM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Guy Edwin Smyth.



July 06, 2015 at 01:06 PM



“ Dear Erin, Our heartfelt condolences go out to you and your family at this very sad time.
Your are in our thoughts and prayers.

Cathy Ott and Ronnie

Cathy Ott - July 06, 2015 at 12:16 PM



“ Dear Erin,
Joe and I were sad to hear about the sudden passing of your father. You have been there for us on several occasions and we wanted to let you know that our thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family.
Joe and Angie Commorato

Angie Commorato - July 06, 2015 at 11:56 AM



“ God bless your family on the loss of such a wonderful man, husband, father and grandfather. All of the stories that I have heard about Guy involved his great qualities of helping others and living life to the fullest. Aren't we all blessed by having spent some time with this wonderful man? May we all strive to live our life as he did. May God's blessings shower on you all!! Love, The Hobson Family

Diane Hobson - July 06, 2015 at 11:21 AM

MW

My thoughts, prayers and heartfelt condolences go out to all of Guy's family and friends. I couldn't agree more with Diane's comments (above) that "Aren't we all blessed by having spent some time with this wonderful man?" God broke the mold creating Guy....truly a great man, kind, caring, giving, funny, hardworking, great family man....the list of positive things could go on forever...much like the good memories we will all have of Guy...they will go on forever.

Monty Wilson - July 06, 2015 at 03:03 PM

DO

Well said, Diane and Monty!

Denise O'Connell - July 06, 2015 at 05:31 PM

CS

Yes! Thank you for these awesome comments. Also appreciate your presence, the flowers and the Panera food. So thoughtful.

Cindy Smyth - July 15, 2015 at 01:49 PM