



## Doyle Edward Smith Jr

March 22, 1958 - May 20, 2021

Doyle Edward "Eddie" Smith, Jr. passed away Thursday, May 20th, 2021. He was born on March 22nd, 1958 in Pulaski, TN and was 63 years old.

Eddie loved to spend time with his family and church family. He was devoted to his Lord & Savior, his family, and his church family where he served as a deacon for over 40 years. He also served many years as a Sunday school teacher, song leader and musician. He was instrumental in the rebuilding of Wales Baptist Church. In his spare time, he also enjoyed going camping, fishing, motorcycles, spending time with his grandkids, and participating in tractor pulls.

Visitation will be held Saturday, May 22nd, 2021 from 2:00 to 6:00pm at Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory.

Funeral Service will take place at 2:00 Sunday, May 23rd, 2021 at Wales Baptist Church.

Burial will follow at Giles Memory Gardens.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Doyle and Cleo Smith, and his father-in-law Clifford Thomas.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley Thomas Smith of Pulaski, TN.

Daughters, Chasity (Kevin) Wells of Pulaski & Conetha (Shane) Garner of Lawrenceburg, TN.

Two Grandchildren that he adored, Malin Kate “Mae Mae” Garner, and Austin Blaze aka “Buddy”

Sisters, Pam (Scott) Tarpley of Pulaski, TN and Janet Dunavant of Pulaski, TN. Brothers, Mack (Janie) Thomas of Pulaski, TN and Steve Thomas of Pulaski. TN.

A mother in law that he loved: Marzee “Mee Maw” Thomas of Pulaski, TN.

Step-Mother, Carolyn Smith of Pulaski, TN

Brothers, Billy Joe (Teresa) Griggs of Pulaski, TN and James (Donna) Griggs of Pulaski, TN

He is also survived by a multitude of nieces and nephews.

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory are in charge of arrangements for Doyle Edward “Eddie” Smith, Jr.

# Cemetery Details

## Giles Memory Garden

140 Bethel Road  
Pulaski, TN

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAY **23**. 2:00 AM (CT)

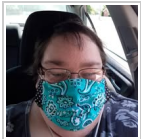
Wales Baptist Church  
1860 Campbellsville Road  
Pulaski, TN 38478

# Tribute Wall



“ Eddie was a good man, as evidenced on the day of his funeral, when Wales Baptist Church looked as if it were Tennessee's biggest car dealer.

Joe Hancock - May 26, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ My deepest condolences to all of you during this difficult time. My dad worked with Eddie along time at Gabriel/Arvin. He will be missed. Keeping you all in my prayers.



Shannon Garner - May 22, 2021 at 07:13 PM



“ Jason N Sandi Mills sent a virtual gift in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Jason N Sandi Mills - May 22, 2021 at 06:09 PM



“ Jason N Sandi Mills lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Jason N Sandi Mills - May 22, 2021 at 06:08 PM



“ 25 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Bennett - May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory** - May 22, 2021 at 01:17 PM

MM

“ *Our deepest sympathy to all the family. He will be truly missed by so many people. Our thoughts and prayers will be with all of you during this difficult time. God bless you all.*

*Gerry and Martha Mize*

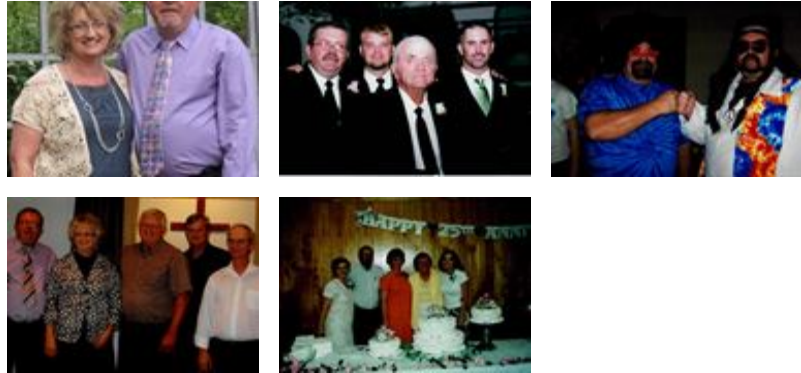


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**Martha Mize** - May 22, 2021 at 12:23 PM



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Bennett - May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory - May 22, 2021 at 12:01 PM



“ Our Thoughts and Prayers are with you all.  
Rest In Peace and Rise in Glory!

Andy & Patty Smith

Patty Smith - May 22, 2021 at 11:43 AM



“ So very sorry to hear this. Shirley, my prayers are with you and the family.

Rodney Wilburn - May 22, 2021 at 11:43 AM



“ Clifford Lovell lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Clifford Lovell - May 22, 2021 at 08:29 AM

LP

“ *Our deepest condolences to the family.  
Jay and Latricia Phillips*



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**Latricia Phillips** - May 21, 2021 at 07:53 PM

SR

“ *I am so sorry Shirley. Praying for you and your family. Stephen Russ*

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**stephen russ** - May 21, 2021 at 07:30 PM

MA

“ *Marshall lit a candle in memory of Doyle  
Edward Smith Jr*



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**marshall** - May 21, 2021 at 06:36 PM

BS

“ *Brenda& Harold Swinger lit a candle in  
memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr*



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**Brenda& Harold swinger** - May 21, 2021 at 06:11 PM

JS

“ *Jerry Smith lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr*



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**Jerry smith** - May 21, 2021 at 05:19 PM

AL

“ *Ann Lewonczyk lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr*



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**Ann Lewonczyk** - May 21, 2021 at 04:35 PM

GG

“ *Gary &Michelle Glover lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr*



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**Gary &Michelle Glover** - May 21, 2021 at 04:29 PM

PA

“ *Pam lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr*



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**pam** - May 21, 2021 at 02:37 PM

SH

“ Shirley Holt lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Shirley Holt - May 21, 2021 at 01:49 PM

CM

“ Cathy Prentice Maust lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Cathy Prentice Maust - May 21, 2021 at 01:46 PM

SW

“ Shirley Wilson lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Shirley Wilson - May 21, 2021 at 01:25 PM

BM

“ Becky Mross lit a candle in memory of Doyle Edward Smith Jr



Becky Mross - May 21, 2021 at 01:19 PM