



## Herbert D. Smith

August 29, 1947 - April 5, 2021

Herbert D. Smith (73) of Havana, Illinois, passed away at 5pm on Monday April 5th, 2021 at Sunset Nursing Home in Canton, Illinois.

Herb was born on August 29th, 1947 the only child of Herbert and Eva Delores (Abbott) Smith in Peoria, Illinois.

He married Penny (Hackman) Smith on July 17th, 1993 in Ipava, Illinois.

Herb is survived by his wife Penny, 2 daughters, Vicki Cochran of Peoria, Illinois, Karen Anderson (Justin) of Bartonville, Illinois and 4 step children: Tonya Ray (Trevor) of Port Charlotte, Florida, Tara Dillard (Derek), Tammy Danner (Travis) and Rodney Ash (Shannon) all of Havana, Illinois. Herb is also blessed/survived by 15 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren and his dog Buddy.

Herbie worked for Caterpillar for 31 years until his retirement in 1997. Herb was a pivotal role with the Mason County Angels and the Tommy Hackman Lawnmower Benefit Run for 20+ years along with the VFW Men's Auxiliary. Herbie's greatest past time was teaching his grandchildren how to play pool along with playing on pool leagues his entire life. He enjoyed traveling throughout the area meeting new people and forming lasting friendships. He also had a love for fishing where he created deep bonds with family and friends. Herbie has created memories that will forever be cherished by each and every one of us who love him. He is now at peace and can rest easy till we all meet again.

Hurley Funeral Home is in charge of cremation rites.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the VFW 6408 in Havana, on May 15th, 2021 from 3-7pm.

Memorial Contributions may be left at Family Discretion.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAY 15. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

VFW Post #6408  
415 W. Adams St.  
Havana, IL 62644  
(309) 543-9120

# Tribute Wall



“ *Herbert D. Smith*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Our very deepest sympathy to Penny and family. So many years have gone by but we remember those great times, Penny. God Bless You and Your Family. Lorenda and Alvin Spilker.*

**Lorenda and Alvin Spilker** - May 10, 2021 at 02:34 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Herbert D. Smith.*



April 28, 2021 at 11:45 AM



“ *Sending my thoughts and prayers to Herb's family. I am so sorry for your loss*

**Anne Smith** - April 12, 2021 at 06:52 PM



“ *So sorry for your family's loss!*



**Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson** - April 10, 2021 at 08:01 AM

TG

“ *Tim Griffin lit a candle in memory of Herbert D. Smith*



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**tim griffin** - April 10, 2021 at 06:01 AM

HI

“ *Hila purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Herbert D. Smith.*



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**Hila** - April 09, 2021 at 06:21 PM

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“ *Our very deepest sympathy to Herbie's family. His wonderful memories will live on through everyone. God Bless Us Everyone. Alvin and Lorenda Spilker.*



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**Lorenda and Alvin Spilker** - April 09, 2021 at 04:22 PM

JC

“ *Julitta Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Herbert D. Smith*



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**Julitta Carpenter** - April 09, 2021 at 03:39 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Herbert D. Smith.*



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April 09, 2021 at 11:55 AM

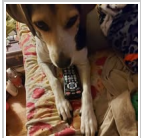


“ *Kim Russell lit a candle in memory of Herbert D. Smith*



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**Kim Russell** - April 09, 2021 at 09:44 AM



“ *Nancy Elliott lit a candle in memory of Herbert D. Smith*



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**Nancy Elliott** - April 09, 2021 at 09:31 AM



“ *Sending thoughts and prayers from the Curt Wilkey family. GOD bless you all.*



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**Illa wilkey** - April 08, 2021 at 05:27 PM

 Rob  
Pierson

“ *Rob Pierson sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Herbert D. Smith*



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**Rob Pierson** - April 08, 2021 at 04:59 PM