



## Edward Smith

June 20, 1920 - April 19, 2006

Smith, Edward Age 85 April 19, 2006 Beloved husband of June Nee Lyons of 60 years Loving Father of Zenyth Bell Conner, Rudy Mary Lyons, Lue Jack Heacock, and Eddie Pat Proud Grandfather of 14 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren and Predeceased by his grandson Clint R. Heacock and great granddaughter Brianna Lyons Dear Brother of Ester Smith, Alva Jeffords, and the late Fred Visitation at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Rd. 3 Blks E. of Van Dyke Utica Friday 1-9pm with evening pray 7pm. Funeral Service Saturday 1pm at the Funeral Home Interment Christian Memorial Cultural Center Please share a memory with the family at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com) Mr. Smith is a 8 year resident of Dryden and formerly of Johannesburg, MI and Macomb County. Loved to due upholstery for friends and family, hunting, fishing, gardening and baseball and was a big Tigers fan, 23 1/2 year employee of Ford Motor retired in 1975 Member of the VFW Post in Johannesburg, MI

# Tribute Wall

AS

“ Two nights before Papaw passed away, we were on our way home from the hospital and I was starring at the stars thinking. I saw an image as plane as day. It was Papaw shaking hands with my Pa, my other grandfather. The two were really close when Pa was alive. I saw that image the rest of the night and I knew that Papaw would be with him soon in heaven.

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**Adam J. Smith** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ On this day one more of us has gone to heaven, We will gladly see them off this world of pain They will go to be with those whoÆve gone before them, And theyÆll wait for more to join them on our way On this day although weÆre sad we are rejoicing, Some of our tears are tears of joy for where theyÆve gone Some will cry and some will laugh at their memories, And some will sing and praise the Lord with their songs On this day one more of us has gone to heaven, We will gladly see them off this world of sin They will go to be with those whoÆve gone before them, And theyÆll be the happiest theyÆve ever been

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**Adam J. Smith** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Hello June and Family, As much as Bob and I would like to come and be with you at this time, we cannot make the trip. We greive with you for the passing of Ed. Isn't it ironic that Ed and Fred died on the same day at the same age. I can just see them in heaven now greeting each other and having a good laugh. Our hearts and prayers are with you. We don't worry abut Ed as he surely was a good Christian man and God just called his number as he will each of us one day. Again, we love you, we are thinking and praying for you and may the Peace of the Most High God be with you andyour family. Love as always, Bob and Sue. 411-46th St., S.E., Chas., WV 25304; 3049251656

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**Bobby and Sue Smith, Charleston, WV** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

YR

“ I wish I could be there with you all. I know Uncle Ed and Daddy are off somewhere together fishing and having a wonderful time. Shortly before Daddy crossed over, God granted me a vision of his passing. He was at home in his old easy chair and Mother came to him, reached out her hand to him and said, "Come on, Fred, it's time to go home". He got up and went with her, they walked toward the light, but before they stepped into it, they both turned and looked over their shoulders at me as if to make sure I was ok. They were young again. I told them both goodbye and that it was ok to go, I would be ok. I was not asleep when I saw this and Kevin, who was holding me as I cried, saw the exact same vision. My tears of sadness turned to tears of joy, because I knew Daddy would truly be home. I know Daddy was there to meet Uncle Ed when he crossed over, just as Mother was there to meet him. I hope shareing this with you will give you some comfort in this difficult time. We will see all of them again. I know they will be there waiting to meet us when it is our time to cross over. I love you all very much.

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**Yvonne Smith Ratliff** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to all of you. I wish I could have made it back up to see all of you, but I have deadlines for a meeting next week that I need to meet. My thoughts and prayers are with you. It was sure great to see everyone last week but I just wish it was under better circumstances. Please try to make it to the family reunion on August 5. I love you all and hope to see you soon. Love Linda

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**Linda Rudd** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ I would like to give a short tribute to my dear Uncle Ed! Such a beautiful man! I'm so very thankful for the lasting impression he put upon my life through his strength & love. Throughout my life I've been fortunate to carry with me an image of a soul whose warmth & sincerity always made my eyes light up every time I saw him! After my own dad passed away when I was a young boy of five, one of the highlights I always looked forward to during those summer visits to Kentucky was when I would get to see my Aunt June & Uncle Ed! I'm sure I will be just as overjoyed to see him again one day when we will all meet at last on that golden shore & rejoice together for the wonderful labors of love God has wrought through the lives of such men as Ed Smith! Until that day he will be missed!

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**Larry Milton Pizzuto** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ To my sweet and precious Aunt June, Zenyth, Louellen, and Eddie. At this sad time, may it bring each of you, comfort to know how much we care. May it help you to remember how deeply we loved our Uncle Ed. He was to each of us from our earliest years, the finest example of quite, gentle strength, and the very meaning of love. We will forever remember this loving man and thank God he was a part of our family. Our Love and Prayers are with you all.  
Carla Sue and Family

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**Carla Sue Temple** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ To my dear Aunt June, Zenyth, Lue & Jack, Rudy & Mary and Eddie & Pat I will always remember Uncle Ed's warm smile, humble ways, sweet spirit, soft voice and how he made me feel, so cozy and warm, when I was around him. I always felt blessed in his presence. Uncle Ed will be sadly missed by me but I know he is in Heaven. Gone from this earth but not from my heart. I love all of you and Donnie and I wished we could have been there with you. All My Love with prayers and great sympathy! Donnie and Claudette

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**Claudette Anderson** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM