



## Hoyt Danial Smith

September 21, 1953 - June 7, 2025

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of Hoyt Danial Smith, a cherished husband, dedicated outdoorsman, and esteemed intellectual, who departed this life on June 7, 2025, at the age of 71. Born on September 21, 1953, in Fort Worth, Texas, Hoyt carried the spirit of the Lone Star State within him throughout his life, ultimately finding his home in the picturesque city of Longview, where he embraced the beauty of the great outdoors. Hoyt was a man of many passions. He found solace in the tranquil moments spent hunting and fishing, deeply appreciating the natural world that surrounded him. This love for the outdoors was matched only by his dedication to his family, particularly his beloved wife, Kareen Smith, with whom he shared twenty-five wonderful years of marriage. Their bond was a testament to love's enduring strength and the joys of companionship. Hoyt achieved academic excellence, earning a Master's Degree in Computer Science. His intellect and knowledge left a marked impact on all who had the privilege of knowing him, inspiring those around him to pursue their own passions with vigor and determination. Hoyt is survived by his dear wife, Kareen, who will forever carry his memory in her heart and a sister, Susan Smith. He was preceded in death by his parents, Hoyt W. Smith and Jane T. Lunday Smith and a son, Jeremy Smith. Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday, June 11, 2025 at Mountain Creek Cemetery where Hoyt was buried with a green burial. As we remember Hoyt, let us cherish the time we had with him and take solace in the profound legacy he leaves behind. He will

be deeply missed but never forgotten.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JUN 11.

Mountain Creek Cemetery where Hoyt was buried