



## Lee Perry Smithey

September 1, 1940 - December 13, 2017

Lee Perry Smithey, 77, a native of Mertens, Texas and long-time resident of Grand Prairie, entered into eternal life on Wednesday, December 13, 2017 following a brief illness.

Visitation: 10 to 11 a.m. Monday at Indian Hills Baptist Church where funeral services will follow at 11. Burial: 2:30 p.m. at Bethlehem Cemetery.

Lee Smithey was born on September 1, 1940. He would retire from Vought Aircraft in 1996 after thirty-six years of employment, where he worked as a sheet-metal supervisor. He was a former long-time member of Eighth Street Baptist Church and a current member at Indian Hills Baptist.

Lee enjoyed "cutting up". He always wanted to make those around him smile. He carried candy in his pocket for any small child he would come in contact with. As time allowed, he would spend time fishing or working in his wood shop in the back yard.

He is survived by his wife of nineteen years, Sue Storms Smithey; children, Tammy Hughes and spouse Robert, Theresa Smithey and spouse Julie Jackman, Jerry Smithey and spouse Lisa, Tim Smithey; grandchildren, Logan, Dayton, Taryn, Tristan, Katelyn; sister, Joann Williams and step-son, Rick Ballard and his spouse Shelley.

He was preceded in death by a son, Terry Smithey, brothers, Paul, John and James Smithey.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Indian Hills Baptist Church  
814 Tamara Lane  
Grand Prairie, TX 75051

## Funeral Service

DEC 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ It is with a sad heart that we recently learned of Smithy's passing. We had asked about him at Theo's where we usually saw him and his sweet wife, Sue. My husband Freddie had worked with him at Vought and has many fond memories. I remember his smile, every time we saw him and Sue, he would greet us with a smile and we would visit with them. He will be missed. May he rest in peace.  
Friends: Freddie and Aurora Jacinto

Aurora & Freddie Jacinto - May 30, 2018 at 09:50 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lee Perry Smithey.



December 17, 2017 at 10:32 AM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



Guerrero - Dean Funeral Home - December 16, 2017 at 01:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lee Perry Smithey.



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December 16, 2017 at 12:12 PM