



Elmer Ray "Smitty" Smith

January 19, 1922 - July 12, 2011

Elmer R. "Smitty" Smith, 89, of Bloomfield passed away Tuesday July 12, 2011 at his residence.

Born January 19, 1922 in Buffalo, New York the son of Raymond L. and May (Forbes) Smith.

Smitty worked at NSWC Crane in the Ordinance Department retiring in 1984. He was a U.S. Marine Corps. Veteran of WWII and the Korean War, he was a member of the Bloomfield First Presbyterian Church and the Knights of Pythias.

He has one surviving daughter; Letitia R. Smith of Spring Park, Minnesota and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Emma L. (Slaven) Smith on September 14, 1985; two brothers, one sister, and his parents.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. on Saturday and 1 P.M. Sunday until the hour of service at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be at 2:00 P.M. on Sunday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Murray Thompson officiating. Burial will be at a later date in Grandview Cemetery.

The family wishes any donations be made to the American Heart Association. Online condolences to the family can be made at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall

RA

“ Elmer was always so interesting to talk to about his experiences in World War II. I will miss him.
He is another one of the Greatest Generation that belongs to the ages.
God bless all of you.

Roger Axe - July 17, 2011 at 08:49 PM

AM

“ My husband and I are so sorry to hear about Mr Smith's passing. He was our neighbor (across the road). We didn't know him like my father, Billy Ed, did but I always watched for him especially when he would drive to the mailbox. He kept his home and property so nice. Our prayers and thoughts go with the family at this time of loss. If we can do anything for you, please don't hesitate to ask. He will be missed in the neighborhood.

Adelia Hostettler Miller - July 15, 2011 at 02:56 PM

CC

“ Elmer we will miss you at the Lighthouse Lunchbox. Great knowing him, rest in peace.

Cheri Cox - July 15, 2011 at 12:26 PM

KA

“ Letitia,
I am so sorry to hear about your Dad passing away, and so sorry for your loss. He will be missed in Bloomfield. I always thought he was a nice guy! May God comfort you in your time of sorrow.

Kelly (Emery) Anderson - July 15, 2011 at 10:20 AM

J(

“ *Thinking of you, Tish! Stay strong!*

Julia (J.O.) - July 15, 2011 at 09:24 AM

MP

“ *Semper Fi!*

Martha Philipps - July 14, 2011 at 09:36 PM

EH

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to your family. My husband Sherl thought highly of "Smitty" when they worked together at Crane.*

Eva Nell Hasler - July 14, 2011 at 05:44 PM

DT

“ *The Session and congregation of First Presbyterian Church of Bloomfield extend their deepest condolences and prayers of support to the family and friends of Mr. Elmer Smith. May the light of our Lord's resurrection abide!*

Dr. Murray Joseph Thompson - July 14, 2011 at 03:21 PM