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James "Jim" Dean Smith

June 9, 1954 - July 11, 2020

James "Jim" Dean Smith, 66, of Morganton, NC passed away Saturday, July 11, 2020. He was born on June 9, 1954 to the late Izera Jonas Smith and Lillian Reid Smith. He was a member and a deacon of Amherst Baptist Church. Jim was with the Burke County Sheriff's office for 11 years full time, and served 19 years as a reserve. He enjoyed riding his Harley, wood carving and traveling. He especially enjoyed spending time with his family.

Jim is survived by his wife, Beverly Crump Smith; son, David Smith (Jeni); granddaughters, Emma Haas and Piper Smith; brother, Johnny Smith (Sarah); nieces, Mandy Hice and Wendy Smith.

A cryptside service will be at 3:00pm, Wednesday, July 15, 2020 at Burke Memorial Park. Honors will be provided by the Burke County Sheriff's Honor Guard. There will be a drive through visitation from 5:00-7:00pm following the service at Amherst Baptist Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to Amherst Baptist Church.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

No tributes added yet.