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keith William Smith

April 26, 1937 - Dec. 9, 2022

Keith William Smith, 85, of Morganton, NC passed away on Friday, December 9, 2022 with his family by his side. He was born on April 26, 1937 in the United Kingdom to the late Roxbora Smith and Hannah Smith. He was a veteran of the Royal Navy. In 1973, he moved to the United States and retired from Gaines Motor Lines in 2000. Keith enjoyed traveling and seeing his grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Brian and Arnold Smith; sister, Mary Tarbuck.

Keith is survived by his wife of 62 years, Gloria Flint Smith; son, Ian Smith (Nichola); daughters, Karen Smith Fleming (Todd), and Elaine Smith Clark (Alden); grandchildren, Kaitlyn Smith, Amanda Fleming, Megan Huffman, Clint Fleming and Michael Clark; and seven great-grandchildren.

There are no services planned at this time.

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

Tribute Wall

Gloria, I'm so sorry to hear about Keith. I know you will miss him so much. Just try to focus on the fun times and memories you shared. That will make you smile. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Brownie

-Browning Rochefort

Please accept our sincerest condolences on the passing of your dad~may rest in peace~ With heaviest hearts~

–The Jaworowski's



Sorry for your lost send love hugs of comfort and prayers for you and family

-Richard Reed jr

Sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

-Tom and Deanna Caldwell

Gloria I am so sorry about Keith. Phil and I enjoyed when we would run into you all. Phil fell and passed away in February. Prayers for your journey.

-Kathy Bailey

–Jo Harris

The whole UK family send our heartfelt condolences to you all. You are in our thoughts and we send our love & hugs. Stay strong Glor & sleep tight Keith. Love Bill & Marion, Jacqui & Steve, Nicola & Andy, Simone & Andy and Angela & Jonny. xx

-UK FAMILY