



Richard Wayne Smith

March 24, 1946 - November 24, 2010

Richard Wayne Smith, 64, of Carthage passed away 3:24 a.m., Wednesday, November 24, 2010 at St. John's Regional Medical Center in Joplin. Richard was born March 24, 1946 in Carthage. He was the son of Homer Smith, Sr. and Alta Irvin Smith. Richard was a lifetime resident of Carthage. He was employed by Hercules Powder Plant. Richard served in the United States Airforce during the Vietnam Era.

Richard is survived by his Fiance, Gina Graham of Carthage, one son, Michael Smith of Eugene, OR, two daughters, Tamu Smith of Joplin and Chandra Haliburton of Carthage, two brothers, Walter Smith, Sr. and wife Leslie of Carthage and Carl Smith of Joplin, three sisters, Myra Wofford and husband Tim of Carthage, Anita Pillar and husband David of Columbus, KS and Carletta Fisher of Tulsa, OK, sister-in-laws Chiquita "Chechee" Smith of Kansas City, MO and Dorothy Cade of Joplin, five grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by 3 brothers, Homer V. Smith, Jr, Wendell L. Smith and William Smith and one sister Joyce Johnson. Graveside memorial services will be 3:00 p.m. Friday, November 26, 2010 at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I was very sorry to hear about Richard passing. He was a longtime friend of mine and my prayers are with you and your family during this time.*

Billy Mitchell - November 26, 2010 at 11:04 PM

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“ *Sorry. Wish I had known in time to come to the service.*

Doug & Jeremy Smith - November 26, 2010 at 05:45 PM