



## Billy "Ted" Wayne Smith

January 4, 1948 - February 8, 2022

A memorial service for Billy "Ted" Wayne Smith, age 74 of Abel, will be on Saturday, February 12, 2022 at 11 am at Abel Baptist Church. Officiating the service will be Dr. Pete Frames. The family will receive friends on the same day at 10 am at the church. The graveside service will take place after the memorial service at Abel Baptist Church Cemetery, Steve Butler will be a pallbearer.

He is survived by his loving wife of 49 years, Joyce Smith, daughter, Brandy Butler (Steve), granddaughters; Jean Smith, Haley Butler, Anna Butler, grandsons; Cody Butler, Chris Williams Butler, brother, Roy Smith (Betty), sisters; Judy Daugherty (Dwight), Bunnie Hawkins, and many nieces and nephews and many great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Calvin and Hattie Smith, brother, Calvin Smith Jr., and sister, Lois Stansell.

Ted was a member of Abel Baptist Church and Deacon. He was a very loyal church member.

He loved his family, and friends. He also enjoyed traveling, gospel singing, guns and trains. Ted spent four years serving his country in the Air Force as a military police officer.

In lieu of flowers, the family would request any donations to the Abel Baptist Church Cemetery.

4133 County Rd 24

Delta AL 36258

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Abel Baptist Church  
Abel, AL

## Memorial Service

FEB 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

Abel Baptist Church  
Abel, AL

## Graveside

FEB 12. 12:00 PM (CT)

Abel Baptist Church  
Abel, AL

# Tribute Wall

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“*Uncle Ted, I love you more than words can express. My heart broke the day I heard you were sick and shattered completely with your passing. You have made me laugh, supported me, and loved me. I will miss everything about you.*”

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**Rhonda** - February 14, 2022 at 03:06 PM

PH

“*Always an encourager and showing God's love. He was truly a blessing too me and my family. I'm going to miss you and the joy you brought to everyone.*”

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**Paula Hendrick** - February 12, 2022 at 09:08 AM

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“*Billy and I have known each other for over 30 years. When we first became friends, he has helped and supported me a lot in which he considered me as a brother from another mother. From then on, I always feel the same way about him. Billy and Joyce have always considered me as family. If I ever need any help, they would always be there for me and my family. Our family will never forget him and his love for others. Billy will be a great man in our memory forever. May God rest his soul. RIP.*”

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**Khai Nguyen** - February 11, 2022 at 08:50 PM

ET

“ *Billy and I worked together driving the DAV van. I remember him as always friendly and concerned for the well-being of the veterans that were on the van and the ones he met in the VA Hospital cafeteria. He will be truly missed. God Bless you old friend.*



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**Ernie Thurston** - February 11, 2022 at 07:51 PM

PF

*We got to know Ted about 8 years ago, we knew Joyce. We became great friends with both. If we ever needed anything Ted was always there. He will be truly missed at church and as our friend. So sorry for our loss.*

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**Pete and Gladys Frames** - February 13, 2022 at 08:35 AM

RH

“ *You will be missed brother, but through JESUS we will meet again. WE LOVE YOU, GOD LOVES YOU, AND THERE AIN'T NOTHING YOU CAN DO ABOUT IT.*

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**ROD HENDRICK** - February 11, 2022 at 08:21 AM

BS

*John and I were fortunate to have Ted, Joyce and Jean visit us Northern Neck VA and every time we came home, Pete and Gladys would invite them to visit with us. We enjoyed our visits. We both were very sadden to learn of his passing. The last time we saw him in Abel,, we talked about his visiting us again. Our sincere condolences to all his family. John and Barbara Schenkel*

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**Barbara Schenkel** - February 11, 2022 at 11:51 AM