



W. Duane Smith

July 24, 1940 - August 25, 2015

Funeral services for WALDON DUANE SMITH, 75, will be held at 2pm Monday, August 31, 2015 at the First Wyoming United Presbyterian Church with Kelly Sittner officiating. Burial will follow in the Valley View Cemetery. Duane died at his home on August 25, 2015. Memorials may be made to either the Hawk Springs Fire and Rescue Units or the Yoder Women's Club. Visitation will be Monday from 10am to noon at the funeral home and the casket will be closed at the church service. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send condolences to the family at www.colyerfuneralhome.com.

Duane was born July 24, 1940 in Hawk Springs, Wyoming the son of Waldon and Clara (Marlatt) Smith. He grew up and attended school in Hawk Springs graduating high school there in 1958. He was drafted into the army for a short time and then returned to Hawk Springs. He attended two years at Goshen County Community College (now EWC) before going on to attend a short time at Chadron State College. He married Cathy Weglin in 1965. They farmed and ranched in the Hawk Springs area. He sold the farm in 1991 and moved to Torrington, Wyoming. He drove truck for Transystems and Aulick Trucking until he retired in 2008.

Duane loved to watch Formula One and Super Cross racing on television. He was a member of the Hawk Springs Fire Department. He helped run the

chains at the Goshen Hole and Southeast football games for many years.

Duane is survived by his son Troy Smith of Cheyenne, Wyoming; nephews Waldon Smith of Hawk Springs, Wyoming and Mark Weglin of Spearfish, South Dakota; and a niece Sherri (Weglin) Worley of Worland, Wyoming; and his sister-in-law, Trudy Smith. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Cathy; two infant brothers and a brother Arley Smith; and an infant sister.

Cemetery Details

Valley View Cemetery

30th Avenue
Torrington, WY 82240

Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to Duane's family. My Grandmother Helen Gregory was Aunt Clara Smith's niece. She would take us with her on visits. I alway remember Duane and his great sense of humor and his endless teasing. I know he will be missed.*

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“ *Duane is my best friend in the world... he was an awesome man... I will miss him so much ~ my heart is broken... fly high my friend . love and miss you forever...*



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