



## Floyd Jerrel "Jerry" Smith

January 25, 1948 - September 22, 2019

Floyd Jerrel (Jerry) Smith, age 71, of Harrisonburg Va. passed away on September 22, 2019 at the Roanoke Memorial Hospital in Roanoke Virginia. He was born January 25, 1948 at Pearisburg, Va. the son of the late Carrie Lee Smith.

He is survived by one aunt, Effie Fuller, Wytheville, Va. , four uncles, Lloyd G. Smith , Tazewell, Va., Roba A. Smith, McConnellsville, Ohio, Hassel N. Smith, Bland, VA., Clyde S. Smith, Bluefield, Va. and a host of cousins.

Jerrell Smith was a retired educator in Harrisonburg, VA. having been a teacher, coach, and assistant Principal at Harrisonburg High School for many years. He earned his BS degree at Lynchburg University and his Masters degree at James Madison University. He was recently inducted into the Harrisonburg High School Athletics Hall of Fame.

In line with his wishes, Jerrel has been cremated and a memorial service will be held Saturday, September 28, 2019 at the Mercer Funeral Home in Bluefield, WV. at 2 pm with Pastor Jim Drake officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.MercerFuneralHome.com](http://www.MercerFuneralHome.com) Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Mr. Floyd "Jerry" Smith

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **28.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel  
1231 West Cumberland Road  
Bluefield, WV 24701

## Memorial Service

SEP **28.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Floyd Jerrel "Jerry" Smith*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *Sincere sympathy to Jerry's family. I worked with Jerry for many years and saw his love for students. He was always a pleasure to be around. There are many fond memories that will be shared for many years. Rest easy Jerry. Sherri Chapman*

**Sherri Chapman** - October 17, 2019 at 08:45 AM



“ *Rest in peace Jerry you was a blessing to many*



**Sandy and crystal** - October 04, 2019 at 11:31 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Floyd Jerrel "Jerry" Smith.*



September 26, 2019 at 08:38 PM

JH

“ *"Jerry" was a dedicated educator and dear friend of mine for two decades.*

*As a teacher and then as my assistant principal at HHS I witnessed on a daily basis his commitment to helping his students, his students and his colleagues succeed in their individual endeavors.*

*I am heart-broken at Jerry's passing. I will forever reflect upon the personal and professional time that we spent together directing our collective efforts to make Harrisonburg High School an institution of educational distinction.*

*God Bless Jerry Smith...*

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**John Heubach** - September 26, 2019 at 07:06 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Floyd Jerrel "Jerry" Smith.*



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September 26, 2019 at 05:52 PM

SM

“ *I wish to offer sincere condolences to Jerry's family. Having known Jerry for nearly 20 years and most recently, performing research into his career in education and sports for his induction into the Harrisonburg High School Athletic Hall of Fame, I feel a very personal sense of loss and sadness. Jerry touched many, many lives and he will be remembered fondly by all.*

*Sherrie Baker Morris*

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**Sherrie Morris** - September 26, 2019 at 12:57 PM

SH

*Deepest condolences to the many family members. May God Bless Jerry and his many family members.*

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**Sue And Craig Hale** - September 26, 2019 at 08:51 PM

PA

*Jerry was a next door neighbor and friend going back to the 80's. Ran into him a few years back at VMRC when I was doing some surgery rehab. A former student posted his obituary where i saw it. Condolences to his family*

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**Pat** - September 27, 2019 at 09:55 AM

DH

*A friend an a fellow golfer, I played many rounds of golf with Jerry, my sincere condolences to his family, Donnie Shifflett in Harrisonburg*

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**Donnie Shifflett, Harrisonburg** - September 29, 2019 at 07:08 PM