

## James Harold "Putt" Smith

December 8, 1933 - February 16, 2020

Mr. James Harold "Putt" Smith of College Park passed away February 16, 2020. Putt was known as the community mechanic in the 70's and 80's until he started transitioning into working on antique Flathead Ford Engines. He was a longtime member and Deacon at Union Christian Church. Putt was preceded in death by his daughter, Lorrie Ann Smith and is survived by his wife of 66 years, Jean Smith of College Park; children, Jeff Smith and his wife Marion of Fairburn; Dana Bogenschutz and her husband Allen of Marietta; grandchildren, John Bogenschutz; Daniel Alligood and Makever Alligood; great grandchildren, Jada; Jacob and Aiden and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held Thursday, February 20, 2020 at 11 o'clock at Union Christian Church with Minister Allan Thames and Minister Dale Hutchins officiating. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Those wishing may sign the online guestbook at [www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com). In lieu of flowers those desiring may make donations to Union Christian Church, 3595 Union Rd., SW, College Park, GA 30349. The family will receive friends Wednesday evening from 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. at Parrott Funeral Home and Crematory, 770-964-4800.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **19**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
8355 Senoia Road  
Fairburn, GA 30213  
(770) 964-4800  
info@parrottfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.parrottfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

FEB **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Christian Church  
3595 Union Rd., SW  
College Park, GA 30349

# Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - February 18, 2020 at 03:39 PM

JB

“ *Jayne Bennett lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



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**Jayne Bennett** - February 23, 2020 at 03:38 PM

PA

“ *Dana,  
I just heard about your Dad. I am so sorry. I know your loss. I still miss Dad and wish I could ask him what or how to do something. My thoughts and prayers are with you, your mom and brother. Take care and I will talk to you later.  
Love you.  
Pat*



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**Pat** - February 20, 2020 at 01:36 PM

LB

*Jean ,so sorry wish I had known .Lee Banks*

Lee Banks - February 25, 2020 at 04:03 PM

TC

“ *Dana, praying for peace and comfort as only the Holy Spirit can provide. An awesome legacy of faith modeled and left for all! Much love, Tracy & Tim Copeland*



Tracy Copeland - February 20, 2020 at 10:05 AM

PA

“ *Jean, Tony and I are very sorry for your loss. Please know you and your family are in our prayers. Love Pam Sensing*

Pam - February 19, 2020 at 06:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.*



February 19, 2020 at 03:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.*



February 19, 2020 at 10:40 AM

Sandy Burdette

“ *Sandy Burdette lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



Sandy Burdette - February 19, 2020 at 08:50 AM

PH

“ *Phil & Laurel Huff purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.*



Phil & Laurel Huff - February 19, 2020 at 07:03 AM

BH

“ *Becky Smith Hamilton lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



Becky Smith Hamilton - February 18, 2020 at 05:45 PM

CK

“ *Charlie & Connie King lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



Charlie & Connie King - February 18, 2020 at 04:32 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.



February 18, 2020 at 04:21 PM



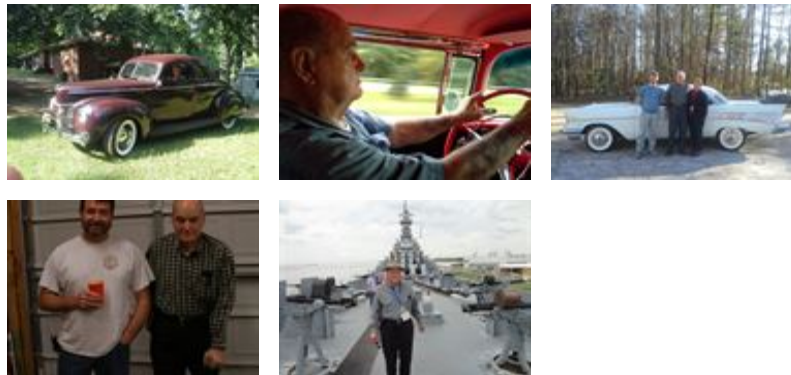
“ Douglas M Murphy lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith



Douglas m murphy - February 18, 2020 at 02:47 PM



“ 64 files added to the album LifeTributes



Parrott Funeral Home - February 18, 2020 at 02:31 PM



Putt was one of the finest men you could have ever known and such a great family. Myself and my wife are very fortunate to have been on the ride with Putt, family and friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with you always. Steve and Judy

steve - February 19, 2020 at 11:07 AM

HY

“ *Very few people I look up to and trust whole heartedly. Putt was a wealth of knowledge and friendship I as well as anyone who met him will miss.*



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**Hank Young** - February 18, 2020 at 02:25 PM

JB

“ *We were so sad to hear of Putt's passing. Putt was such an outgoing and friendly person. He didn't know a stranger. He worked on many of my dad's cars through the years. He brought so much joy to everyone around him he'll surely be miss by many. We pray for God's comfort and peace during time of loss. Sending our love. Jan Cowart Boal and Larry Boal*

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**Jan Boal** - February 18, 2020 at 02:16 PM

DS

“ *David and Carol Steadham purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.*



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**David and Carol Steadham** - February 18, 2020 at 12:33 PM

DS

“ *David And Carol Steadham lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith*



**David and Carol Steadham** - February 18, 2020 at 12:20 PM

DS

*We are so very saddened to hear the news of your father/husband's passing. Our prayers for your family.*

**David and Carol Steadham** - February 18, 2020 at 12:21 PM

JT

*Putt will be missed by so many. Our prayers are with the family. Just knowing he will be with Lori is a blessing.*

**Joyce Aldredge Thompson** - February 18, 2020 at 09:40 PM

JB

*Thoughts of our Union Christian Family Hime Church are first in my mind when I think of Putt, Jean, Jeff and Dana. A great Christian man and family who left us all with many warm memories.  
Respectfully,  
Jayne Bennett*

**Jayne Bennett** - February 23, 2020 at 03:45 PM

JB

*\*Home*

**Jayne Bennett** - February 23, 2020 at 03:47 PM

RW

“ Jean, Jeff and Dana and Families I hope you all know how much you are in my thoughts and prayers. There are some people who come along in our lives that just mean so much to us and each of you have been that kind of friend To me And Gene. Gene And Putt were, I guess, best of friends for all of their life and that carried over into our friendship with the family. I don't know what I can do, don't even know what I can say, but one thing is for sure I can pray for you and I have been And will continue to pray.

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**Ruth West** - February 18, 2020 at 11:46 AM

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“ Ford V-8 club # 24 purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.



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**Ford V-8 club # 24** - February 18, 2020 at 10:51 AM

JA

“ Jean, I as so sorry to hear of Putt's passing. He was a kind and good man. Charlie had Putt work on his flathead engines and considered him a good friend. We that knew him will miss him. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Jeanene Adams

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**Jeanene Adams** - February 18, 2020 at 09:25 AM

YA

“ Your family at YKK Corporation of America purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.



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**Your family at YKK Corporation of America** - February 18, 2020 at 08:58 AM

LH

“ Lawrence Harmon lit a candle in memory of James Harold "Putt" Smith



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**Lawrence Harmon** - February 18, 2020 at 08:35 AM

DS

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Mr. Smith's passing. My dad, Brooks Murphy, thought very highly of him. May the family and friends be comforted and strengthened. God bless you.

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**Dorothy Murphy Smith** - February 18, 2020 at 07:38 AM

BY

“ Jean, So sorry about the passing of your sweet husband. Prayers for peace and comfort to you and family. I think of you often and remember the good times we shared and always enjoyed visits with your husband. Love you. Brenda Yert

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**Brenda Yert** - February 17, 2020 at 11:12 PM

CP

*Cynthia called us about Putt's passing. So glad we were able to see you both not long ago. Guess we go back at least 60 years! Our thoughts and prayers go out to you. This can't be easy for you. May the Lord wrap his loving arms around you and your family, giving you the strength, peace, and comfort that only He can give! With much love from Carl and Debbie Paschal 🌸💕🙏*

**Carl and Debbie Paschal** - February 17, 2020 at 11:50 PM

LH

*Jean, Jeff just learned of Putt passing away. My thoughts and prayers for your entire family, The times we all played softball was memories not forgotten. The Union Christian Church membership is getting smaller. The generation of us all are getting older every day. Again so sorry to hear about Putt. Your old friend of all my life Lawrence Harmon*

**Lawrence Harmon** - February 18, 2020 at 08:34 AM

PH

*We are so sorry for the passing of Mr. Smith, May God be with his family, God is good. God bless ;*

**Patsy & Alvin Holt** - February 18, 2020 at 07:45 PM

DS

*“ When came to flatheads Putt was the man. RIP my good friend.  
Danny Shelton*

**Danny Shelton** - February 17, 2020 at 10:27 PM

KA

*“ I am heartbroken to hear this news. Putt had rebuilt many Ford flathead V8s, mine included! It has taken me far too long to get the car ready and crank her up. I pray that 2020 is the year I finally hear my car run, I will forever think of Putt when I finally drive my car, soon Putt, soon. Kelly A.*

**Kelly Adams** - February 17, 2020 at 08:01 PM

TC

“ Sorry to hear about Putt! Praying for the Smith family during this time!

*The Clegg and Benefield family!*

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**Theresa Clegg** - February 17, 2020 at 07:49 PM

RW

“ PUTT WAS ONE OF THE FINEST MEN I HAVE EVER KNOWN, HIS WISDOM, WIT, HIS RELIGION, AND HIS WORD THAT WAS GOOD AS GOLD! GOD DIDN'T MAKE THEM ANY BETTER, AND I WAS BLESSED TO CALL HIM MY FRIEND!

ROY WATSON

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**ROY WATSON** - February 17, 2020 at 06:56 PM

WG

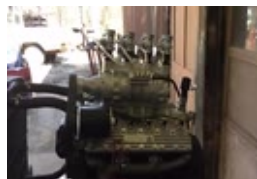
*I lost a good friend last night. I was honored to call him my friend. God has received a good servant. I will certainly miss him. God bless Jean, Jeff, and Dana and other family members. Wilbur Guy*

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**Wilbur H Guy** - February 17, 2020 at 09:21 PM

BW

“ On behalf of the members of Peach State #160, Early Ford V8 Club of America, we send our deepest sympathy and condolences to Putt's family. He was a rock and the soul of our Club. His hand and his brand touched many an old Ford, at the same time touching the souls of the cars' owners. His legacy to his love of old Fords will endure for many a year. Bill Wilson



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**Bill Wilson** - February 17, 2020 at 05:55 PM

OE

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May you find comfort and peace in the support and love of your family and friends. Putt was a wonderful man and will be greatly missed.*  
*Owen and Bobbie Edge*



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**Owen and Bobbie Edge** - February 17, 2020 at 04:53 PM

RC

“ *Ray C. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James Harold "Putt" Smith.*



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**Ray C.** - February 17, 2020 at 03:56 PM