



## Mark Anthony Smith

May 27, 1976 - May 11, 2026

Sergeant Mark Anthony Smith passed away on May 11, 2026, in Fairburn, Georgia, at the age of 49. Born on May 27, 1976, in Dermott, Arkansas, Mark gave his life to God at an early age and dedicated his life to serving his country and community with honor and integrity.

Mark was a proud Veteran of the United States Air Force, where he served his nation with distinction. Following his military service, he continued his commitment to public safety as a Sergeant with the Fairburn Police Department. His dedication to duty and unwavering commitment to protecting others will be remembered by all who knew him.

Mark leaves behind a loving family who will cherish his memory forever. He is survived by his parents, LaRue and Shirley Smith; his children, Shae Smith, Trevon Smith, Mark "M.J." Smith, Jr., Nassia Ryan-Mack, and Jeremiah Smith; his brothers, LaRue Smith, Jr., and Jonathan Karl Smith. He is also survived by his aunts and uncles, Jerry Boatner, Joe Lee Woods, Jr., Mitchell Woods (Michelle), Michael Woods (Jackie), Linda Martin, Carolyn Henderson (Willie), and Rosie Hokes, along with many other beloved family members and close friends.

The family will receive friends during a visitation on Wednesday, May 27, 2026, from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM at Parrott Funeral Home. A funeral service

to honor and celebrate Mark's life will be held on Thursday, May 28, 2026, at 11:00 AM at the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Rev. Dr. E.E. Mitchell, Jr. officiating. Interment will follow at Georgia National Cemetery on Friday, May 29, 2026, at 1:00 PM.

Mark will be deeply missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. His legacy of service, love, and dedication will continue to inspire those he leaves behind.

# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

2025 Mount Carmel Church Lane  
Canton, GA 30114

# Upcoming Events

## Visitation

**MAY 27.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
8355 Senoia Road  
Fairburn, GA 30213  
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## Funeral Service

**MAY 28** (ET)

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## Graveside Service

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MAY **29**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I cherished our past, LOVED our present and was committed to our future. Mark Anthony Smith I thank you for all of the things done and all of the things promised. Rest in LOVE. 💙*

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**Yuri Anderson** - Yesterday at 09:30 AM