



## Mr. Ivan Wayne Smith

March 31, 1971 - July 11, 2013

Ivan W. Smith was the son of the late Lee G. Smith, Jr. and Iona E. Smith. He was born on March 31, 1971 in Tucson, Arizona. Ivan Passed on July 11, 2013 at the Nazareth Hospital in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania after a courageous battle with lung cancer.

Ivan is a graduate of Ouachita Parish High School. He attended Southern University, and University of Louisiana at Monroe. He served in the Louisiana National Guard from 1989-1993.

His employment ranged from Louisiana Treasurer Office with Mary Landrieu, Baton Rouge Youth, Inc., The Louisiana School of the Deaf at LSU and finally managing Advanced Furniture Supplies in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Ivan was preceded in death by his father, grand-parents Lee and Helen Smith Sr., Lewis and Atren Kent, and Buford Ervin.

Pallbearers include: Leon Schaffer; Johnny Nash; Jason Nash; Gilbert Culpepper; Marcus Washington; Eric Sanders; and Danny Lenoir.

He leaves to cherish his memories his devoted mother, Iona E. Smith, daughter, Tyara I. Smith; Fiancee, Audrey Wright; two sisters, Regina Lynn

(Tim) Haynes, and Sonja (Brian) Schaffer two nephews, Randy (Tiffaney) Schaffer, and Noel Haynes, one niece Noel "Mikki" Schaffer, and one great niece on the way Baby Ivy Schaffer.

The Family wishes to extend a special thanks to the staff of Nazareth Hospital for all of their love and kindness shown to Ivan during his illness. The Family is also thankful that God showed Ivan mercy and released him from pain only to usher him into everlasting peace and joy.

# Cemetery Details

## Richwood Memorial Gardens

2705 Richwood Rd. #2  
Monroe, LA 71202

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 19. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Alice Chapel of Miller Funeral Home  
2932 Renwick St.  
Monroe, LA 71201  
millco1935@msn.com  
<http://millersfuneralhome.com>

## Church Service

JUL 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Missionary Baptist Church  
507 Swayze Street  
Monroe, LA 71201

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Ivan Wayne Smith*

January 30, 2023 at 03:35 AM



“ *Mr. Ivan Wayne Smith*

January 30, 2023 at 02:22 AM



“ *Mrs. Iona, my thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. May God continue to give you strength in your time of need.*

*Mrs. Mattie Johnson-Crenshaw*

**mattie Johnson-Crenshaw** - July 22, 2013 at 09:09 PM



“ *We, the C.V. Rodgers family unite in sending our sincere sympathy, cordial esteem, fervent prayers and kindest remembrance of our beloved, Ivan.*



**Harolyn Stanley** - July 19, 2013 at 08:52 PM

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“ *May God's perfect peace and loving grace continue to envelop the Smith family. My prayers joined with yours in strength over the last few months, and I rejoiced with each of you for each day of blessings and miracles that the Lord bestowed upon Ivan. I pray that you find peace knowing that he is resting now with our Father. My thoughts and prayers will continue to be lifted for you Ms. Iona, Lynn and Sonja; that you will be showered with the comfort of God, and that you will forever walk in His grace and mercy.*

*Robin Kay  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana*

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**Robin Kay** - July 18, 2013 at 12:29 PM

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“ *Jeff Lavender purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Mr. Ivan Wayne Smith.*



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**Jeff Lavender** - July 17, 2013 at 05:34 PM