



John Larry Smedley

August 24, 1947 - March 7, 2014

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John Larry Smedley of Ashdown, AR, beloved husband of Glenda Plyler Smedley and father of Nita Thurman-husband Greg, David Smedley-wife Britany, and Alan Smedley . Larry went to be with our Lord on March 7, 2014. Larry was a Baptist, served as a radio operator in Vietnam and was pharmacist/owner of Ashdown Pharmacy for 22 years. Addison and Kinley Smedley and Kailey and Seth Thurman brought much joy to this proud Papa. Larry enjoyed carpentry which included building his own home, a cabin, and grandchildren's playhouses.

He was born on August 24, 1947 to W.T. and Jean Orrick Smedley of Murfreesboro; he will be laid to rest March 8, 2014 in Memorial Gardens in Ashdown, AR. His kindness will be greatly missed by family and friends. In lieu of flowers please donate to the Lymphoma Research Foundation. [http://www/lymphoma.org](http://www.lymphoma.org)

Tribute Wall



“ *John Larry Smedley*

October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Glenda, I was so sorry to hear of Larry's passing away. I know there are no words that will take the pain away that you and the family are feeling at this time. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Margaret Williams - Ashdown, AR - Friend - March 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Glenda and family. so sorry for the loss of your husband, father and grandfather. Prayers are sent for each and everyone love for the family too. May God richly bless you and family in this loss of your loved one.*

Joyce Hignight - Murfreesboro, AR - friend - March 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Larry's passing. He was my pharmacist for many many years, and he always had a kind word and a smile when I walked into the pharmacy. I even followed him to Brookshires when he transferred there. He will be greatly missed in the Ashdown community. May God comfort you and your family in this time of sorrow!! He was truly one of a kind.*

Vicki Ayers Strange

Vicki Ayers Strange - Ashdown, AR - friend - March 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Glenda and family, we were so sorry to learn of the death of Larry. He was one of the sweetest and nicest guys to walk the halls of MHS. I guess we knew Larry and his parents as far back as memory serves us. You will never meet finer people. We will lift you and your family up in prayer. May God's peace be yours.

Charles and Myrna Hlder - Murfreesboro, TN - Classmates/friends - March 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Larry was always so kind to everyone.

Teresa Cowart - Ashdown, AR - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Glenda, I am so sorry for your families loss. I worked with Larry years ago at Power Pharmacy in DeQueen. Larry was a pleasure to work with ,he was always kind and a happy person. I talked with Dee a few months ago about you'll when I saw you're name on her facebook. God Bless your family!! Sharon Logan

Sharon Logan - De Queen, AR - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Glenda, so very sorry for your loss. I pray for your strength and peace during this difficult time. God Bless

Brenda J. Smith (Holt) - Texarkana, AR - cousin - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Glenda, so sorry for your loss, Larry was a unique guy, wish I could say something that would help your pain, only God can do that Lean on Him!!

Kay "Stone" Haynie - Prescott, AR - friend/ schoolmate - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ Glenda, Don & I are so sorry to hear of your loss. We love you and our prayers are with you and the family. Larry was such a fun guy, he'll be greatly missed.
We love you.

Patricia & Don - Benton, AR - cousin - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Larry was one of the good guys. I remember him as quiet, shy, & always sweet & kind back in our high school days. God bless you & your family Glenda.

Jane Bryant Kizzia - Murfreesboro, AR - classmate - March 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM