

# MEMORIES...



## Acknowledgements:

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You. Special thanks to Christ Hospital Physicians, Nurses, and Hospice of Cincinnati, Ohio

## Pallbearers

Eugene Long  
Brandon Long  
Marc Colvin  
Kahil Rasheed  
Rayshawn Long  
Jovan Johnson  
Shawn Brown

## Honorary Pallbearers

Robert Elliott  
Bruce Brenkenridge  
Clint Savage  
Jim Johnson  
Rodney Haley  
Vernon Thompson

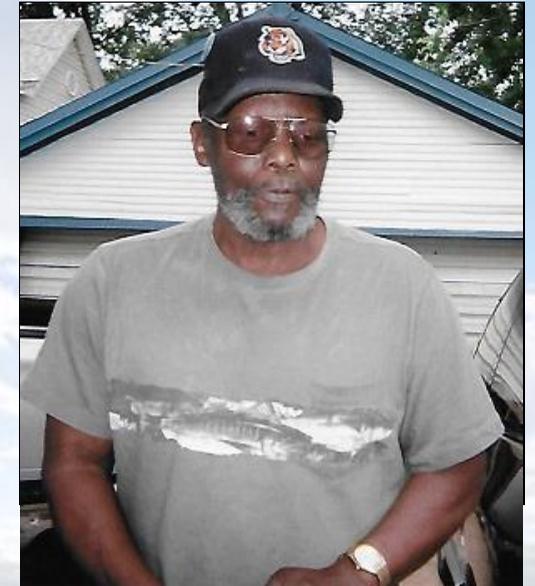
## Flower Bearers

Jayla Brown  
Amani Rasheed  
Jenisee' Long  
Jaden Johnson  
Amani Rasheed  
Jakya Johnson



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# IN LOVING MEMORY



WILLIAM "SMITTY" SMITH

December 20, 1939 ~ August 2, 2018

## SERVICE

Saturday, August 11, 2018 – 11:00 a.m.  
Walker Funeral Home  
930 Findlay Street  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45214  
Pastor Peterson Mingo, Officiating

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude

Parting View – The Family

Prayer – Associate Pastor Judy Cox

Scripture – Pastor Peterson Mingo

Selection – Joseph Thompson (cousin)

Acknowledgement of Cards

Remarks – Members of Laborers Union Local 265

Obituary – Read Silently

Selection – Joseph Thompson

Eulogy – Pastor Peterson Mingo

Benediction – Pastor Peterson Mingo

Recessional – Clergy, Pallbearers, Family, and Friends



## INTERMENT

Spring Grove Cemetery  
Cincinnati, Ohio

## REPAST

Immediately Following the Interment  
Madisonville Arts Center  
5021 Whetsel Avenue, Cincinnati 45227

## OBITUARY

William “Smitty” Smith was born December 20, 1939 to his birth parents Toby Elliott and Kate Pettis in Appomattox, Virginia. Upon the death of his dad, he was adopted by his aunt and uncle, Sam and Irene Smith, where he attended public school in Beckley, West Virginia.

William worked a short time in the coal mines in Beckley, West Virginia, and at Raleigh General Hospital. Following his dreams, William moved from West Virginia to Cincinnati, Ohio. He worked several jobs before becoming a member of the Laborers Union, Local 265, working on many highways. He worked until retiring in 2005.

William met the love of his life in 1980, he married Marlene Long Baxter. They spent time traveling, fishing, and playing the lottery.

William is preceded in death by his son, William Hardy of Cincinnati and his sister, Idella Brown of Beckley, West Virginia.

William leaves to cherish his love and memories: his wife, Marlene; his brother, Robert Elliott of Staunton, Virginia; mother-in-law, Emma Long; sister-in-law, Michelle Long; nieces: Karen, Phyllis, Mildred, Cynthia, Katherine, Te’Cole, Shawnda, Margo, Jenisee, Amani, Whitney, Ariel, Jakya, Jaden, Jayla, Mya, and Alecia; nephews: Leroy, Michael, Jovan, Gene, Brandon, Rayshawn, Khalil, Marc, Zachary, and Shawn; cousins: Patricia Elliott of New York; special friends: Clint Savage and Jim Johnson; God daughter Freida Satterfield.

## NEVER FORGOTTEN

*The sound of your voice will linger in my ears.  
The playful glance from your eyes meeting mine.  
The hint of a smile that makes you laugh aloud.  
Your sincere interest in me allowed me to be free.  
Looking into a mirror what do I see, I see an  
image of you in me.  
You will never be forgotten.*

*Your Wife*

