



## Mr. Linnie Smith

June 29, 1944 - April 28, 2016

Mr. Linnie Smith, 71, of Peoria, IL passed away at 12:26 am, Thursday, April 28, 2016 at OSF St. Francis Medical Center.

Linnie was born June 29, 1944 in Raymond, MS to Katherine Evans. He and the family moved to Peoria at an early age. He married Nancy Moredock and to that union two sons were born, Christopher and Scott.

Linnie was a Vietnam veteran honorably serving the US Army where he received the Vietnam service, expert rifle and parachutist medals. After his military tour of duty, Linnie worked for Long John Trucking where he retired after over 25 years of service.

Linnie was well loved in the Peoria community. He will be greatly missed by his friends and family. He is survived by two sons, Scott (Theresa) Smith of San Pedro, CA and Chris (Tina) Smith of Peoria; 9 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his mother and one sister.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 10 am at Simons Mortuary Chapel with a visitation beginning at 9 am. Rev. Arthur Williams, Sr., will officiate. Linnie will be laid to rest at Springdale Cemetery with Military Honors.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at [simonsmortuary.com](http://simonsmortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Historic Springdale Cemetery

3014 N. Prospect Road  
Peoria, IL 61603

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 7. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Simons Mortuary Chapel  
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Peoria, IL 61605  
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# Tribute Wall

MM

“ *My Condolences & Prayers To The Smith & Moredock Family. We Lost Someone Who Was Near & Dear To Us All...But GOD Needed Him More. We Will Forever Carry You In Our Hearts & Never Forget What You Taught Each One Of Us...You Truly Will Be Missed Uncle Linnie Your Niece Marcia (Marty) Moredock*



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**Marcia Moredock McGhee** - May 12, 2024 at 10:16 PM



“ *Mr. Linnie Smith*

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January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Linnie Smith*

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January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Betty Peeler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Linnie Smith*



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**Betty Peeler** - May 11, 2016 at 12:28 PM

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“ Karen Ashby lit a candle in memory of Mr. Linnie Smith



karen Ashby - May 05, 2016 at 10:55 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Linnie Smith.



May 04, 2016 at 03:17 PM

BJ

“ Linnie you will be miss (Long John Days)

Belinda Johnson - May 03, 2016 at 07:41 AM

TA

“ RIP Uncle Linnie, you will truly be missed. Praying for the family during this loss.  
I will always be Lil Murdock to you.

Love always  
Tanya Mack

Tanya - May 02, 2016 at 02:08 PM

EC

*Linnie was always ready with a joke or something crazy. When he was in the motorcycle club we enjoyed many road trips together. RIP my friend*

**Evelyn Tate "Big Red" Clayton** - May 07, 2016 at 10:26 AM



*AS A FRIEND OF MANY HE WAS THERE IF YOU NEEDED HIM.*

**Betty Peeler** - May 11, 2016 at 12:30 PM

JG

“ *The Manor will not be the same. RIP*



**jgray** - May 02, 2016 at 09:37 AM



“ *Sending prayers to you and your family Scott during this time of sorrow*

**Teania Johnson** - May 02, 2016 at 09:14 AM



Munchy Johnson

“ *Munchy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Linnie Smith*



**Munchy Johnson** - May 01, 2016 at 05:06 PM



Munchy  
Johnson

“ *Rest on family,til we all meet again...*

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**Munchy Johnson** - May 01, 2016 at 05:06 PM