



Mr John H. Smith Jr.

January 13, 2014

Smith, John H. Jr. 82 of Rockaway, NJ formerly of Teaneck, NJ died peacefully in his sleep on Monday, January 13, 2014. Beloved husband of over 55 years to the recently deceased Janice Smith. Devoted father of Kevin Smith and wife Anne, Sharon Welner and husband Lyle, Janine Carratura and husband Gerard and the late Kathleen Smith. Loving grandfather of Austin, Raquel, Brittany, Gerard Jr., and Shannon. John served in the U.S. Army in the early 1950's. In the 1960's and early 70's he worked in car sales before switching careers and eventually retiring from the Teaneck Board of Education in 1998. After moving to his retirement home in Rockaway he took on several part time including childrens train operator at Rockaway Mall and greeter at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. John was involved in the Teaneck American Legion Post 128 where he served as Commander from 1961-1964. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus Trinity Council 747 in Hackensack and served as an usher at St Bernard of Clairvaux Parish in Rockaway Township. Relatives and friends are invited to visit On Wednesday (today) 3-5 & 7-9 PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Thursday 11 AM at Holy Trinity RC Church, Hackensack (ALL TO MEET AT CHURCH). Interment to follow at Hackensack Cemetery, Hackensack.

Cemetery Details

Hackensack Cemetery

289 Hackensack Avenue
Hackensack, NJ 07601

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 15. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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789 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
(201) 836-0202
info@volkleber.com
<https://www.volkleber.com>

Visitation

JAN 15. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Trinity RC Church
34 Maple Ave
Hackensack, NJ 07601

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr John H. Smith Jr.*

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Mr John H. Smith Jr.*

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Mr John H. Smith Jr.*

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ *I loved my "Uncle John". I will always remember how special he made all our family reunions at Lukhan's and Evergreen resorts. He was the family ringmaster and we all loved him. He was truly a special person and I will miss him and his great big bear hugs.*
Mary Beth



mary beth caufield - January 17, 2014 at 05:05 PM

CJ

“ *Janine, Sharon, Kevin and family,
We extend our heartfelt sympathy as you
grieve the loss of your dad so soon after your
mom's passing. You are a strong and loving
family. Take comfort in knowing that John and
Janice are together again, in heaven. God Bless. Colleen Jenkins
and Family*



colleen jenkins - January 16, 2014 at 11:40 AM

MP

“ *Our hearts as well as our thoughts and prayers are with you all as
you try to stay strong despite the loss of your Dad so soon after
losing your Mom. We can only imagine the sadness and pain their
passing has brought you. Marian Piehler and Family*

Marian J. Piehler - January 15, 2014 at 06:37 AM



“ *Sacred Cross Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Mr John H. Smith Jr..*



January 15, 2014 at 05:59 AM