



## Dana Smith, Sr.

April 21, 2017

Dana Smith Sr., 86, was born in Hazard, Kentucky and came to Venice in 1954. He owned Smith Truck & Auto Repair for 34 years.

Mr. Smith served in the Army during the Korean War.

He was a loving wonderful kind man. Family was his life. He was always there with a helping hand for anyone.

He is survived by his wife Margie of 63 years, 4 children and their spouses, Carol LaCroix (Ray), Donna Anderson (Dan), Dana, Jr. (Krissy), Kenneth (Tina), 13 grandchildren Crystal, Chelsea, Erin, Jennifer, Kristina, James, Kenneth, Kyle, Dale, Tyler, Colton, Craig and Dana III, 6 great-grandchildren Michael, Kinsley R., Eva, Kinsley L., Emily and Nina and his beloved cat Tiger.

Services will be held The VFW 832 E. Venice Avenue on Wednesday, April 26th at 3:30 PM.

He will be laid to rest at the Sarasota National Cemetery on Thursday April 27th 3:00 PM.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to a charity of your choice.

Toale Brothers Funeral Homes, Ewing Chapel is handling arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I never saw this man upset, he always was one to come to visit in the hospital, he showed his care of a person. I know how much his family loves him and will miss him forever till they see him again in heaven. He was a brave soldier who was wounded in the korean war and stood for what America is all about. Hugs for the family.*  
*(Toni & Larry Owens*

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**Toni Owens** - April 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM