



Henry W. Smith

December 27, 1962 - September 5, 2018

Townsend: Henry W. Smith, 55, formerly of Emery Road, died Wednesday, September 5, 2018 at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, Michigan.

Mr. Smith was born in Detroit, Michigan, December 27, 1962, a son of the late Hilon Smith Jr. and Joyce McNeely. He resided in Townsend for many years before returning to the Detroit area last year.

For much of his career Mr. Smith was the owner and operator of Arrow Energy an energy conservation company, until his diagnosis of Acute Myeloid leukemia from which he recovered.

He leaves his two sons, Nathan W. Smith of Massachusetts, & Nicholas C. Smith of Arkansas; his daughter, Jessica J. Smith of New Hampshire; his former wife, Sandra L. Swanbon-Smith of New Hampshire; two brothers, Hilon Smith III of Florida and Harold McCuller of North Carolina.

In 2015 he was predeceased by his brother, Howard McCuller of Florida.

Henry was an avid fan of the Boston Red Sox and Miami Dolphins. He enjoyed playing golf and was proud of his Native American heritage. He was especially proud of his children and their accomplishments and loved them dearly.

Mr. Smith's family will receive family and friends on Friday, September 14th from 5-6:30 PM at the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Rd. (Rte 2A) Ayer. A time of prayer and remembrance will be held at 6:30PM. Burial will be held privately.

In lieu of Flowers please make donations to the Leukemia and Lymphoma foundation (<https://donate.lls.org/lls/donate>).

Please see www.andersonfuneral.com for additional information or to leave an e-condolence.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

SEP 14. 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Ayer
25 Fitchburg Road ~ Route 2A
Ayer, MA 01432
(978) 772-2355

Funeral Service

SEP 14. 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Mike and I are so saddened to hear of Henry's passing. He was like one of our kids. We didn't see him very often, but were always so happy when he stopped by once in a while. We send our condolences and prayers to you all. He was a special person to us.

Claudia Young - September 16, 2018 at 02:19 PM



“ I am deeply saddened to hear of Henry's passing. He was always kind to me, ready to share a humorous story, and willing to lend a helping hand.

Not long after I met Henry (c. 1987), I asked him to appear in an amateur film I was making. He played a henchman of the villain and had to hijack a moped and climb onto a giant billboard sign for an epic battle. He fulfilled his role without a complaint and with great enthusiasm. The amazing thing is he agreed to reprise his role twenty years later in a sequel and was equally co-operative and good-natured.

Henry was a generous man. He will be missed.

Tom Swanbon

Thomas Swanbon - September 13, 2018 at 02:49 AM

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“ I'll never forget my father and nephews birthday party ,I had quite a few friends and family members ,.....and their children.Henry was amazing with the kids ,they were pretty young , he kept them entertained and had put on a really great fireworks show . He helped make the day/ evening a great success,He really was great with kids! ,Rest easy my friend..

Joanne parsons - September 12, 2018 at 03:55 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Henry W. Smith.



September 12, 2018 at 08:07 AM