



Leonard B. Smith, Sr.

January 1, 2018

Lenny was born in Lawrence, September 24, 1928, one of six children born to Frank and Grace (Blanchard) Smith and grew up in Concord, NH. He has resided in Townsend for over 60 years.

During the Korean Conflict, Lenny served his country in the United States Air Force.

For much of his career, Lenny owned and operated L.B. Smith Company, a general contractor and excavating company. For 20 years he also operated Suburban Gardens Farm Stand in Townsend.

Lenny was an enthusiast of antique cars and farm equipment and especially Model T Fords. Through the years he owned and drove many that he had reconditioned. He was a member of the Model T Club, the Central NH Model T Club, the Model T Snowmobile Club and a charter member of "Yankee Ingenuity". He attended the First Baptist Church in West Townsend.

He leaves his wife of 60 years, Priscilla M. (King) Smith; three sons, Leonard B. Smith Jr., Kevin S. Smith both of Townsend, Timothy B. Smith of Leominster; a daughter, Linda S. O'Grady of Mason, NH; 10 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

He was the brother of the late Vernon Smith of Concord, NH, Everett Smith Sr., of Townsend, Herbert Smith of Littleton, Rev. Donald Smith of SC, Clarrissa Collins of NJ.

Tribute Wall

SL

“ To Kevin and his entire family please except my sincerest sympathy for your loss. I remember going to Suburban Garden as as a kid he was a good man.

Sandra Ledvina - February 21, 2018 at 02:01 PM

DF

“ Very sorry to hear of Lennys passing. He was another Townsend fixture for many many years in town. A really nice man too. My heart goes out to Priscilla, Linda, Kevin, Len and Tim.

David Freeman - January 30, 2018 at 02:04 AM

LR

“ Dear Priscilla and Family,

I am sorry to hear of Lenny's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time. I remember so many times Lenny and Priscilla coming to visit my parents home and having coffee. May he rest in Peace.

Love, Lorry

Lorenda (Prendiville) Rousseau - January 19, 2018 at 06:38 PM

HH

“ I'm sorry to hear of Lennys passing. He was always such a sweet and gentle man. I will miss talking to him and Priscilla. They were a lovely couple.

Helen Hinz - January 11, 2018 at 08:11 PM

RM

“ Although no words can really help to ease the loss you bear, just know that you are very close in every thought and prayer.

Robert & Eileen Mason - January 09, 2018 at 06:40 AM

DC

“ Priscilla and family,

So many memories of Lenny come to mind. Stopping by the vegetable stand and chatting with him and Priscilla, working in construction with him, seeing him drive thru town with Priscilla in his Model T are just a few. Our deepest sympathies to all of you. He was a good friend.

Don Beers and Carol - January 07, 2018 at 07:27 PM

JF

“ So sorry for your lost. Lenny was a wonderful man. He will be missed by many. R.I.P., Lenny.

Janet Fortunato - January 06, 2018 at 08:24 PM

NK

“ So sorry for the lost of a great man! I would see him all the time. Around Townsend and Ashburnham in his pride and joy! He definitely will be Missed! Kevin I'm sorry. I went to school with you! Married 60 years is one mile stone! He was a nice guy that always had a smile on his face! Spoke said hi to everyone

Nancy Kimplen - January 04, 2018 at 07:50 PM

JC

“ I am so sorry and sad for the passing of Lenny. My heart aches for all his family. Lenny will be missed by so many. Thought , prayers, hugs and Love with all of the family.

Jackie Comeau - January 04, 2018 at 07:06 PM

AB

“ Very sorry to hear of Lenny's passing, have known him for many years, a great guy, he will be missed

Andrew & Marilyn Brown - January 04, 2018 at 11:02 AM

MW

“ Sorry for all of you. I really enjoyed knowing him.

Monica Westerback - January 03, 2018 at 08:56 PM

AK

“ My heart is with you and your family. Lenny was a wonderful man. I am sorry for your families loss. Many fond memories.

Amy King - January 03, 2018 at 08:56 PM

HD

“ Dear Linda, your tributes to your father have been endearing. I never met the gentleman so that is my loss. But his daughter is a treasure and I am very glad to be her friend. Please take comfort in all those happy years with him. They will stay with you.

H-T Donnelly - January 03, 2018 at 06:42 PM

RR

“ So sad to hear about lenny.my sympathies to the whole smith family. He will be missed by many.

Ron rajaniemi - January 03, 2018 at 04:26 PM

DC

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Lenny's passing. Mom and Del thought the world of him. Del used to say "boy he knew his way around an old engine." Out thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

Donna Donovan & Montville Children - January 03, 2018 at 03:22 PM

BK

“ Rest in peace Lenny, knowing that you raised your family well, treated everyone with respect, made an endless list of friends, built some awesome "T"s, and made so many people smile.

Bruce and Margo Koch - January 03, 2018 at 01:39 PM

DB

“ Rest peacefully Lenny. My thoughts and prayers are with Priscilla and the entire Smith family. May God Bless you all.

Dwight Boutwell - January 03, 2018 at 01:15 PM

MB

“ Our thought's and prayer's to all the SMITH family!

Matthew and Gina Booth - January 03, 2018 at 12:36 PM

JH

“ We are sorry for your loss, prayers for the family!

John and Roberta Hamel - January 03, 2018 at 11:40 AM

BA

“ We were saddened to hear of Lenny’s passing.
We always enjoyed listening to his stories.
He will be missed.

Billy and Linda Amadon - January 03, 2018 at 08:22 AM

BM

“ I am so sorry to hear of Lenny's passing. My brother, Freddie, just called on New Years Day and was talking about Lenny and Priscilla. One great memory I have was back in the early 70's and we had a farmstand selling mostly corn and I was a teenager working it and Lenny stopped by and asked how much for a dozen and I wouldn't tell him because he had his own farmstand. We both just laughed. My thoughts and prayers are with Priscilla and the Smith Family.

Bethany (Roberts) Molter - January 03, 2018 at 07:58 AM

JW

“ Lenny Sr along with Priscilla always reminded me of that "postcard" picture of the couple that had persevered in life through unconditional love. Although he is no longer with us he has left behind a legacy of people, township and vehicles in which he had invested his time, efforts, life lessons and love. His story's, passion for his work and kind smile always brought a smile to my face. Thankful for the memories and I will always think of you and smile whenever I stop by the garage on Scales Ln. RIP Lenny and my thoughts and prayers to the entire Smith and extended family members.

Jason Warner - January 03, 2018 at 12:08 AM

RF

“ *Mr Smith was always a kind man. I remember going to the farm stand and everyone always left with an apple but not until he polished it. He had a great laugh and was always smiling. He always looked his happiest when he was driving his antique car. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Godspeed Mr Smith

Rafuse family - January 02, 2018 at 11:08 PM

LF

“ *So very sorry for you loss, we will continue to pray for your family*

Liles family - January 02, 2018 at 09:57 PM

JW

“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying for your family.*

Jessie Walters - January 02, 2018 at 09:47 PM

SS

“ *So sorry to hear about his passing! I met him through my Dad as they were friends who are together again*

Sandie sanderson - January 02, 2018 at 09:31 PM

BB

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Lenny's passing. He was a wonderful man and he has left us with many fond memories. Our deepest sympathies go out to Priscilla and the whole family. Rest in peace Lenny, you will be missed.*

Bill and Karen Baro - January 02, 2018 at 09:18 PM

LM

“ I am so sorry to learn that Lenny Smith has left us, but am glad that his suffering is over. He was a wonderful man, who helped make Townsend a better place. My sympathy to Priscilla and his whole family.

Lee McTighe - January 02, 2018 at 08:54 PM

HA

“ Lenny was a great guy. He left his mark. Very sorry to hear of his passing

Henry Albro - January 02, 2018 at 08:22 PM

LF

“ I grew up living next to Lenny and Priscilla on Scales lane when I was young. That whole family is amazing and very kind. Lenny was such a kind soul, and he will be missed by many.

Lindsey Fitzgerald - January 02, 2018 at 08:20 PM

ER

“ WAS A WONDERFUL MAN AND A GOOD FRIEND REST IN PEACE OLD FRIEND

ED RAUHALA - January 02, 2018 at 06:25 PM

LS

“ To the entire Smith Family
We are sorry to hear of the passing of Lenny Sr. May you have found memories to share and may he rest in peace.
The Shifrin Family

Laura E Shifrin - January 02, 2018 at 05:25 PM