



# Calvin Mearl Smith

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**C**alvin Mearl Smith Sr. of Federalsburg passed away on Friday, November 3, 2023 at Tidal Health at Nanticoke in Seaford, DE. He was 91.

He was born on August 8, 1932 in Queenstown, Maryland; the son of the late Eli Smith and Lyda Bickelan Smith.

He was married in 1952 to Dorothy Louise Kemp and they made their home in Queen Anne and later moved to Federalsburg. She preceded him in death on December 28, 2013 after 61 years of marriage.

He enlisted in the United States Army and served from 1952 and was Honorably discharged in 1954.

He worked as a waterman on the Wye River most all of his life. He was a member of Bloomery United Methodist Church where he loved to sing. In his free time, he loved watching and feeding his birds and ducks. He was an avid sports fan supporting the Baltimore Orioles and also enjoyed watching any team play football.

He is survived by two sons: Calvin Smith, Jr. and his wife Debbie of Federalsburg and Michael Smith and his wife Debbie of Bridgeville; six grandchildren: Derek Smith and his wife Jen of Delaware, Taylor Smith and her fiancée Michael Little of Federalsburg, John Michael Smith of Federalsburg, Michael Smith, Jr. of Galestown, Melissa Smith and Shelby Barringer both of Federalsburg; 9 great grandchildren; and one sister Betty Clarke of Denton.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by 12 brothers and sisters.

A graveside service will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 11, 2023 at Stevensville Cemetery with the Reverend Denzil T. Cheek officiating. The family will receive friends on Friday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Framptom Funeral Home in Federalsburg.



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Expressions of sympathy may be made to Bloomery United Methodist Church, c/o Pastor Marie Coulbourne, 6969 Reliance Road, Federalsburg, MD 21632.






# Events

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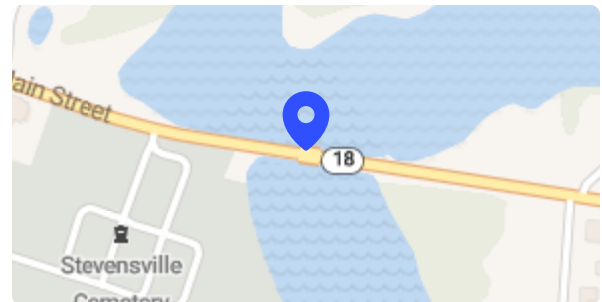
## Visitation

-  **Friday**, November 10, 2023
-  6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET
-  **Framptom Funeral Home**  
216 N Main St, Federalsburg MD 21632




## Graveside Service

-  **Saturday**, November 11, 2023
-  11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
-  **Stevensville Cemetery**  
Main Street at Cox Creek, Stevensville MD



## Cemetery Details

-  **Stevensville Cemetery**  
Kent Island MD





## Tribute Wall

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**Billie Turner** posted:

Uncle Callie was one of a kind! Such a character and always singing. You have now reunited with all who left before you and you and mom are singing loudly up above. Billie Jo

November 10 at 6:47 AM



**Gene And Lynda Palmatary, Centreville** sent a virtual gift in honor of Calvin.



November 9 at 8:37 AM



**Shiloh Clark** posted:

Uncle Callie was a wonderful man to grow up with. I know he's at peace with Aunt Dot now.

November 8 at 8:22 AM



**Dawn Stevens** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.

Will Miss You Uncle Callie Dawn & Bobby Stevens

November 8 at 5:46 AM



**Nancy Morris** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.

Sending condolences and prayers for strength to his family and friends.

November 7 at 7:20 PM



**Pastor Marie Turpin Coulbourne** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.

I enjoyed having Mr. Calvin come to Bloomery Church. Always enjoyed getting my hug. Will miss him. He was a friend., Pastor Marie Turpin Coulbourne

November 7 at 12:27 PM





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**Wanda North** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.



November 6 at 12:31 PM



**Luann And Ron Potts** posted:

"Mr. Nashville" Calvin will be missed by many, including us. He had a crazy sense of humor and a great singing voice. We pray he's singing in heaven's choir and sharing tomato sandwiches with his wife. Ron and LuAnn Potts

November 6 at 7:36 AM



**Betty Reynolds** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.



November 6 at 5:53 AM



**Lyn Higdon** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.



November 6 at 3:32 AM



**Betty Reynolds** November 6 at 5:57 AM

Uncle Callie was one of the good guys! He loved his family and he loved to sing!! I'll know he'll be there for me in Spirit! I love you Uncle Callie!!! Everyone is really going to miss you!



**Nora Kemp Lane** posted:

Such a great uncle. Always made me laugh . Will be missed for certain. Now with aunt dot & the rest of the family.

November 5 at 4:31 PM



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**Jackie & Glenn** posted:

What a wonderful man. We will miss his singing for us.

November 5 at 9:26 AM



**Jay Williamson** posted:

Loved Mr. Smith

November 5 at 3:41 AM



**Galen And Suzanne Collison** posted:

What a wonderful man. Loved singing with him ❤️

November 5 at 3:28 AM



**Galen And Suzanne Collison** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.

November 5 at 3:27 AM



**Lyndasatchell** lit a candle in honor of Calvin.

November 4 at 4:36 PM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Calvin by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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