



*In Loving Memory
Charles L. Smith
November 16, 1955 - June 28, 2023*

Funeral Service
Elim Lutheran Church
Marquette, Kansas
Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at 10:30 AM

Officiant
Rev. Amy Kay Pavlovich

Instrumental Service Music
"How Great Thou Art"
"The Old Rugged Cross"
"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"
Jackie Larson, organist

Casket Bearers
Blaine Smith Brandon Smith Zachary Smith
Grady Smith Alan Smith Scott Johnson

Final Resting Place
Marquette Lutheran Cemetery
*Military Honors conducted by
Marquette American Legion #253*

Memorial Donations
Memorial donations can be made to Elim Lutheran Church or Marquette EMS in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation
Charlie's family wishes to express their sincere gratitude for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Following the burial, the family invites all for food and fellowship back at the church.

Stockham Family Funeral Home

A Celebration of Life
Charlie L. Smith

Charles "Charlie" Lee Smith, 67, of Marquette, KS, passed away on Wednesday, June 28, 2023, at his home in Marquette. He retired in 2022 from Wolf Creek Nuclear Power Plant where he was a Quality Control Electrical Supervisor and previously a Nuclear Inspector.

Charlie was born on November 16, 1955, in Lindsborg, KS, the son of Kristen and Sarah Jane (Sjögren) Smith. He graduated from Marquette High School in 1973.

He served in the United States Marine Corps.

Survivors include: his wife, Bonnie Arms of Marquette, KS; children, Brandon Smith & wife, Angie, and their children, Jesina, Grady, & Peyton, of Lyndon, KS; Blaine Smith & wife, Candace, and their daughter, Alexia, of Topeka, KS; Matthew Smith of Melvern, KS; Zachary Smith of Ottawa, KS; Brenton Arms & wife, Sacha, and their children, Luke & Evie, of Virginia; Rebecca Arms Cooch & husband, Keoni, and their son, Nico, of Arizona; grandson, Cameron Guse (Jeremy's son) of Michigan; a brother, Alan Smith & wife, Jeanne, of Wichita, KS; Bonnie's step-daughter, Cristina Arms O'Keeffe & husband, Kevin, and their son, Adam, of Texas; a niece, Kristen Gibbs of Jones, OK; and many extended family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a step-son, Jeremy Arms.