



Calvin Lloyd Smith

November 10, 1958 - December 20, 2008

Calvin Lloyd Smith, aged 50, passed from this earthly life in Richmond, Texas. Born November 10, 1958 in Nyack, New York; raised in Galveston, Texas since 1963. Resident of Richmond since 1993. Calvin now sits beside Christ in the throne of Heaven. Beloved, at peace, entering the gates of Heaven on December 20, 2008, he is wrapped in the arms of Christ, dining at Christ's table, in eternal peace, until we meet again. What glory for a loyal man dedicated to his family and community. Man of his word, brother, father, husband; he is taken to heaven by Christ.

Survived by his faithful wife, Ruth Carlson Smith and beloved children, Jessica Faye Smith, 18, Reuben Alexander Smith, 14, Eliza Katherine Smith, 10, of Richmond, sisters Sharon Smith of Austin, Gillian Smith and nephews Morgan and Skylar Smith of Galveston, and Deborah Smith and nephews and niece Nathan, Evan and Cameron Smith of Spicewood, Texas.

Proceeded in death by his parents, Doreen Thomas Smith and Dr. Leland Leroy Smith Sr., older brother Leland Leroy Smith Jr. and step-mother Sarah Louise Smith.

Calvin's passion was teaching shooting sports to children at the Fort Bend County 4H Shooting Sports Club for the past 10 years. An NRA gun enthusiast, he was happiest near the water, strumming his guitar and being with his family. He was employed by Jacobs Engineering, and had a finesse with computers.

Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, December 23, 2008 in the

sanctuary of First Baptist Church, 502 S. 5th Street in Richmond, Texas with Rev. John Lockhart officiating. The family will receive guests in the church from 1:00 P.M. to 2 pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Fort Bend County 4H Program – Shooting Sports, P.O. Box 1243, Needville, TX 77461, or the American Cancer Society – Fort Bend Relay for Life.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I went to high school with Calvin and we were in choir together. I haven't seen him in many years but please know that my thought and prayers are with his family.* ”

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