



James H. Smith

December 13, 1943 - May 14, 2012

James H. Smith, Sr., 68, of Annville went home to be with the Lord on Monday May 14, 2012 in Spang Crest Manor. He was the husband of Carol Ann Swisloski. Born in Altoona on December 13, 1943 he was the son of the late Harry James and Helen Cheers Smith. He was a graduate of Altoona High School and earned his bachelor's degree from Penn State University. James was a Vietnam and Desert Storm veteran who served in the US Army, Air Force and Air National Guard. He was employed at Ft. Indiantown Gap as a civil engineer. He was a member of St. Paul the Apostle Church, a 4th degree member of the Knights of Columbus, enjoyed parking cars at the St. Paul's Church Bazaar, reading, computers and spending time with his grandchildren. Surviving in addition to his wife are two sons Ray A. Smith and wife Mary C. of Montour Falls, NY and James H. Smith, Jr. and wife Noriko of Tokyo, Japan; a daughter Jennie L. wife of Kimo Brossman of Cleona; a sister Suzanne wife of Dr. Richard Smith; ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Memorial Mass will be held Monday at 11AM from St. Paul the Apostle Church, 125 S. Spruce St. Annville. Inurnment will be held in Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. There will be no viewing or visitation. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 in his memory.