



Raymond S. 'Itch' Smith

October 28, 1928 - April 8, 2010

Raymond S. "Itch" Smith, 81, of 1246 E. Derry Road, Hershey formerly of 31 N. King Street, Annville died Thursday April 8, 2010 in his residence. He was the husband of Ruth E. Keenan Smith with whom he would have celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary this coming October. Born in Lebanon on October 28, 1928, he was the son of the late Raymond S., Sr. and Katherine Shetler Smith. He was a principal owner of Smith's Sheet Metal and Hardware, Inc., Annville retiring in 2002. Itch was a US Army veteran of Korea, a 1946 graduate of Annville High School, a former member of the Annville Rotary Club, a life long member of Christ Church United Church of Christ, Annville, life member of the Annville Union Hose Fire Co., member of the Annville VFW and American Legion Post 559, Mt. Olivet Lodge #704 F. &A.M., Harrisburg Consistory, Zembo Temple Shrine, Tall Cedars, and the Lebanon County Shrine Club. He was also a long time Annville Youth League Sponsor. Surviving in addition to his wife are two sons Terry L. husband of Karen Smith of Annville, Garry J. husband of Wendy Smith of Annville, a daughter Diane wife of Dale Archuleta of Mt. Joy, a brother Neil J. Smith of Millsboro, DE, 9 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, and a long time employee and friend Robert "Boop" Wartluft. He was preceded in death by a sister Lorraine A. Coleman. Memorial services will be held on Wednesday at 10:30 AM from the Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, 618 E. Main St. Annville. Inurnment will be held in Indiantown Gap National Cemetery with Full Military Honors. Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 9:30-10:30 AM at

the funeral home. Masonic services will be held at 9:15 AM. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Christ Church, 200 S. White Oak Street, Annville, PA 17003.

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Tribute Wall

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“ I will always have fond memories of going to visit "Aunt Ruth & Uncle Itch" during my growing-up years in Hershey. We always looked forward to visits, and we had fun whenever Uncle Itch would always give us a good teasing. Thanks so much for your kindness & hospitality to the Jerry Keenan family over all these years. We love you.

Jeff Keenan - April 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our families thoughts and prayers are with your family. He was certainly involved and dedicated to the Annville community and will always be remembered and will be sorely missed.

David & Cindy Myers - April 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Jr. was a cousin with whom I have many fun memories from childhood of all of us hanging out. Raymond Sr was my Mother's brother. My thoughts and prayers are with all the family at this sad time of your loss.

Jackie Hoke Orwig - April 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM