



# Larry E Smitherman

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## **Larry E Smitherman**

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**L**arry E. Smitherman, 80, of Wildwood, passed away on Thursday, January 28, 2021. Mr. Smitherman was born June 1, 1940 in Winston-Salem, NC to David Hampton Smitherman and Para (Brown) Smitherman. He was a retired truck driver and belonged to the ESCAPEES and FMCA. Larry lived in Richmond, VA for many years and then began full-time RVing for several years settling down and living in Malibu, CA until the fires of 2018 when he moved to FL. Survivors include his loving wife, Louise, whom he married 61 years ago next month; sons, Richard Eugene Smitherman and his wife, Winona, David Jeffrey Smitherman and his husband, Ted and Steven Scott Smitherman all of VA; sister, Carolyn Lawhon; grandchildren, Alyssa Jade Smitherman, Christopher Scott Smitherman, Richard Tucker Smitherman and Kacey Shea Drake; 5 great-grandchildren. Due to the pandemic, the family will plan a celebration of life in the future. On-line condolences may be shared by visiting [www.bankspagetheus.com](http://www.bankspagetheus.com).



## Tribute Wall

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**Christopher Smitherman** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Happy birthday Pepaw. Give Memaw and Dad a big hug from me. Miss you all so so so much.

June 1 at 4:16 AM



**Carolyn Whitaker** posted:

Larry was a great guy who could light up the room with his smile. Praying for comfort and peace for the family. Carolyn Whitaker

February 2 at 9:16 AM



**Pamela L Wood** posted:

Rick and I send our heart felt condolences.

February 1 at 2:13 PM



**Carolyn Lawhon** posted:

Even though I used to pick on Larry when we were growing up and we hardly saw each other after we grew up, he probably never knew that I dearly loved him. He was the finest brother one could have. I'm so sad he is gone. And so grateful to Louise for her love and devotion to him. Sincerely, Carolyn Smitherman Lawhon

February 1 at 11:19 AM



**Kate Smitherman** February 1 at 2:23 PM

Larry was one of the finest men I have had the privilege of knowing. He was a loving grandfather to my children and grandchildren. Whenever I think of him, it brings me a smile. He will be truly missed.



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

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