



## Hugh Talmage Smith

November 20, 1922 - February 5, 2013

Hugh Talmage (H.T.) Smith Sr., age 90, of Salisbury passed away Tuesday, February 5, 2013 at his home.

Mr. Smith was born November 20, 1922 in Saluda County, South Carolina the son of the late Pearl Jenkins Smith and Paul Smith.

H.T. graduated from Ashewood Central High School and was a veteran of WWII serving in the US Army where he received a purple heart. He worked for Bell Telephone for 42 years and retired in 1983. He was a charter member of Grace United Methodist Church, a member of Fulton Lodge #99, Shriners and the Andrew Jackson American Legion Post and Rockwell Lodge #657.

Preceding him in death was a sisters Betty Brewington and Virginia S. Pace; brothers James and Bill Smith; great grandson Grayson Leonard.

Those left to cherish his memories are his wife Edith (Catherine) Hardister Smith whom he married August 28, 1948; son Hugh Talmage Smith, Jr. (Lori) of Salisbury; daughters Cathey S. Little of Faith and Debrorah S. Leonard (Perry) of Salisbury; brother Tommy Smith of Rock Hill, South Carolina; sisters Dot Babb (Roy) and Bootie Gilliam of South Carolina; grandchildren 7; great grandchildren 10.

Visitation:12- 1:00 PM Wednesday, February 13, 2013 Summersett Funeral Home.

Service: 1:00 PM Wednesday at Summersett Memorial Chapel conducted by Rev. Paul Burke and burial will follow at Salisbury National Cemetery with Military and Masonic Rites.

Memorials: Rowan Hospice and Palliative Care, 720 Grove St., Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Smith family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneral.com](http://www.summersettfuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Let the many beautiful memories bring you peace at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Jan and Robert Morris##imported-end##*

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“ *Catherine, Hugh Jr., Cathey, Debbie and family, My heart felt thoughts and prayers are with you. It has been years since I have seen you Debbie and Cathey, but I see Hugh pretty often living next door to mom. Growing up with you in the neighborhood, I have missed seeing you two. I always thought of you as dear friends. I know it is hard to lose a parent, but cherish the wonderful memories you have and know his love is always with you. Peace, Comfort, and Love.....##imported-begin##Judy W Ridenhour##imported-end##*

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