



## John L. Smith`

June 16, 1930 - October 1, 2017

John L. Smith, age 87, of Newport, passed away on Sunday October 1, 2017.

He was a veteran having served in the United States Army during the Korean War.

He was a member of the Newport Masonic Lodge # 234 F&AM.

He was preceded in death by his son, John L. Smith, Jr; parents, Wilbur and Corda Smith; brothers, Bill and Homer Smith.

He is survived by his loving wife Mary Lou Smith; son Anthony "Tony" Smith, of Newport; sister, Lyda Poteat, of North Carolina; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 pm Wednesday, October 4, 2017 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Cleo Williamson officiating.

Burial will follow in Union Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 pm-2:00 pm Wednesday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral service at Mane Funeral Home.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John L. Smith`*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM

MO

“ *I worked with John L. at the hospital for years. He was a good man and we will miss him. May you be blessed, all of you.*

**Mike Ottinger** - October 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *John L. Smith`*

**John Paul and Tammy Roberts** - October 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *We are so sorry for you loss. You will be in our thoughts and prayers now and in the days ahead.*

**Jeanette Lankford & Nanette Wilds** - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *John L. Smith`*

**Betty Harrison** - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *So sorry for your loss. He was a cousin of mine. Loved him a lot, sorry I can't attend. Love and prayers.*

**Maxine C. Staton** - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *So sorry for your loss. Love and prayers are with you all.*

**Joann Mooneyham** - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ *John L. Smith`*

**Patricia Hall Kathy Hall** - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ *John L. Smith`*

Pat & Patricia Mathis Taylor - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Mary Lou, My sincere condolences to you and your family at this sad time. Not only was John L. a long time friend to my family, he was also a co-worker to myself, Brad, my dad and brother-in law Terry. I was so happy to see and talk with him at our rec*

Linda Sprouse Britton - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *John L. Smith`*

Delmar and Pat Williamson - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *John L. Smith`*

mansfield mcmahan - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *So sorry to hear of Uncle John's passing. I will always remember him smiling and saying "Son Listen" and following with his wisdom, this even continued into my 60's. Rest in peace Uncle John L. I know not of a person deserving more. Gary*

Gary R Smith - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ *Our prayers are with you all*

Roella linebarger - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *John L. Smith`*

Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *So Sorry to Hear*

Jeff & Julie Kyker - October 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM