



Billy Joe (BJ) Smart

November 23, 1933 - November 29, 2024

Billy Joe (BJ) Smart, a long-time resident of Muskogee, OK passed away on Friday, November 29, 2024 at his residence in Country Gardens Assisted Living Community in Muskogee.

BJ was born on November 23, 1933 in Christie, OK to Jack and Daisy Smart. He graduated from Muskogee Central High School in 1952. After graduation he joined the U.S. Navy for a four-year tour and was stationed in San Diego, Guam, and then Hawaii. While in the Navy BJ married his high school sweetheart, Imogene Cook in 1954. After the Navy he worked primarily in Ada, OK at Commercial Credit Union and then Citizens Bank until he retired.

After his retirement BJ continued to be an avid outdoorsman, with specific interests in deer and turkey hunting as well as bass and trout fishing.

BJ is survived by his wife Imogene and his two sons Michael (Lori) and Andy (Kristi), as well as six grandchildren.

The service is scheduled for Wednesday, December 4 at 1:00 at Southeast Baptist Church. The burial will follow at Greenhill cemetery in Muskogee.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the International Mission Board at IMB.org.

Cemetery Details

Greenhill Cemetery

1500 N. York Street
Muskogee, OK 74403

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

Southeast Baptist Church
2511 E. Hancock Street
Muskogee, OK 74403