



David Gregory Smart

November 21, 1963 - May 29, 2017

Memorial services for David Gregory Smart will be 3:30 p.m. Sunday, June 11, 2017, at the Marshall Funeral Home Chapel. He was cremated at his request under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

David Gregory Smart, son of Donald R. Smart and the late Marilyn Lou (Cathy) Smart, was born November 21, 1963, in Liberal, Kansas, and passed away May 29, 2017, at Alva, Oklahoma, at the age of 53 years, 6 months, and 8 days.

David lived in Liberal until they moved to Alva in 1972 where he worked with his mother and sister at the Smart School of Dance. He then started work in the farming and ranching business. He loved to work with cattle and the land. He graduated from Alva High School with the Class of 1982 and went on to OSU Okmulgee, graduating with an associate degree in electrical engineering. During his time in college, he drove race cars at Enid with his brother in Smart Brothers Racing.

On January 16, 1988 he was united in marriage to Carla Doreen Arndt. In 1997, he moved to Illinois and began working in the Right of Way business with his brother in law, Kevin Darbe and his dad, where they traveled all over the United States talking with land owners and would buy and lease their land. He always said that if you could get them to laugh, you could get them to sign

the deal.

He retired in 2010 due to health issues. He enjoyed going to the races in Enid watching his nephew race and then later to the GoCart Races here in Alva. He enjoyed his grandchildren and loved to be with them.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Marilyn Smart.

David is survived by his wife, Carla, of Alva; two daughters, Bonnie Tune and husband, Jeremy, of Dallas, Texas, and Daniella Watkins of Oklahoma City; one son, Zachary Smart of Alva; his father, Donald Smart of Alva; his sister, Lisa Darbe and husband, Kevin of Edmond; his brother, Tim Smart and wife, Greg, of Alva; four grandchildren, Kendi, Damien, and Brooklyn of Alva, and Aiden of Oklahoma City; other relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to the funeral home in memory of David.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 11. 3:30 PM (CT)

Marshall Funeral Home Chapel
230 Flynn
Alva, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *David Gregory Smart*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers to your family.*

Verne and Gloria

metcalf - June 08, 2017 at 02:51 PM



“ *Sending love and prayers to all.*

patsy bixler - June 08, 2017 at 01:41 PM



“ *We are very sorry to hear of David's death. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Clint and Dawn Shafer - June 04, 2017 at 01:41 AM



“ *Carla,
I'm so sorry for your loss. May God reach
down from above and wrap you in His Arms
and give you the comfort you need.
Barbara Williams*



Barbara Williams - May 31, 2017 at 07:23 PM

WS

“ *Sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

wanda severn - May 29, 2017 at 08:54 PM

JS

“ *I was very sorry to read of David's passing.
May God be with your family in these difficult
times.*



Jim Scribner - May 29, 2017 at 08:50 PM