



Darwyn "Smokey" Floyd Olson

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Darwyn "Smokey" F. Olson, age 80 of Safford, AZ passed away on Wednesday, December 09, 2015 at Wisconsin Veterans Home in King, WI.

Darwyn was born on January 7, 1935 to the late Martin and Orpha (Ward) Olson in Fordville, ND. He joined the Air Force on September 10, 1954 in Fargo, ND and was honorably discharged on June 10, 1958 in Arlington, VA. He enjoyed working as a carpenter for many years. Darwyn moved to WI Veterans Home in 2014 and enjoyed all of the staff. He would always have his candy bowl ready for when the nurses walked into his room. Darwyn also enjoyed feeding the squirrels peanuts, and watching the Packer games.

Darwyn is survived by his spouse, Shirley of Safford, AZ; sons, Jeff (Bonnie) Olson of Oregon, WI, Jerry (Gina) Olson of Cottage Grove, MN, Joe (Kelly) Olson of Bear Creek, WI and John (Lynette) Olson of Madison, WI; step-children, Suzie (Chuck) Ruston, Robert (Antonette) Brown and James (Sandy) Brooks; grandchildren, Jeff (Erin) Olson, Flory (Micha) Udenby, Tae Olson, Minji Olson, Anika Olson, Emily (Andy) Speropulos, Amanda Olson, Danielle (Scott) Arthur, Rebecca (Garret) Denney, Jessica (Jonathan) Martin, Benjamin Olson, Katelyn Olson and Joan Olson; also many other nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Darwyn is preceded in death by his brother, Gene Olson. The family of Darwyn would like to extend their gratitude for the loving care the staff at WI Veterans Home has done for them.

Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 15th at WI Veterans Home Main Chapel. Chaplain Rich Engle is officiating. Military Honors will follow services. Holly Funeral Home of Waupaca, WI is assisting the family with arrangements.



Events


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Memorial Visitation


 **Tuesday**, December 15, 2015


 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

 **Wisconsin Veterans Home - Main Chapel**
N2685 County Road QQ, King WI 54946


Memorial Service

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 11:00 AM CT

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Cemetery Details

 **Central Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery**
N2665 County Road QQ, King WI 54946



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Olson family.



December 13 at 4:20 PM



John shared an album called **New Album Name**.



December 13 at 5:32 AM



Antoinette Brown posted:

Our Sincerest Condolences to the Family! We had the Pleasure of being around Smokey, and Really enjoyed his Mannerism, His Bright Spirit & his Positive Outgoing Attitude.....he had such a Love for Nature & his Carpentry! Always Creating Something Spectacular & made with love! He was Always working on his property & home.it always looked so nice! I remember a time he gave Our boys Kris & Jono a dollar coin....our boys were so excited! Smokey had a Kind Generous Heart! Never said to much, never complained! Bob says he should receive a "Medal of Valour for being married to Shirley!" Family humor! !We were All So Very Happy to know Smokey lived his last year's Happy with his Children to care for him , love him, and know the Wonderful person we knew he was!! Our Thoughts, Prayers & Love are with you all. Many Blessings.Sincerely, Bob & Antoinette Brown, Jonathan & Danae, Kristopher & Marci137 Oleander Rd Morenci, Az 85540928-865-5944

December 12 at 6:00 AM



John Olson December 13 at 5:51 AM

Thank you so much for sahing and your support. If it is ok, I will take down your contact information. If you would like a momento (funeral program or other item) sent to you, do not hesitate to ask. If there is any story or some memory you would like shared at the service, I would be happy to do that for you. Feel free to contact me. John & Lynette Olson 2210 Tawhee Dr., Madison, WI 53711 608-276-8095



Sue Ruston sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Olson family.



December 12 at 6:00 AM



Media

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John shared a photo to the **New Album Name** album.

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Darwyn "Smokey" by
contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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