



## David W. Smith

January 24, 1962 - August 15, 2016

David W. Smith, 54, of State Highway 29, Johnstown went to be with loved ones Monday evening, August 15, 2016, while at St. Mary's Healthcare, Amsterdam, after a long illness.

He was born in Elmira on January 24, 1962, the youngest son of Allen and Loretta (Hollenbeck) Smith, Sr. and graduated from Mansfield High School in Pennsylvania in 1980. David moved to Amsterdam, NY in 1982 and recently resided in Johnstown.

David held multiple jobs and titles. He started at Pudgies Pizza in Elmira and later, became an East Coast District Manager for Little Caesars Pizza, eventually retiring due to disability. He also operated a DJ/Karaoke business locally, known as DJ Davis.

He loved to cook for family and friends every chance he could. He was always the jokester - you knew how much he loved you by how much he picked on you. There was no time that you could be near without him making you laugh. In addition to both of his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, Robert; his sister, Donna Bacon; and his beloved dachshund, Ginger.

Survivors include his brother, Allen (Kristina) Smith of Johnstown; his brother-in-law, John Bacon of Broadalbin; former sister-in-law, Joyce Idoria in MA.

There is also his loving step-mother, Shirley Smith of Elmira and several step-siblings, along with multiple aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and a large group of close friends.

Calling hours will be held on Saturday from 10 am – noon at the Robert M.

Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County Highway 106, (Corner of Route 29 & Black Street), Johnstown. Burial will immediately follow in Perth Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Mountain Valley Hospice, in care of the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## Perth Cemetery

County Highway 107  
Amsterdam, NY

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

AUG 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Halgas Funeral Home  
111 County Highway 106  
Johnstown, NY 12095  
(518) 883-5323  
debbie@halgasfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.halgasfuneralhome.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ David was my friend that I had the pleasure of knowing for over 30 years! He was always there if you ever needed him and never expected anything in return. We laughed a lot when we worked together and it made work a lot of fun. I will miss all of our phone calls that would last some times for hours. RIP my friend.  
Carolyn



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Carolyn - August 18, 2016 at 04:57 PM

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“ CATHY sent a virtual gift in memory of David W. Smith



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CATHY - August 17, 2016 at 01:16 PM

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“ Todd Lynch lit a candle in memory of David W. Smith



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Todd lynch - August 16, 2016 at 05:26 PM

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“ *JOHANNA CRUCITTI lit a candle in memory of David W. Smith*



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**JOHANNA CRUCITTI** - August 16, 2016 at 05:22 PM

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*DAVID MY FRIEND RIP I WILL MISS YOU SO VERY MUCH IT WAS THE BEST 25 YEARS OF KNOWING YOU, YOU WERE MY BEST FRIEND. LOVE YOU RIP*

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**JOHANNA CRUCITTI** - August 16, 2016 at 05:24 PM