



Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith

June 9, 1991 - July 27, 2024

No obituary found for this tribute.

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park West

25200 Plymouth Road
Redford Twp., MI 48239

Previous Events

Visitation

Wednesday, Aug. 7. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
info@pyefuneralhome.com

Family Hour / Visitation

Thursday, Aug. 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

International Gospel Center
375 Salliotte
Ecorse, MI 48229

Celebration of Life

Thursday, Aug. 8. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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Burial

Thursday, Aug. **8** (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.*



August 07, 2024 at 12:23 PM



“ *Boydell Development Company planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.*

Boydell Development Company - August 07, 2024 at 12:23 PM



“ *Butler Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.*



Butler Family - August 07, 2024 at 01:36 AM

CB

“ I was apprehensive about writing a comment because writing a comment, it makes this devastating loss a reality. Yet I want to say some words about Ashton, and words to his family and also to the people who loved him and still do.

Ashton was always vibrant, energetic, fun and a ball of light whenever he was around. Every memory I have of Ashton is either him telling silly stories, singing off key about random things and making the people he love smile with hugs, kisses, pushes and snuggles. For me it was extremely tight hugs.

One of my favorite memories with Ashton was around the time I was first coming around the Smith family. I was around 12 or 13 years old and I was at the Smiths home and I was singing “Can you handle it” by Usher and in Ashton’s brotherly, yet funny way, he turned to me quickly and said “Girl what you can handle” and I responded “Ummm..Jesus”. Ashton bursted out in his loud contagious laughter. This obviously made me laugh because it was my first time hearing Ashton’s real laugh. When I think of Ashton I think of moments like that. I think of seeing him constantly moving around doing SOMETHING, whether it be him working out or fixing something or kissing on Jazz and making her giggle or being on the phone with his mom making her day or making his sisters Kayla and Cammie laugh with his brotherly teasing and hugs and singing with them. I remember fondly, seeing him with Ian or with his brother cooking or just joking around in Kitchen. I see him being a father with Jordan and I see him being so excited for that journey and being lit up every time he saw Jordan. I know that he lit up the same lighting up with all his beautiful babies Nova and Isaiah. Ashton LOVED his family. I could always tell by the way he seemed at ease and at home whenever he was around them and how he was simply just being himself when he was with them. I believe too that Ashton knew how much he was loved by his family as well because they were never not happy when they were around one another. I have always seen the Smiths as close. They were always mean in a funny way, always laughing and always rallying around one another. I know he will be missed by them and by all of us because he

touched many people with his unique light. I just pray that all of you know that he's at peace and he's just singing, dancing and joking around with God. He's not in pain he's just at home. I pray that when you look up to the sky you know that you have an angel up there that you know personally and I pray that you know you can always go to God when in sorrow, pain and confusion. I pray that with prayer, support from others and with healing with time; that you'll get to a place of understanding that you all know that you were loved by someone who was also loved by many people including myself. And know that he was never lacking in love and with the 33 beautiful years he had; he gathered all the love possible before coming home to share with God. To the Smiths I love you and I am praying for you and if you ever need anything please do not hesitate in asking. God bless you.

Thank you Ashton for your light and also thank you for helping me to realize what I can handle; it is indeed "Jesus".

Now enjoy eternal life ✨ I love you.

Cristina Brown - August 06, 2024 at 02:51 PM

KR

“*My heart is breaking and it's absolutely surreal that this happened. You were the life of the party always smiling and exuding positivity. I remember growing up with your sisters, seeing the laughter you caused and how much they love you. How much everyone loves you. I'm happy I got to see you for a moment on my last visit, I wish I took advantage of that time more.*

To the Smith family, I send my love and prayers. My gratitude for being so kind and open to me over the years. I pray you guys find peace and healing as we remember Ashton forever.

Kayla Ripton - August 06, 2024 at 12:49 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.



August 06, 2024 at 05:28 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.



August 05, 2024 at 02:57 PM



“ From Valerie Melson & Joel Gordon purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.



From Valerie Melson & Joel Gordon - August 02, 2024 at 10:08 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.



August 02, 2024 at 09:17 AM

TL

“ *Team16 Local1700 purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.*



Team16 Local1700 - August 01, 2024 at 10:16 PM

KA

“ *Kayla Allen sent a virtual gift in memory of Ashton Smith*



Kayla Allen - August 01, 2024 at 11:42 AM

KA

“ *Ashton, I can't stop these tears from falling. Over the years a bond between you and my family grew stronger, that we will cherish forever. I miss you already, and I just want to thank you for the years of loving my sister, and blessing us with these beautiful children. We love you dearly! Absent from the body is present with the Lord* ❤️



Kayla Allen - August 01, 2024 at 11:41 AM

RO

“ To Ashton , Big Cuz in Paw you are so full of life I hate using past tense so excuse me , you are one of the most FUNNIEST dudes ever when it's all said and done you weren't a boy you were a MAN I look up to you the way you handle business , the way you're a family man for your kids or for your Wife . All around great freaking guy and a role model for us when it comes down to it . Thank you for being a blessing to our family and an anchor for Jasmine .

Get your sleep big Bro ❤️❤️

Rod - August 01, 2024 at 10:13 AM

LF

“ Love Mark, Syreeta and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.



Love Mark, Syreeta and Family - August 01, 2024 at 07:32 AM

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“ To the Smith Family... your UAW Local 1700 family and friends extend our sincerest condolences. Words can't mend your heartache but those who care and share your loss wish you comfort and peace.

Brother Ashton will be missed!

Smith family, know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

UAW Local 1700 Leadership and Chaplaincy Committee

UAW Local 1700 - August 01, 2024 at 05:45 AM

GC

“ Ashton you was the greatest father to your children and a awesome husband to your wife, you will be truly missed. Love you Auntie Gail and Uncle Marvis

Gail Cofield - July 31, 2024 at 10:58 PM

KL

“ my Brother, i'm going to miss you so much and i'm so thankful to have met you and call you my friend! may you rest peacefully, to be absent from the body is to be present with the lord!
love, kimberly L

kimberly L - July 31, 2024 at 06:49 PM



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July 31, 2024 at 05:13 PM

WH

“ With sympathy - Kory & Joi Harris planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Ashton Alexander Smith.

With sympathy - Kory & Joi Harris - July 31, 2024 at 05:13 PM