



Mr. Dave Hershell Smith, Sr.

January 17, 1946 - May 4, 2016

Celebrating The Life Of Mr. Dave H. Hershel Smith, Sr.- "Daddy"

Dave Hershall Smith, Sr. was born on January 17, 1946 in Detroit, Michigan.

Dave, better known as "Butch" to family, attended the Detroit Public Schools system where he graduated from Southeastern High School.

"Butch" had a passion for riding horses, and spent hours on hours of watching his favorite movies, and also took up a hobby of riding motorcycles, later, joining the Detroit Gentlemen's Motorcycle Club in the 70s. Butch, then changed his nickname to "Daddy" in the biker world where everyone loved and respected him.

"Daddy" worked for Chrysler for 35 years where he retired.

He was joined in holy matrimony with Peggy Cole-Smith. To this union two children were born.

"Daddy" departed this life on May 4, 2016.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

19975 Woodward Ave.
Detroit, MI 48203

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Dave Hershell Smith, Sr.*

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“ *I'm going to miss you uncle Butch, I remember watching all those movies with you on Sundays at your house when my mom would let me stay over, I remember it wasn't an official party until you pulled up on your motorcycle, and I may be wrong but I don't think they're going to let you wear all black up there!! Lol
You will be greatly missed T-man*

James Browder - May 12, 2016 at 06:26 PM



“ *Big Brother your loss is extremely painful. Thank you for the wisdom you shared and trusting me during the most vulnerable chapter of your life. I will always hold in my heart the memory of you holding my hands not wanting to let go. As God would have the final word, he called you home to glory. (KJV) John 14:27 Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. My SINCERE LOVE and RESPECT your SISTER DEBRA.*

Debra Browder - May 11, 2016 at 01:49 AM