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## **Obituaries**

#### Kenneth H. Smith

Kenneth H. "Mick" Smith, 89, of Fairland died at 6:10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 31, 2021 at his home.

Mick was born on April 17, 1931 in Heyworth, IL to David and Tressie (Johnson) Smith. He married Phyllis Lee Smith on June 5, 1965. She passed away on March 22, 2006.

He is survived by five children, Betty Ludwig of Tuscola, Virginia Martin of Chester, David Smith of Bloomington, Paul Wahls of Bloomington, and Julie (Terry) Millsap of Fairland; and several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, one daughter, two sons, and nine siblings.

Mick loved his horses and mules and would go down to Kentucky for mule wagon rides on old trails. He would also use his mules for nativity scenes around Christmas time. Mick loved to be around his family and friends and would always make people smile and laugh. Mick was an encouraging, giving man of faith who loved his church and church family.

A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 10, 2021 at the Living Hope Fellowship Church in Villa Grove. Pastor Randy Walters and Mr. Pete Lake will officiate. Masks will be required during the service. Burial will follow at the Fairland Cemetery and military rites will be conducted. Joines Funeral Home (Villa Grove) is assisting the family with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Living Hope Fellowship Church.

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Nancy J. Otto

Nancy J. (Beachy) Otto, 79, of Arthur, IL passed away on Saturday, March 27, 2021 at her residence.

Funeral services were held at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 31, 2021 at the Otto Center, South of Arthur on the County Line Road. Bishop Larry Diener officiated. Burial was in the Otto Cemetery, just West of Otto Center. Visitation was held after 1:00 p.m. on Monday, March 29, 2021 at the Otto Center and after 10:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 30, 2021 at the Otto Center. The Edwards Funeral Home is assisting with arrangements.

Nancy was born on March 21, 1942, she was a daughter of Joseph S and Lydia Ann (Stutzman) Beachy. She married Edward Nisley on January 10, 1991, they lived in Holy Matrimony for over 8 years. He passed away on June 23, 1999 She later married Noah J Otto on October 13, 1999 they lived in Holy Matrimony for over 6 years. He passed away on September 10, 2006. She is survived by a stepson, Aden Otto and wife Darlene

(Schrock) of Arthur, IL; a stepson-in-law, Ivan Troyer of Ar-

cola, IL; two brothers, Eli J Beachy and wife Martha Ferne (Schrock) of Arthur, IL and Ervin J Beachy and wife Mary Kathryn (Plank) of Ontario, Canada; three sisters, Edna Smith and husband Dale of Tuscola, IL, Annie Kaufman and husband Dan and Alma Helmuth and husband Adlai all of Arthur, IL; two step-granddaughters, one step-daughter-in-law and eleven step-great-grandchildren. Nancy was preceded in death by her parents, Joseph and

Lydia Ann (Stutzman) Beachy, her first husband, Edward Nisley, her second husband, Noah J Otto, two stepdaughters, Ruth Ann Troyer and Naomi Sue Otto, one step-grandson, Noah Troyer, one brother, Jacob M Beachy and his wife Abbie (Schlabach) and three brothers-in-law, Andy J Miller, Norman Lee and Ben A Miller.

Nancy was a member of the Old Order Amish Faith.

#### Camargo United **Methodist Church** 103 E. Main Street

P.O. Box 122, Camargo, IL 61919 Church - 832-9388 e-mail: umccamargo@gmail.com Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Pastor - Lenny Summar Traditional Worship - 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 10:30 "Come just as you are to worship" Open Communion first Sunday of each month

Prayer Group - Meets after Sunday Service.

#### First Christian Church (Non-Denominational)

701 N. Sycamore Street, Villa Grove Phone (217) 832-5231 Fax (217) 832-9348 Web Site: www.fccvg.com E-mail: fccvg@frontier.com Minister, Mike Zylstra E-mail: fccvgmin@frontier.com Worship Gathering: 9:30 a.m. Staffed nursery available weekly

Open communion observed weekly J.A.M. (age 5-5th grade) 10:15 a.m. Sunday School (all ages) 11:00 a.m. Jr & Sr High Youth Group 1st & 3rd Sunday 5:00 p.m. Sunday Bible Study 6 p.m.

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253-2394

Sunday Worship services: 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Sunday school: 9:15 a.m. Youth Group 7th-12th @ 6:33 Sundays After school program 5th-6th girls, Wednesdays www.fcctuscola.com

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8:00 am Sunday

### **Sacred Heart**

Catholic Church 208 N. Pine Stret, Villa Grove Pastor -Rev. Aloy Ndeanaefo Office: 832-8352 Hours: M-F 8:30am-1:30pm

Email: villagrove.hume@gmail.com website: sacredheartandstmichael.com Mass Times: Saturday: 4pm Sunday 10:00am

Sunday @ St. Michaels in Hume 8:00am PSR:

Sunday 9:00-9:45 am Tuscola United **Methodist Church** 

901 N. Prairie Ave. 253-4232 Sunday Worship Services:

8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

**Victory Church** 

100 E. Second St, Camargo Pastor – Duane Piercy Church 832-8398, Email info@victorychurch.life Web Page: victorychurch.life Find us on Facebook

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Worship & Service – 10:00 a.m. RUSH Youth Group 1st & 3rd Sunday 5-7pm Celebrate Recovery 7:15pm Wednesday

Men's & Women's Bible Study-6:30-8 p.m. Thursday Prayer Group - 6:00-7:00 p.m. Worship Team 7:00-8:00 p.m. American Sign Language Available •

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month Child Care available during Worship Walkers are welcome Monday - Friday during office hours in the Henson New Life Center

Open Communion first Sunday of each

Quilters – contact the office for opportunities to join our quilters Join us during the Lenten Season: Jazz Sunday – February 23rd – 10:30 am Everyone is welcome! Potluck Dinner afterwards! Ash Wednesday service at 7:00 pm

Palm Sunday - April 5th - 10:30 am Maundy Thursday - April 9th at 7:00 pn Easter Sunday - April 12th at 10:30 am Come and join us for Worship! Christmas Eve Services – December 24 7:00 pm Family Friendly Service 11:00 pm Candlelight Service

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