



George Duncan Smith

May 11, 1937 - March 19, 2017

George Duncan Smith, age 79, born May 11, 1937 in Chicago, Illinois died March 19 at his home in Cullman, Alabama, surrounded by family. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Tallulah Weston Smith; his children Darin Smith, Jolinda (Angel Amores) Smith, and Dina Smith Canup; his grandchildren Alex Smith, Nicholas Amores, George Amores, and Aurie Canup; his sister Leura (Bill) Mollenhauer and brother Gerald Smith; his sisters-in-law Marie Massey, Claudia Weston, and Angie Coffman; his brothers-in-law Richard Weston and Ted Coffman; and many nieces and nephews. He is predeceased by his parents Dibrell and Helen (née Aurelia Dubkowski) Smith and his brother Charles Smith.

A veteran of the U.S. Air Force, he later worked in sales and technology before a long career with the U.S. Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, where he was considered an expert in his field by the time of his retirement. A 41-year member of First Baptist Church, he laughed heartily, offered advice (both solicited and unsolicited), and had a gift for fixing virtually anything. He never knew a stranger, relished telling stories, and loved a good bargain. He enjoyed western novels, history, Auburn football, NASCAR, and dogs, especially his cherished companion LuluBelle. Most of all, he loved his family and gave of himself freely.

The visitation will be at Heritage Funeral Home Saturday, March 25 at 12:30

p.m., followed by the funeral at 2:00 pm. He will be buried in Cullman Public Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to First Baptist Church and Autistic Self Advocacy Network.