



## Ricky Lee Smith

July 31, 1961 - May 14, 2025

Ricky Lee Smith, age 63, of Williamson, West Virginia passed away on Wednesday, May 14, 2025 while at his brother-in-law's home in Williamson. He was born on July 31, 1961 in Tampa, Florida.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Gary Stepp and Madelyn May, his brother, Randy Lee Stepp, and his niece, Amanda Vanhoose.

Ricky worked for many years in underground communications in the fiber optics industry. He enjoyed spending his free time watching war movies, playing his hunting games on his phone, and spending time with family; especially his brother-in-law, Ralph, and his beloved grandbaby, Israel.

Those left behind to cherish his memory include his wife, Ronda Holmes, his daughters, Kayla Holmes and Katelyn Smith, his sister, Debbie (Ralph) Jude, his beloved grandbaby, Israel Holmes, and his niece and nephew, Greg and Crystal Jude. He also leaves behind a host of other loving siblings, nieces, nephews, and friends.

No services are to be announced at this time. Chafin Funeral Home is serving the family.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Will forever hold the title John Henry Ho Handle in my heart ❤️ I will always keep uncle Ricky alive in memory and will share my sweet memories with my babies too. Gone too soon, but I know he's up there in heaven with Pah reunited both walking without those damn canes! Love you guys, will be praying and praying for peace ❤️

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**Gabby Bostaph** - May 26, 2025 at 01:23 PM

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“ Ronda & Family, so sorry to hear about this loss of your husband & for the loss to others. May our Father GOD as we know of him give you peace, hope you will be with him again someday. Much love to you all robbiejean



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**robbiejean rogers** - May 26, 2025 at 11:43 AM