



## Michael L. Smith

April 3, 1960 - November 3, 2013

Michael L. Smith, age 53, of Valparaiso, IN, formerly of Aetna, passed away after a long illness on Sunday, November 3, 2013. Michael was a graduate of Wirt High School Class of 1978. He was an avid fisherman. Michael was preceded in death by his parents, James V. & Shirley Smith and brother, Rick. He is survived by 4 sisters, Mary (James) Lynch of Valparaiso, Julie (Ed) Daniels, of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Linda (Jim) Johnston, of Palos Park, IL, and Elizabeth Drakos of Valparaiso; and 2 brothers, Ed (Donna) Smith and James Smith both of Valparaiso and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, November 8, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 701 E. 7th Street, Hobart, IN. Rev. John Starr, officiating. Friends may visit with Michael's family on Friday from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Family, I was saddened to read of your loss and I'd like to extend my deepest sympathy for your dearly loved Michael L. Smith. I can only imagine the pain you must feel. I pray that you can find comfort from the words of Jesus Christ found in the Bible at (John 5:28,29 ;Revelation 21:3,4) I hope this comforts you like it has my family during our loss. For more info [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org)

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