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Larry Smith

Larry Dean Smith, 65, of Bridgeport, died Sunday, Sept. 10, 2017, in Paradise. Funeral is 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 15, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Jeff Honeycutt officiating. Burial will follow at Roberts Branch Cemetery in Jacksboro. Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers are Jason Smith, Cody Anderson, Bobby Richey, Frank Conteras, Clayton Green and Bo Smith.

Honorary pallbearers are Tim Vera, Bill Lewis, James Owen, Michael Gage and Jason Alvey. Larry was born Feb. 4, 1952, in Jacksboro to Jasper and Della Mae "Johnnie" (Brisco) Smith. He married Pamela Kay Koerner March 8, 1997, in Bridgeport. Larry was a member of the United Body of Christ Church in Paradise. He was a retired meter technician for Devon. He was preceded in death by his father.

Larry is survived by his wife of 20 years; son Jason Smith and wife, Sherry, of Decatur; daughters Tracey Melendrez and husband, Rey, of Cedar Creek, Kayla Prock Jones and husband, Doug, of Decatur, Jeanie Dahlen of Alvord and Misty Hillary and husband, Patrick, of Euless; 18 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; his mother; brother Ronnie Smitha and wife, Lindsey, of Bridgeport; sister Connie Shawn and husband, Jerry, of Boyd; and numerous extended family members and friends.