



## Lewis Edwin Smith

September 6, 1912 - February 6, 2003

Anderson - Lewis Edwin Smith, 90, Anderson, died February 6, 2003 at Marion General Hospital-Marion, Indiana after an extended illness. He was born September 6, 1912 in Holton, Indiana, and resided in Anderson, Indiana. he lived in the Anderson area since 1939 He retired from Delco Remy Division of General Motors on October 1, 1980 after 41 years where he was an equipment maintenance person He served his country in the US Army serving with the 406th Field Artillery Group as a field technician in the European Theater Operation. He was a member of the Anderson First United Methodist Church and lived a true Christian life. In the true American spirit, he built his home in Anderson from the ground up. He laid the stone, added on rooms, built a barn and generally tinkered and maintained the homestead that he himself had created for his family. In his quiet moments, he wrote poems. On January 24, 1942, he was united in marriage to Mary Marie Denbo who survives. They were married for 61 years. Surviving besides his wife are one daughter: Marlys Ann Smith & husband Michael Baker of Marion. One Grandson: Jason Baker of Marion One Granddaughter: Heather Nesbitt & husband John Nelson of Marion. One Great Grandson: Matthew Nelson. Two Great Granddaughters: Kirstin Nelson & Sarah Nelson, all of Marion He was preceded in death by his parents Joseph Andrew & Mary Melvina McMinds Smith, five brothers and a twin sister. Services will be Monday, February 10, 2003 at 1:00 PM, at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, South Chapel, 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson, with Rev. Grace Burton-Edwards of

the Anderson First United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Anderson. Visitation will be from 11-1:00 PM on Monday, February 10, 2003 at funeral home, south chapel. [www.LooseFuneralHomes.com](http://www.LooseFuneralHomes.com)