



## Mr. Norman Alexander Smith

June 11, 1950 - November 19, 2011

It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing of Norman Alexander Smith at his home in High River on Saturday, November 19th, 2011 at the age of 61 years. Norm was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba on June 11th, 1950 on his parent's first anniversary and lived there until he moved to Edmonton to complete his education at the U of A in 1972. Over the years, Norm worked for Fortier and Associates, Esso Canada, Trans Canada Pipelines and Suncor to name a few, making many friends along the way. Norm enjoyed model railroading, hockey, football, camping and fishing and the many friends he met, but the light of Norm's life was his daughter Casey Marie. He was predeceased by his Aunts Isobel and Kathleen, Uncle Fraser, Grandma Gracie, mother and father Virginia and Donald.

He will be greatly missed by daughter Casey, cousins Frank (Marla) Stewart, Howard (Louise) Smith, Mary (Dave) Smith, Barb, Leslie, Dave and Mark Smith, Lorraine, his special friend Valerie; the mother of his daughter Peggy, and her daughter Tracey (Marc), grandson Alex; son Keith (Renee); grandsons Jayden and Jayme and son Rick (Jenn), grandson Jacob and granddaughters Sarah and Hannah. Also, great friends Marie and Gary, Roy and Linda, Frank and Heidi, Bill and Louella and the Railroading Gang, as well as many other friends and relatives.

In recent years, Norm was involved in supporting the MS Campaign and the Saturday afternoon meat draws at the Legion, where he again made more friends. A Memorial Service will be held for Norm in January. Please contact

the family or visit [www.lylereeves.com](http://www.lylereeves.com) for service details.

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 14. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (MT)

High River Royal Canadian Legion #71  
25 - 8th Ave. SE  
High River, AB T1V 1E8 (CA)  
(403) 652-3770

# Tribute Wall

MK

“ Casey.

*It's been a while now, but I still picture your dad waving at me from next door. He was always so kind to us and we miss him dearly. I chatted with him just the day before he passed. He was in great spirits and we had a wonderful talk. He bragged about you, like he always did.*

*Hope life is treating you well.*

*Please let us know the very next time you are out. Would love to see you.*

*Jake and Martha Klassen  
403-652-1652*

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**Martha Klassen** - June 06, 2012 at 06:45 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Frank van Neer** - December 14, 2011 at 08:05 PM

FN

“ *Our farewell to a great friend and Neighbour*

*To all who knew Norm know that his too early departure was a shock to us*

*All our future plans wich we so cunnngly planned are now nothing but a distant dream*

*To have known Norm was a priviledge*

*After having talked with and listened to your co-workers only deepened our respect for Norm*

*They confirmed our knowing you as a thoughtfull, uplifting and a very happy forward looking soon to retire gentleman*

*We hope that you may fullfill all your lives dreams and smile at us after completing the best running railway system and catching the Biggest Gerrard Rainbow trout*

*Our sympathy for daughter Casey, Peggy Casey's Mother, your dearest and closest friend Valerie and last but not least special friends ROY Linda and Peter.*

*We will miss you Norm.*

*Heidi and Frankie. Riondel B.C.*

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**Frank van Neer** - December 14, 2011 at 07:58 PM

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“ Casey, Family & Friends

*My thoughts are with you during this sad time. I know you have a loving, caring family who will be there for you. Keep the happy thoughts and good memories alive and let time be the healer they say it is.*

*I remember Norm as a child, we lived across the street from each other. Norm and my brother Bill could get themselves into some "interesting situations", most of which were fun. I remember the trains and football games, great fun. Norm was one of the good guys. I used to babysit Norm on occasion, that was fun!*

*Please accept my most sincere condolences.*

*Donna Cooper (McPherson)*

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**Donna Cooper (McPherson)** - November 29, 2011 at 12:00 PM



“ 44 files added to the album Tribute Pictures



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**Lyle Reeves Funerals** - November 28, 2011 at 03:10 PM

MM

“ My thoughts and prayers go to the family and friends of Norm. I worked with Norm over the last year at Firebag. I learned a lot from him in that time and enjoyed his company and quick wit. His great experience and insight will be missed by myself and many others. Goodbye my friend and happy fishing.

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**Mercer Munn** - November 28, 2011 at 03:01 PM

MA

“ Our thoughts and prayers go to the family and friends of Norm in their time of sorrow. Our office have known Norm for a lot of years and were sadden by his passing, way too soon. We will miss your friendly visits to the office. Norm always had a way of putting a smile on your face. Rest in peace, Norm.



*Mackay Sadler LLP, Chartered Accountants*

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**Mackay Sadler LLP, Chartered Accountants** - November 28, 2011 at 02:46 PM

KN

“ Dear Norman's family and friends;  
Please accept my most heartfelt sympathies for your loss. I worked with Norm for almost a year at Suncor- Firebag. He was a great man, good friend, and I'll miss him.  
Rest in peace, Norm.  
*Kavous Nourimand*

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**Kavous Nourimand** - November 27, 2011 at 09:26 PM

BN

“ *My thoughts and prayers go to the family and friends of Norm at this time of sorrow. Norm was solid in so many ways - his values, his integrity, his skills, and his build. We worked together at TransCanada PipeLines and would often solve the company's and the world's ills over a lunch or a cup of coffee. Norm enjoyed the simple pleasures of life - good food, good conversation, railroad modelling, fishing, and a good joke. His sharing of those humourous ( and some not so humourous) emails were always welcomed with a smile. He was taken from us much too soon. He shall be missed and fondly remembered for his friendship.*

*I hope you enjoy the view from up there Norm.*

*Bernie Neeson*

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**Bernie Neeson** - November 27, 2011 at 01:51 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to family and friends of Norm. He was a good man who left us far too soon. I worked with Norm at Suncor (Firebag) for the last year and shared many breakfasts and suppers with him discussing everything from model railroading to the monster fish he was planning to catch in Kootenay Lake.*

*Norm was generally a quiet man, but what he did say was always insightful and made a lot of sense to me. He had a great sense of humor and was always the one to send his "smile for the day" email which reminded us all that we can have fun anywhere - even at work!*

*I will miss you Norm. I hope you are having fun pulling that 40# rainbow trout into your boat.*

*Bob Wing*

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**Bob Wing** - November 27, 2011 at 11:19 AM