



## Alvin J. Smith, Sr.

February 12, 1916 - June 29, 2006

Alvin J. Smith, Sr., age 89 of Sweetwater, TN passed away Thursday June 29, 2006 at the family home after a lengthy illness. He was a member of New Hope United Methodist Church, Sweetwater. A well known dairy farmer, former director of The Knoxville Milk Producers and Dairymen Incorporated. Preceded in death by parents: Oliver A. and Alva B. Smith, Sr. Brothers and Wives, Oliver and Evelyn Smith, Jr. , Frank and Anita Smith. Sisters and husbands: Ruby and Steve Crockett, Elma Lee and D.K. Thomas, Gladys and J.M. Lockmiller.

Survivors include:

Wife of 62 years

Emma Jean Smith Sweetwater

Daughters and Son in Law:

Rebecca Parson Nashville

Alva Jean and William 'Bill' Bradberry Vonore

Son and daughter in law:

Alvin J. and Sharon Smith, JR. Sweetwater

Grandchildren:

Melanie Jean DeCant Nashville

Mitzi Marie Parson Nashville

Rebekah Leah Parson Nashville

Wendy and husband Ray Stapleton Penn Laird, VA

Jessica Lynn Bradberry Nashville  
Russell Shayne Bradberry Knoxville  
Alvin J. and Wife Sandee Smith III Sweetwater  
Jason Lee Smith Knoxville  
Benjamin Paul Smith Sweetwater

Great-grandchildren:

Dillon Michael DeCant Nashville  
Joshua and Abby Stapleton Penn Laird, VA  
Ann Marie Smith Sweetwater  
Alvin J. Smith IV Sweetwater  
Kaleb Ray Baker Smith Sweetwater

Brother and Sisters in Law:

George W. and Pat Smith Knoxville  
Lloyd and Patricia Smith Knoxville

Several Nieces and Nephews;

The family will receive friends from 5 to 8 PM Saturday with the funeral to follow at 8:00 PM in Kykers Chapel with Rev. Helen Shaw, Rev. Ogle Wattenbarger, Rev. Larry Orr officiating. Family and friends will meet at 1:45 PM Sunday at the Edgewood Cemetery in Knoxville for a 2:00 PM interment. Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater in charge of arrangements. [www.kykerfuneralhome.com](http://www.kykerfuneralhome.com).