



## Bruce E. Nelson

June 2, 1947 - September 29, 2015

Bruce E. Nelson, 68, passed away on September 29, 2015. His cremation arrangements have been entrusted to Smart Cremation, 1000 S. Yates, Rd. Memphis TN 38119.

Service and obituary information will be posted as soon as it becomes available.

# Previous Events

## Arrangements Completed

OCT 7 (CT)

Smart Cremation Memphis

1000 S Yates Rd.

Memphis, TN 38119

(901) 730-7712

<https://www.smartcremationmemphis.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Saddened to hear about my good friend, neighbor, and teen years buddy. We ran around together for years and had so many good times. We both tried to dress ivy, look really cool, and stay out of trouble. Our most dangerous excursion was cruising between Krystal on Summer and The Pitch Fork Drive Inn on Poplar. Ronnie Medford, Mike Oliver, Bruce, and yours truly Johnny Redd were skirting behind the Pitchfork in Medfords station wagon. The Saturday night was cool, clear, and crisp. 4 dudes were drinking in another stn wagon and stared belligerently. Medford flipped these drunks back, not casually, but with the vehemence of an umpire calling an out at home plate. Incensed they peeled out behind us and tried to overtake us. After chasing us down Poplar, tp Highland, over to Summer, then to National we got the cops involved. Commissioner Armour arrested them back near the Pitchfork. The leaders were Charles Tiller and Edward Bell. We lived for months in morbid fear because they screamed they would kill us after we showed up to identify them!!*

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**Johnny Redd** - May 17, 2016 at 06:57 PM