

Francis Redmond Smoot Obituary

Francis Redmond Smoot, a sixth generation Washingtonian, passed away on January 13, 2024. He was 80. Mr. Smoot, known to friends and family as "Tony," was born in Washington in 1943. He attended Gonzaga College High School and graduated from Georgetown University. He served one tour in the Army. Mr. Smoot worked as an accountant for USAID in many foreign countries, including Pakistan and Saudi Arabia. In retirement, he divided his time between his homes in Washington and Lewes, Delaware, and authored two books: a treatise on astrology and a collection of poetry.

Mr. Smoot will be remembered for his generosity, lively sense of humor, love of opera, and kindness toward animals. Survivors include his two sisters, Marie Adele Curtis of Surrey, England, and Regina Francesca Smoot of Washington, and their children. Mr. Smoot will be buried at Rock Creek Cemetery. Close friends and family will celebrate his life in a private ceremony at a location and date forthcoming.

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