



## Garner Bandy

December 13, 1948 - January 7, 2019

Garner Bandy, age 70 of the Dix Creek Community of Bandy, VA died Monday, January 7, 2019 at Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport, TN. He was born December 13, 1948 at Richlands, VA and was a son of the late William and Ella Jones Bandy. Garner was a retired coal miner, having worked for Consolidated Coal for many years. Mr. Bandy was a United States Army Veteran of the Vietnam War. He enjoyed fishing, pitching horseshoes, and playing football. He was the first person to score a touchdown on the Tazewell Little League Football Field and was the first to pitch a shutout at the Little League Baseball Field. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Veteran's Support Group in Princeton, WV. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a friend, whom he considered his brother, Eddie McReynolds.

Those who survive to cherish his memory include his loving wife, Diana Bandy; his daughter, who will forever be his little girl, Brandi Bandy Brewster and husband, James of Dix Creek, VA; one sister, Lorene Waddle and husband, Ted of Dix Creek, VA; two brothers, Garland Bandy and wife, Rita of Dix Creek, VA and Garnet Bandy and wife, Thelma of North Tazewell, VA; two grandsons, Triston Bandy Brewster and Bentley Brewster; special nephew, Mark Bandy and wife, Sandy; special niece, Samantha Guerrero and husband, Wilson; several nieces, nephews, other family members and friends also survive.

In keeping with Mr. Bandy's wishes, his earthly body will be cremated and there will be no services.

The family request that if you would like to make a donation to honor the memory of Garner Bandy, please consider: St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital: 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105; or the Wounded Warrior Project: PO Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675 – 8517; or please donate to the Tazewell Football Program.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, VA is serving the family of Mr. Bandy and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Garner Bandy* ”

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Garner Bandy* ”

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *G. Jane Thornhill lit a candle in memory of Garner Bandy* ”



**G. Jane Thornhill** - January 09, 2019 at 10:49 AM



“ *Glenda And R. B. Altizer lit a candle in memory of Garner Bandy* ”



**Glenda and R. B. Altizer** - January 09, 2019 at 04:28 AM

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“ *Becky Sparks lit a candle in memory of Garner Bandy*



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**Becky sparks** - January 09, 2019 at 03:02 AM

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“ *Prayers for the family.  
Freddie & Becky Sparks*

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**Becky sparks** - January 09, 2019 at 03:01 AM

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“ *Garner you will be missed!! You were like a second dad to me...an all around great guy. Thanks for being who you were! Gone but not forgotten. R.I.P. <3*



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**Cindy** - January 08, 2019 at 10:25 PM



“ *Prayers of comfort for the family . God bless you all and remember that he is with Jesus , and we have the blessed assurance that we will see our loved ones again <3*



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**Norma Kindley** - January 08, 2019 at 08:02 PM



“ *Donald Meade lit a candle in memory of Garner Bandy* ”



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**Donald Meade** - January 08, 2019 at 06:18 PM



“ *David & Teresa Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Garner Bandy* ”



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**David & Teresa Mitchell** - January 08, 2019 at 05:02 PM