



Grady McArthur Cole

January 1, 1943 - June 23, 2020

Grady McArthur Cole, age 77, of Jewell Ridge, Virginia, passed away on Tuesday, June 23, 2020 at his home.

Grady was born on January 1, 1943 in Whitewood, Virginia to the late Jay and Katherine Dorton Cole. Mr. Cole was a member of the Richlands Tabernacle and also attended Jewell Ridge Presbyterian Church. He was a retired mechanic and was United States Army Vietnam Veteran.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, Troy “Petey” Meadows; two daughters, Amanda Blankenship and Kathy Adkins; three sisters, Margaret Altizer, Reka Dye, and Mell Matney; and six brothers, Paul, Bob, George, Barnes, Joe, and Harry.

Survivors include

His wife, Betty Blankenship Cole

Daughters

Shelia Martin of Jewell Ridge, VA

Melinda Meadows and fiancé, Shawn Lockhart of Jewell Ridge, VA

Sisters

Brooks Jones of Port Royal, VA

Helen Justice and husband, Edward of Phyllis, KY

Belinda Cole and husband, Bill of Abingdon, VA

Brother, Grat Cole and wife, Margaret of Jewell Ridge, VA

Ten grandchildren as well as a host of additional family and friends also survive.

Funeral services for Grady McArthur Cole will be conducted at 7PM on Friday, June 26, 2020 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia with the Reverend Phillip Horton officiating. Interment will take place at 1:00 PM on Saturday, June 27, 2020 at the Cole Family Cemetery in Whitewood, Virginia. Members of the Casey-Shortt V.F.W. Post #9640 will conduct military graveside rites. Pallbearers will be Danny Short, Thomas Short, Lucuis Horn, Jeff Justice, J.J. Altizer, Aaron Agent, Timothy Cox, Melody Cole David, and Joseph Cole. Honorary pallbearers will be John Altizer, Brannon Breeding, Tim Justice, Sonny Matney, Jason Cole, David Cole, Mark Matney, and Shane Jones. The family will receive friends at the funeral home, prior to the service, on Friday evening June 26, 2020 from 5 PM until 7 PM. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Cole Family Cemetery

White Mtn Road
Jewell Valley, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 26. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 26. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - July 21, 2020 at 03:42 PM



“ Grady McArthur Cole

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Grady McArthur Cole

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ John & Trish Altizer lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



John & Trish Altizer - June 29, 2020 at 10:45 AM



“ Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



Carolyn Pyles - June 27, 2020 at 05:05 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this difficult time. I have had the pleasure of knowing Grady my whole life, we were neighbors when I was growing up and as an adult we worked together on several occasions, I thought very highly of him and enjoyed talking with him whenever we would see each other. RIP Grady!

Darren McKinney - June 26, 2020 at 10:30 PM



“ Norma Jewell Richardson lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



Norma Jewell Richardson - June 26, 2020 at 07:29 PM



“ Daniel-Jeniffer Dye-Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



Daniel-Jeniffer Dye-Gilbert - June 26, 2020 at 05:10 PM

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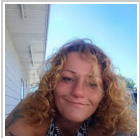
Sandra Cole - June 26, 2020 at 03:12 PM

WJ

“ Wayne Jewell lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



wayne jewell - June 26, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ The best grandpaw in the world. Love to visit him in the winter when so much snow and he would push us on those little round sleds. Everytime we went to pappaw's all our family made it like Christmas every single time. We love y'all so much ❤️ I know his angels in heaven will be extatic to be graced by his reunion.

Melody David - June 26, 2020 at 09:47 AM

JE

“ RIP Uncle Grady will miss you. Love talking with you .Mom is so sorry she could not be at funeral,Dr told her not to but she loved you so dearly. Love you Uncle Grady.From Helen Justice family.

Jeff - June 26, 2020 at 09:35 AM

JE

“ Jeff lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole



Jeff - June 26, 2020 at 09:26 AM

KE

“ Love my Uncle Grady so many childhood memories. Thoughts and prayers for all the family.



Karen an Ed - June 26, 2020 at 08:37 AM

PQ

“ Pat, Russ & Kelli....love to family 🙏💜💜



Pat, Russ & Kelli Quick - June 26, 2020 at 08:29 AM

PQ

“ Grady a sweet person...talked to him some time agocamp passing thru....love his heart.....cousin.....Pat Cole Quick.....Russ & Kelli💚💛💜

Pat, Russ & Kelli Quick - June 26, 2020 at 08:26 AM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - June 25, 2020 at 06:22 PM



“ *Larry Nelson lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole*



Larry nelson - June 25, 2020 at 05:56 PM



“ *We are praying for you all if you need anything let us know may God be with you during this difficult time*

Cricket and Alisa Neal - June 25, 2020 at 04:52 PM



“ *Rick Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole*



Rick Gilbert - June 25, 2020 at 04:20 PM

LN

“ *Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Grady McArthur Cole*



Leroy Nelson - June 25, 2020 at 02:35 PM