



Joe Rife

April 16, 1939 - December 8, 2014

Joe Lewye Rife, age 75 of Hillsville, Virginia and passed away on Monday, December 8, 2014 at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Jewell Ridge, Virginia and was the son of the late, Joseph Edward and Elizabeth Alice Day Rife.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his brother, Ernest Newton Rife.

Those who survive him are:

His wife, Gladys Lambert Rife of Hillsville, VA

Daughters:

Charlotte Hunt and husband Ken of Cana, VA

Minnie L. Sparks of Hillsville, VA

Elizabeth R. Park of Hillsville, VA

Son

Clarence Rife of Hillsville, VA

Brothers:

David Rife and wife Rita of Marble, NC

Tony Rife and Dora Rife of Woodlawn, VA

McGinnis Rife and wife Sharon of Richlands, VA

Miles Rife and wife, Kathy of Jewell Ridge, VA

Lonnie Rife and wife, Shirley of Whitewood, VA

Sisters:

Eloise Cooper of Galax, VA

Bernice Ledbetter of Jewell Ridge, VA

Anita Cicala of LaPlata, MA

Daris Ruscio and husband, Amir of Woodlawn, VA

Dinah Foley of Galax, VA

Several nieces and nephews that he loved dearly and special friends, Vinton and Leona Smythers.

A Memorial Service will be held at a later date.

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.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joe Rife*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Joe Rife*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Dennis and I will keep the family in our prayers during this difficult time.*



Dennis and Stephanie Kennedy - December 10, 2014 at 05:48 PM



“ *He will forever have a special piece of my heart...I remember at one of our family reunions he was sitting beside me and we were eating..he had gotten a helping of chicken and dumplings..he said whoever made these sure didnt know what they were doing..lol..thank God it wasnt me that had made them..We laughed so much..good memories of my precious Uncle Jr.*

Veronica Mullins - December 10, 2014 at 10:39 AM

SH

“ Sara Hart sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Rife



Sara Hart - December 10, 2014 at 09:24 AM

MK

“ Melissa Keen lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



Melissa Keen - December 09, 2014 at 10:53 PM

LR

“ Lonnie & Shirley Rife lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



Lonnie & Shirley Rife - December 09, 2014 at 10:37 PM

SL

“ Shelva Lear lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



Shelva Lear - December 09, 2014 at 10:29 PM

Tanya Mitchell

“ *Tanya Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife*



Tanya Mitchell - December 09, 2014 at 10:07 PM

SS

“ *Sending my love and prayers.*



Stephanie Lambert Sexton - December 09, 2014 at 09:39 PM

AC

“ *Amanda Clifton lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife*



Amanda Clifton - December 09, 2014 at 09:29 PM

TS

“ *Tina Stinson lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife*



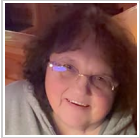
Tina Stinson - December 09, 2014 at 08:54 PM



“ James & Ruby Harmon lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



James & Ruby Harmon - December 09, 2014 at 07:46 PM



“ Rosa Rose lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



Rosa Rose - December 09, 2014 at 07:40 PM



“ Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Joe Rife



Carolyn Pyles - December 09, 2014 at 06:39 PM