



Kenneth Eugene Mitchell

November 5, 1938 - January 1, 2026

Kenneth Eugene Mitchell, age 87, of Bandy, VA, passed away at his home on Thursday, January 1, 2026.

He was the son of the late Floyd Mitchell, Sr., and Nancy Caroline Baldwin Mitchell. He was a lifelong resident of the Bandy area. He was the last surviving member of his immediate family.

Ken worked for Virginia Dump Bodies in Richlands, Virginia. He loved gardening, mowing, and spending time with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He attended Freewill Baptist Church in Bandy, VA.

In addition to his parents and siblings, Ken was preceded in death by his first wife, Genetta White Mitchell; his second wife, LouElla Grace Lockhart Mitchell; one son, Anthony DuWane Clifton; two granddaughters, Christna Clifton and Dorothy Boone; and one son-in-law, Tommy Noel.

Ken is survived by:

Daughters:

Charlotte Diana Boone and husband, Carl of Madisonville, KY

Karen Renee Noel of Bandy, VA

Sons:

James Barbetto and wife, Angie of Salisbury, NC

William Barbetto and wife, Tammy of Mavisdale, VA

14 Grandchildren, 16 Great-Grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services for Kenneth Eugene Mitchell will be held at 2:00 PM on

Tuesday, January 6, 2026 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, VA with the Rev. Lawrence Hayes and Rev. Ronnie Sparks officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, VA. Pallbearers will be Matthew Noel, Cameron Barbetto, Zachary Barbetto, Cody Lester, Brandon Estep, and Johnny Sparks. A visitation will be held from 12:00 PM until the time of service.

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

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

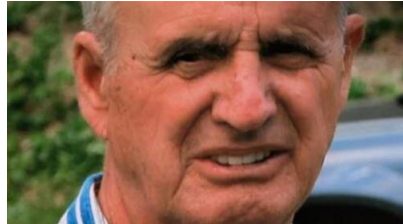
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Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenneth Eugene Mitchell



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - January 18 at 08:48 AM

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“ Prayers for family & friends in the loss of Ken .We were neighbors and friends for many years . Always kept a garden in season . He has finished his race of life now .

Jim Sargent - January 03 at 04:06 PM

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Thank you Jim was so nice of you to say.

Diana Mitchell Boone - January 05 at 09:40 PM