



## Larry Ray Mitchell

September 2, 1955 - March 15, 2022

Larry Ray Mitchell, age 66, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Tuesday, March 15, 2022 in a Richlands, Virginia hospital.

He was born in McDowell County, West Virginia and was the son of Opal Hatfield Mitchell of Raven, VA and the late Hubbard Mitchell.

He had made his home in the Cedar Bluff area most of his life and had retired from Carter Machinery after 44 years of being both a mechanic and an instructor for the company. He attended the Steelsburg Methodist Church. In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by his sister-in-law, Renee Mitchell.

Survivors are:

His Wife: Debbie Mitchell

Sister: Debbie Mullins of Raven, Virginia

Brothers:

Billy Mitchell of Fredericksburg, Virginia

Ronald Mitchell and his wife, Gianinna of Okeechobee, Florida

Donald Mitchell and wife, Carrie of Raven, Virginia

Several nieces and nephews and three great-nieces also survive.

Funeral services for Larry Mitchell will be conducted Saturday, March 19, 2022 at 2pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Troy Lester, Rev. J.C. Johnson, and Rev. Clyde Wimmer officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Preston Wimmer, Freddie Tatum, Tommy Compton, Charlie Maxwell, Donald Mitchell, Ronald Mitchell, Billy Mitchell, and Brian Mitchell. Friends may call from 6pm until 9pm Friday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia oversees arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 18. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

MAR 19. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry Ray Mitchell



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - March 20, 2022 at 09:52 PM



“ Larry Ray Mitchell

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Larry Ray Mitchell

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Debbie and all the family, we are so sorry for your loss. He was such a kind, good and pleasant person. Our prayers are with you, Earl and Christine Cole

Earl and Christine Cole - March 22, 2022 at 09:10 PM

VS

“ Larry was a great guy we worked together at Carter Machinery many years ago we had some great times together we also played basketball together he would crack me-up and say Shannon you need to pass it to me you seen me open especially after he would hit a big Jump shot and say told ya. Lot of good memories. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. I will never forget him.

Val Shannon - March 21, 2022 at 11:12 AM

BA

“ I knew Larry when we were teenagers. Went to church together a few times. He was a sweetheart. I'm so sad to hear of his passing. God bless his wife and family. My prayers are with you all 🙏

Bonnie Vance Allen - March 19, 2022 at 10:07 PM

MO

“ Larry not only was my second cousin but when we were in school he was my friend and mentor. He was kind and gentle. He was wise and smart. One of the sweetest persons I have ever known. I have many fond memories. I will miss him very much. I will be praying for you Debbie I know you loved him and will have many hard day's ahead. To Larry's Mother and siblings also I will send prayers up for you. I love and miss you all.

Martha Mullins Osborne - March 19, 2022 at 12:52 PM

TH

“ My deepest sympathy for all of you,I went to school with Larry and his family. PRAYERS FOR ALL OF YOU! 🙏



Tammy Hackworth - March 18, 2022 at 02:22 PM

JJ

“ Family, Debbie - I owe Larry so much as a professional peer, advisor and friend! We often shared work challenges, our philosophies of life and thoughts/challenges in our common faith.

Larry is truly a brother to me and I came to love him deeply for his care for others, helpfulness, high professional standards and willingness to lend a hand. Always willing. Your problems immediately became his and Larry didn't hold back on sharing his thoughts or advice. His honesty was bracing and helpful. Even in conflict, Larry showed respect and did not dismiss the person at odds with him. Certainly, this world could use more folks like Larry in these virtues!

"To the foundation of yesterday's work well done, the work of the morrow will be sure to fit." (George MacDonald) - You modeled that well my Friend.

Larry, my Brother, your influence has made me a better man. I will miss you during my remaining days on this green earth. I will wait that we may be reunited when our Lord sets all to right again. May our God keep us all in His peace until that day.

John Jones (Carter Training)

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**John Jones** - March 18, 2022 at 11:56 AM

PV

“ Debbie I am so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. You and his family are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**pat vernon** - March 18, 2022 at 11:35 AM

DP

“ Very sorry prayers for all

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**Donald Phillips** - March 18, 2022 at 08:21 AM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Larry Ray Mitchell*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - March 18, 2022 at 08:14 AM

MH

“ *So sorry for you loss. Praying for all of you!*

*Michael Hamer*

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**Michael Hamer** - March 17, 2022 at 10:19 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Larry Ray Mitchell.*



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March 17, 2022 at 08:30 PM

CR

“ *Chester and Chris Rife* 🙏❤️



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**Chris Rife** - March 17, 2022 at 07:49 PM

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“ Fred & Tammie Balmer (CMCO) purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Larry Ray Mitchell.



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**Fred & Tammie Balmer (CMCO)** - March 17, 2022 at 07:46 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Larry Ray Mitchell.



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March 17, 2022 at 06:21 PM

LT

“ I am truly saddened by the loss of Larry. He was such an important and respected member of our training group and great colleague for many at Carter Machinery. My thoughts are with Debbie and his extended family at this time.  
Respectfully, Loraine Taylor.



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**Loraine Taylor** - March 17, 2022 at 05:07 PM

CH

“ Christine Hatfield lit a candle in memory of Larry Ray Mitchell



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**Christine Hatfield** - March 17, 2022 at 05:06 PM

CB

“ Larry was one of the first 5 people I met when beginning work at Carter. He ended up being a mentor to me and a best friend. I will forever be grateful for the knowledge and resources he shared with me. Larry was one of the most dedicated people I knew and was a professional at his trade. Above all, he was a giving person, always putting someone else's needs before his own. My thoughts and prayers go out to Debbie and his family.

Chris B.

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Chris Brown - March 17, 2022 at 05:05 PM

CH

“ My heart ❤️ is sadend to receive such sad news! Aunt Opal, Debbie, Billy, Donald and Ronald, my prayers are thoughts are with you all! May GOD BLESS YOU ALL WITH PEACE AND LOVE!!! LOVE AND MISS YOU ALL!

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Christine Hatfield - March 17, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Larry Ray Mitchell.



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March 17, 2022 at 02:44 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Larry Ray Mitchell.*



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March 17, 2022 at 02:00 PM