



## Paul Edward Hess

December 13, 1943 - October 27, 2012

Paul Edward Hess of Summitt Road, Martinsville, Virginia, died Saturday, October 27, 2012, at Roanoke Memorial Hospital, Roanoke, Virginia.

Hess was born December 13, 1943, in Tazewell County, Virginia to the late Nelson Edward Hess and Nancy Short Hess. He was a veteran of the army having served with the National Guard. He was employed at Southwestern Virginia Gas Company as a service technician for 23 years. He attended Richlands High School and was a member of the Collinsville Pentecostal Holiness Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Laquada Joyce Hess and a granddaughter, Kimberly Beth Prillaman.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Geneva Ellen Simpkins Hess of the home, two daughters, Sandra Prillaman of Ridgeway, Virginia and Margaret Guzman of Eltoro, Texas; one son, Mark Allen Hess of the home; two sisters, Geraldine Addair of Tazewell, Virginia; and Shelby Griffith of Jewel Ridge, Virginia; three brothers, Robert Leon Hess of Richlands, Virginia; Charles Ronald Hess of Tazewell, Virginia; and Joseph Wayne Hess of Jewel Ridge, Virginia; four granddaughters, Tiffany Gilley, Tabitha Shively, Jessica Hess and Pamela Prillaman; two grandsons, Ronnie Prillaman and Christopher Gilley; and four great-grandsons.

The Funeral will be Friday, November 2, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Wright Funeral Service & Cremations with Dr. Dan Woods and Pastor Jimmy Wood officiating. Burial will follow in Roselawn Burial Park in Martinsville, Virginia,

with military honors. The family will receive friends Thursday evening from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Wright Funeral Service Chapel and other times at the home at 535 Summit Road, Martinsville, Virginia.

Memorials may be made to the Collinsville Pentecostal Holiness Church, P O Box 627 Collinsville, Virginia 24078.

Wright Funeral Service & Cremations is serving the Hess family

# Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Edward Hess*

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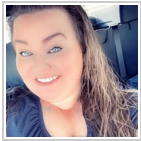
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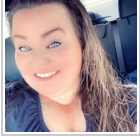


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**LeAnne Gilley-Oswalt** - June 19, 2016 at 04:00 PM



“ First off I want to thank everyone that has posted on this. It feels good to look back and see this. Paul was my grandfather. The one who showed me everything, took me everywhere, and gave me the love I needed. I pretty much lived with my grandparents until I was six, then I got moved to Texas. Unfortunately I didn't get to see him much after that...the day I got the call that we needed to rush back to Roanoke was horrible. We drove all the way back to Virginia, and the whole way I was praying to god not to take my grandpa away. We got to Roanoke in the nick of time...sadly he passed 2 hours after we arrived, but the whole close family was in that room with him. He was a fighter. I'm writing this on fathers day, I want to wish him a happy fathers day from me. I think about him everyday and today is one of those days.

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**LeAnne Gilley-Oswalt** - June 19, 2016 at 03:56 PM



“ You may not know me, but I wanted to express my sympathy to the family for your loss. Many will say to you, God needed another angel, it was their time to go, and it is understood that words don't come easy at a time like this. Rather, I wish to extend God's words to you found at Psalms 36:7..."How precious your loving kindness is, Oh God! And in the shadow of your wings the sons of men themselves take refuge". I would love to mail you a free brochure entitled "When Someone You Loves Dies", it has helped many people find comfort from the Bible. If you would like a copy you may email me at: [shawnehurd@hotmail.com](mailto:shawnehurd@hotmail.com). Again, my deepest apologies for your loss.

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**Shawn Hurd** - November 01, 2012 at 06:52 AM

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“ Hess Family,  
Please accept my heartfelt sympathy on the recent loss of your dear loved one. May the God of Comfort be with you at this time of sorrow. May these words bring you hope, "Christ did actually rise from the dead, and has become the first of millions who will come back to life again someday." (1 Corinthians 15:20) Until this has its fulfillment, may all your precious memories sustain you in the days to come. Christian Love, Robin

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**Robin** - October 31, 2012 at 07:11 AM

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**Tammy Hess** - October 30, 2012 at 06:06 PM

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“ Charles Ronald (Ronnie) Hess lit a candle in memory of Paul Edward Hess



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**Charles Ronald (Ronnie) Hess** - October 30, 2012 at 12:28 PM