



Robert Day

March 21, 1930 - August 10, 2021

There is rejoicing in Heaven at the Home-going of Robert Day, age 91, of Bearwallow Mountain, Virginia. He was on the mountain when he went to be with The Lord on Tuesday, August 10, 2021.

Robert was a hard-working family man who loved God and his family above all. During the early fifties, Robert worked for GM for many years before returning to his beloved mountain home with his family. He timbered and drove the school bus for Buchanan County and was known as the most honest and humble man. After his family, he most enjoyed working in his vegetable garden, working around his farm, and tending to his cattle.

Born on the family farm on Bearwallow Mountain, he was preceded in death by an infant son, Barry Day; his father, Gilbert Day and mother, Nellie Melissa Steele Day; an infant brother, Billy; brothers, Albert, and Fred Day; Sisters, Elsie Harman, Greta Blankenship, Laura Underwood, and Lucy Mitchell.

Robert is survived by: His loving wife of 63 years, Joan Hicks Day; he always joked about sending her back to Jolo and then say, "I guess I'll just keep her". Robert's three daughters are Karen Cole and husband, Roger of Bearwallow, Virginia; Renaye Dillon and husband, Larry of New Kent, Virginia; and Cindy Johnson and husband, Glen of Abingdon, Virginia. His grandchildren include Jennifer Cole Looney and husband, Joe; Andrea Cole Smith and husband,

Mark; Joshua Robert Lee Cole; Sharon Loneran and husband, Chris; Ryan Dillon and wife, Nicole; Cara Hoover and husband, Jason. Special great-grandchildren, Violet Grace Looney, Elinor grace Dillon, Jackson Hoover, Caleb Hoover, and Collin Hoover. One sister, Joyce Tiller. He is beloved by many nieces, and nephews as well as many families and friends. His dog, Max, is already missing him.

Robert was a member of The House of Prayer, Jewell Valley, Virginia. He served the Lord and his community faithfully.

Funeral services for Robert Day will be conducted Thursday, August 12, 2021, at 7 pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with Pastor Bill Hicks and Rev. Tex Sawyers officiating. Burial will be at 10:00 am on Friday, August 13, 2021, at the Gilbert Day Cemetery on Bearwallow near Jewell Ridge, Virginia. Friends and family will serve as pallbearers. Friends are invited to a visitation from 6 pm until 9 pm on Thursday at the funeral home. 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

Day Family Cemetery

Jewell Ridge, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

AUG 12. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Day*



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - August 14, 2021 at 11:00 AM



“ *Robert Day*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Robert Day*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *To Joan, and the girls, I have known this family most of my life. You all were dear to my parents and to me. I had the pleasure of being a teacher to the girls and working side by side with Karen. You have my prayers and love. Sandra Cole 1307 Pulitzer Lane Durham, NC 27703*

Sandra Cole - August 16, 2021 at 03:31 PM



Thank you ❤️

Karen - September 12, 2021 at 05:21 PM

JA

“ JackieEuniceBreedon lit a candle in memory of Robert Day



JackieEuniceBreedon - August 13, 2021 at 01:19 PM

LW

“ I have always admired Robert and his kind thoughtful ways. I will miss visiting with him at the Steele Family reunion. My heartfelt condolences to his family and friends.

Love,
Leta White

Leta White - August 13, 2021 at 12:45 PM

TF

“ The Lois White Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert Day.



The Lois White Family - August 13, 2021 at 12:05 AM

JH

“ James @ Ruby Harmon sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Day



James @ Ruby Harmon - August 12, 2021 at 10:54 PM

DH

“ Joan, Karen, Cindy and Jennifer,
I am so very sorry for your loss. May God grant you peace and comfort as only he can. May he also give you strength for today and the days to come. You will each be in my prayers as will the rest of your family.

Debi (Riffe) Harman - August 12, 2021 at 11:16 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Day.



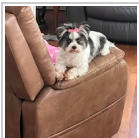
August 12, 2021 at 11:08 AM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Robert Day



TonyanEdgar Wicks - August 12, 2021 at 08:21 AM



“ I am so sorry for the passing of Mr. Day, he was a kind and humble man that loved his family and his home. He was always nice every time I was around him. May each of you feel God's comfort, strength and almighty love during this difficult time. Prayers for all of the family.



Donna Jean Davis - August 11, 2021 at 10:36 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert Day.*



August 11, 2021 at 10:14 PM



“ *Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Robert Day*



Leroy Nelson - August 11, 2021 at 07:52 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Day.*



August 11, 2021 at 07:25 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Day.*



August 11, 2021 at 06:56 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Day.*



August 11, 2021 at 06:40 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Day.*



August 11, 2021 at 05:52 PM