



Ronnie Ellis Hill

April 22, 1947 - January 25, 2018

Ronnie Ellis “Bunker” Hill, age 70 of Swords Creek, Virginia fought a courageous battle with cancer, but lost the war on Thursday, January 25, 2018 at Wake Forest Hospital in North Carolina.

He was born in Russell County, Virginia and was the son of Mildred Frances Clines Hill and the late Ralph Bernard Hill. Ronnie worked many years as a coal miner and a proud member of the UMWA Local #6167 of Jewell Ridge and also worked as truck driver for Gateway paving. He was an avid fisherman, loved to hunt and generally be in the outdoors. He was well known as a jokester and had the gift of gab. He never met a stranger and his family knew that once he got to socializing, he was going to be there a while. His loving kind spirit will forever be carried on by his children and grandchildren whom he loved with his whole heart. Ronnie was of the Baptist faith and was a lifetime resident of the area.

In addition to his father he was preceded in death by a grandson, Ritchie Ellis Hill, Jr and a daughter in law, Donna Lynn Jones Hill.

Those who remain to carry on his loving spirit are:

His mother, Mildred Frances Clines Hill of Swords Creek, VA

Wife, Teresa Lowe Hill of Swords Creek, VA

Son, Ritchie Ellis Hill of Galax, VA

Daughters:

Rhonda Ann Hill Musick of Honaker, VA

Tasha Harless Hicks and husband Danny of Pulaski, VA

Sisters:

Sandra Griffith of Wardell, VA

Donna Gail Hill of Swords Creek, VA

Janet Hill Lankford and husband Dennis of Swords Creek, VA

Rebecca Ratliff and husband Doug of Swords Creek, VA

Grandchildren, Amber Mucisk, Dustin Cole, Kayla Cole, Isaac Cole, Elora Hicks, Lisa Santana McKenzie, Shianne Finery and Cody Dye.

Great Grandchildren, Brentley Musick, Aubree Artrip and Javiar Wade.

The funeral service for Ronnie Hill will be conducted at 2:00 pm on Monday, January 29, 2018 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Dennis White officiating. Interment will follow at the Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be Dennis Lankford, Doug Ratliff, Rick Hill, Frankie Musick, Allen Martin, Robert "Dog" Miller, Blake Artrip and James Crews. Honorary Pallbearers will be Ronnie Sharp, John Reedy and Troy Horton. The family will begin receiving friends at 6:00 pm Sunday evening at the Hurst-Scott 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

Greenhills Memory Gardens

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 28. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

JAN 29. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ronnie Ellis Hill*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Ronnie Ellis Hill*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *John And Wendy Reedy lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill*



John and Wendy Reedy - January 29, 2018 at 01:14 PM



I am praying for the Hill family

Donna Fuller - January 29, 2018 at 07:54 PM



“ *Ronnie was always the same...Big smile & a great story.... I remember when our house burned several years ago...we lost everything...Ronnie was one of the first to offer assistance...My wife & I will always think of Ronnie as a friend. We'll see you again some day ol' pal....*

Mike & Linda Boyd

Mike Boyd - January 29, 2018 at 10:00 AM

RH

“ Prayers for the family,Ronnie will be missed by many.



Rocky & Pat Horton - January 29, 2018 at 12:02 AM

PG

“ Patricia Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill



Patricia Gillespie - January 28, 2018 at 04:07 PM

PG

Went to school with Ronnie,Sue,and Donna Gail.So sorry to hear of Ronnie's passing away.

Patricia Gillespie - January 28, 2018 at 04:09 PM

RS

So sorry for your loss may the Lord comfortyou all.

Ron Sheets - January 29, 2018 at 10:22 AM

PC

“ Prayers for the family.
I always enjoyed seeing and talking to Ronnie.
The world was a better place because of Ronnie's great personality.
Pastor Phillip Cook

Pastor Phillip Cook - January 28, 2018 at 03:11 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ronnie Ellis Hill.*



January 28, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Butch Street lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill*



butch street - January 28, 2018 at 05:25 AM



“ *Amy Hart lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill*



Amy Hart - January 28, 2018 at 02:27 AM



“ *Brenda Murray lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill*



Brenda Murray - January 27, 2018 at 09:14 PM

BM

Rest In Peace

Brenda Murray - January 27, 2018 at 09:15 PM

MG

“ *Prayers and love for Ronnie Ellis Hill's family during this immense time of sorrow and grief.*

Love,

Mary Ann Goss



Mary Ann Goss - January 27, 2018 at 08:41 PM

DM

“ *Dayton Musick lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill*



Dayton Musick - January 27, 2018 at 06:01 PM

FP

“ *So sorry for your loss of Ronnie. I remember him well from givens school and i attended high school with Sandra. The whole family was great people and i know Ronnie will be greatly missed by all of you. May God Bless all of you.*

*FRED PLASTER
NEWPPRT NEWS VA*

fred plaster - January 27, 2018 at 04:22 PM

FP

“ Fred Plaster lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Ellis Hill



fred plaster - January 27, 2018 at 04:16 PM

JT

“ So sorry for your loss , Ronnie will be missed . Prayers for the family .



Jack & Jean Tuggle - January 27, 2018 at 03:07 PM

AS

So sorry for your loss, Ronnie will be missed. Arvis and Susie Stevenson

Arvis Stevenson - January 28, 2018 at 12:06 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronnie Ellis Hill.



January 27, 2018 at 11:50 AM

TG

“ So sorry to hear about your loss praying for those left to cherish his memories I remember Ron as being a funny person always joking and carry on making people laugh especially at bingo

Teresa Goodman - January 27, 2018 at 10:55 AM

JH

Janet and Dennis. I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember Ronnie from way back. You have my deepest sympathy

Janice Hayes - January 27, 2018 at 04:06 PM