



Roy Lee Cantrell

May 21, 1954 - April 3, 2022

Roy Lee Cantrell, age 67, of the Laurel Creek section of Whitewood, Virginia, passed away Sunday, April 3, 2022, at Clinch Valley Medical Center in Richlands, Virginia following a brief illness.

He was born May 21, 1954, in Richlands, Virginia, and was the son of the late Robert E. Lee Cantrell and Marcella Mandy Bell Cordle Cantrell. Roy was a 1972 graduate of Whitewood High School and worked many years as a coal miner. He was an avid fisherman and loved hunting with a bow and a gun. Roy loved being in the woods and would dig ginseng and herbs for extra pocket cash. He faithfully walked up and down the hollow visiting and checking on the neighbors to see if they needed any help. Roy would always lend a helping hand to dig a grave for family and friends on the ridge. He enjoyed traveling around in the mornings or evenings with Donald, Winfred, Michael, and Ray to go see deer and elk.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, David Lee Cantrell.

Those that survive him are:

Sisters:

Roberta Neal of Richlands, VA

Frances Lowe Belcher of Tazewell, VA

Betty Lowe of Raven, VA

Eva Gay Davis of Richlands, VA

Brother, Lawrence Cantrell of Raven, VA

Also survived by 10 nieces and nephews, 17 great-nieces and nephews, 12 great-great nieces and nephews, and a host of friends.

The funeral service for Roy Lee Cantrell will be conducted Friday, April 8th, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, with the Rev. Eric Harrison officiating. Pallbearers will be Winfred Keen, William Lester, Kirby Gibson, Bobby Lowe, Allen Cantrell, Gary Cantrell, and Steve Johnson. Honorary pallbearers will be Jimmy Boyd, Lester Cantrell, Donald Lowe, Michael Lowe, and Ray Blankenship. Visitation will be Friday evening beginning at 5:00 pm until the time of service. Entombment will be private at the Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery in Richlands, Virginia. 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

Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery

3201 West Front Street/US 460
Richlands, VA 24641

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

APR 8. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Roy Lee Cantrell



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - April 08, 2022 at 03:32 PM



“ Roy Lee Cantrell

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Roy Lee Cantrell

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Tammy Hackworth lit a candle in memory of Roy Lee Cantrell



Tammy Hackworth - April 08, 2022 at 11:38 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Roy Lee Cantrell.*



April 06, 2022 at 06:40 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of Roy Lee passing...went to school with him and church with him n his family for many years when growing up and was raised on Laurel Creek as well...prayers for family and friends*

Bonnie Keen - April 06, 2022 at 05:10 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Roy Lee Cantrell*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - April 06, 2022 at 08:53 AM



“ *To all the Cantrell family, I'm sorry to hear of the passing of Roy Lee. Thoughts and Prayers for your family.*



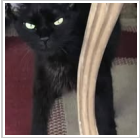
Ed & Karen Lester - April 06, 2022 at 08:04 AM



“ *Leroy & Angie Nelson lit a candle in memory of Roy Lee Cantrell*



Leroy & Angie Nelson - April 05, 2022 at 06:26 PM



“ *Davie Horton lit a candle in memory of Roy Lee Cantrell*



Davie Horton - April 05, 2022 at 12:38 PM