



Willard Lee Peery

July 18, 1946 - September 9, 2019

Willard Lee Peery, age 73 of Bandy, VA died Monday, September 9, 2019 at his home. He was born July 18, 1946 at McDowell County, WV and was a son of the late Alonzo and Irma Marie Gannon Peery. Willard had worked for many years as a Coal Miner for various local mining companies. Mr. Peery was a retired United States Army / Army National Guard Veteran, serving in the Middle East during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Mr. Peery was a member of Bravo Company 276th Engineer Battalion – United States Army National Guard in Cedar Bluff, VA and served his country for over twenty years; receiving many medals, citations, ribbons and awards recognizing his steadfast devotion and dedication to the defense of our beloved Nation. Willard enjoyed the simple pleasures of life; being with his family, especially his grandchildren, mowing, riding his 4-wheeler and “playing” on the computer. He attended the Pisgah Holiness Church and touched the lives of numerous people. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one daughter, Rachael Whitt; one grandson, Noah Peery; one half-sister, Virgie Marie Pack; six brothers, Carl Peery, Charles Peery, Elwood Peery, Kenneth Peery, Allen Peery and Raymond Peery.

Those who survive to cherish his memory include his loving wife of fifty-four years, Florence Harrington Peery; one daughter, Robin Lee Tabor and husband, Mark of Bandy, VA; one son, Mark Peery of Rock, WV; three sisters, Evelyn Burress and husband, Ervin of Knoxville, TN, Alice Malphus of

Millington, TN and Florence Smith and husband, Donnie of Ohio; one brother, Ronnie Peery and wife, Elaine of Ohio; eight grandchildren, Nikki Deel, Josh Tabor, Justin Tabor, Kelsey Delgado, Shanel Crouse, Levi Peery, Jessi Whitt and Zachary Whitt; six great-grandchildren, Keyonna Cordle, Cayden Cordle, Easton Whitt, Landen Whitt, Felix Cobb and Nathalie Delgado; a host of nieces; nephews; other family members and many friends also survive.

Funeral services for Willard Lee Perry will be conducted at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 12, 2019 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home Chapel in Tazewell, VA with Brother Danny Short and the Rev. Daniel Bradley officiating. Military Rites will be conducted by members of the Barns-Beavers VFW Post #7136 in Tazewell, VA.

Honoring his wishes, Willard's earthly body will be cremated following the funeral service.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, VA is serving the family of Mr. Peery and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **12.** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hurst- Scott Funeral Home of Tazewell
870 Main Street
Tazewell, VA 24651
(276) 988-7579
hsfhtaz@outlook.com

Funeral Service

SEP **12.** 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



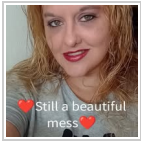
“ *Willard Lee Peery*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Willard Lee Peery*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *I wish I could have been there for you all. I'm so very sorry. Love everyone of you and praying daily*

Tamara Griffith - September 13, 2019 at 04:36 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Willard Lee Peery.*



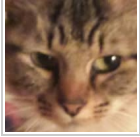
September 12, 2019 at 01:50 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - September 12, 2019 at 08:18 AM



“ *Heather Boothe sent a virtual gift in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



Heather Boothe - September 12, 2019 at 01:23 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Willard Lee Peery.*



September 11, 2019 at 10:44 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Willard Lee Peery.*



September 11, 2019 at 09:01 PM

PD

“ I have some really good memories of my dear sweet Uncle :) One that has always stayed with me is when I was a little girl. I think we may have all lived in Ohio at the time. Football season ! My day along with Uncle Willard & of course a couple more of the brothers would watch football all day long! I use to watch them & laugh at them because of how they acted watching their teams play & beat one of the other Uncles team! I will always remember those times of Dad & Uncle with a few others playing football in the yard. What a site that was to see! I Love you so much Uncle! Until we see each other again ! Now you have a whole team to play football with :)

Patty Dudleson - September 11, 2019 at 05:32 PM

WD

“ With love to you & the family- Patty Eddy Dudleson purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Willard Lee Peery.



With love to you & the family- Patty Eddy Dudleson -
September 11, 2019 at 05:17 PM

PD

“ Uncle Willard you were always my hero when I was growing up. One memory that has never left me was when we all lived in Ohio. I can remember football season & how the brothers would gather to watch their favorite teams play :) The yelling , jumping was so funny at times being a little girl watching grown men act that way over football! I remember my dad , You & a couple more of the uncles playing football in our yard! I will always cherish every memory of you! I love you Uncle ! Until we see each other again! Always & Forever

Patty Dudleson - September 11, 2019 at 04:57 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Willard Lee Peery.*



September 11, 2019 at 03:03 PM



“ *Brad-Ashley Cordle lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



Brad-Ashley Cordle - September 11, 2019 at 01:52 PM



“ *Robin I am so sorry got the loss of your dad. You and your family will be in my prayers. May God give you strength and comfort.*

Debbie Motley - September 11, 2019 at 10:04 AM



“ *Debbie Motley lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



Debbie Motley - September 11, 2019 at 10:03 AM

TW

“ From Kathy and Tivia. For Cayden and Keynnah



Tivia White - September 11, 2019 at 09:50 AM

KI

“ Kim lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery



Kim - September 11, 2019 at 04:04 AM

RM

“ I will always remember your contagious laugh, your handsome smile, and most of all your life talks and advice you always shared with me, especially about Sophia. I will cherish those talks and your amazing hugs forever. Give all our loved ones hugs and kisses and make sure you get a good card game in and win! I always rooted for you 😊 Fly high, Uncle, you are truly missed.

Rhonda McCoy - September 10, 2019 at 11:24 PM

RP

“ RIP Hero I love you and will miss you Uncle Willard.....🇺🇸

Richard P Pack - September 10, 2019 at 11:03 PM

RO

“ Willard & Flossie & their family are life long friends. He use to play softball with all of us boys and was a mentor to us all. I'll never forget his friendship and he had a way of making us all life! I'm not going to say Good-Bye rather, Until We Meet Again - In The Sweet Bye & Bye! Love ya buddy.

Rev. Wayne Osborne - September 10, 2019 at 11:00 PM

TH

“ I am so sorry for the families loss. Seems like yesterday I just saw him He was always nice no matter where he saw us at Prayers for the family!!

theresa - September 10, 2019 at 10:15 PM

PJ

I knew Willard when he and I were children. His dad and mom along with all the children would walk to my house at Rift to spend time with my dad and mom and my sister and me. My Dad and Mom were Clay and Thelma Penland. We loved the whole family and loved it when they visited. May Jesus comfort your hearts and wrap you in His arms during this sad time 💜

Pam Penland Jollie - September 11, 2019 at 04:31 PM

BE

“ Bonnie And Eugene lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery



Bonnie and Eugene - September 10, 2019 at 09:27 PM



“ *Audrey Tiller lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



Audrey Tiller - September 10, 2019 at 08:26 PM



“ *Donald Meade lit a candle in memory of Willard Lee Peery*



Donald Meade - September 10, 2019 at 06:16 PM