



Mr. Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley

April 11, 1941 - January 5, 2015

Big Stone Gap, VA

Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley, 73, passed away on Monday (January 5, 2014) at home.

He was born and raised in Big Stone Gap and was a 1959 graduate of Big Stone Gap High School. He attended the University of Miami, served in the U. S. Navy as an Electronics Tech, and was employed as a Journeyman plumber until his retirement in 2003.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Howard E. Bentley and Stella (McCracken) Bentley.

Surviving are two brothers, Eugene "Shang" Bentley of Big Stone Gap and Paul Bentley and wife, Bobbie of Madisonville, TN; three sisters, Barbara Giles and husband, Audnia and Belinda Rutherford and husband, Phillip, all of Duffield, VA, and Cherlene Reasor of Big Stone Gap; an uncle, Tommy McCracken and wife, Elizabeth; several nieces and nephews; and a special companion, Cadee Maroni.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 12 noon on Wednesday at Holding Funeral Home (17 E. 3rd St., N.) in Big Stone Gap. The funeral service will follow in the funeral home chapel at 12 noon on Wednesday with Pastor Rick Whitten officiating.

Military rites, by the Virginia National Guard Honors Team and local V.F.W. and D.A.V. posts, will follow at American Legion Cemetery.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

The family requests memorial donations be made to the Southwest Virginia Cancer Center, 671 U. S. Hwy 58 E, Norton, VA 24273.

To view the obituary online and offer condolences, please visit www.holdingfuneralhome.com.

Holding Funeral Home is serving the Bentley family.

Cemetery Details

American Legion Cemetery

5001 Powell Valley Road
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Holding Funeral Home, Inc.
17 E. 3rd St., N.
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Service

JAN 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Military Honors

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM

KS

“ *Barbara, so sorry to read of Bucky's passing.....I have such fond memories of working with you and also spending time at your family's home. Would love to see you sometime. Again, my deepest sympathy.*

Kay Surface - January 08, 2015 at 01:19 PM

KS

Kay Smith Surface

Kay Surface - January 08, 2015 at 01:22 PM

JG

“ *Joyce Cochran Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley*



Joyce Cochran Gardner - January 07, 2015 at 03:39 PM

PS

“ *Pat Shuler Statzer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley*



Pat Shuler Statzer - January 07, 2015 at 12:25 PM

JK

“ *Jim And Jamie Kelly lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur D. "Bucky" Bentley*



Jim and Jamie Kelly - January 07, 2015 at 09:12 AM

WR

“ Winfield H. Rose lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur D.
"Bucky" Bentley



Winfield H. Rose - January 06, 2015 at 07:41 PM

MM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Michael and Teresa Mason - January 06, 2015 at 09:00 AM