



Jesse E. Adams

December 15, 1927 - February 28, 2019

Big Stone Gap, Virginia

Jesse E. Adams, 91, of Big Stone Gap, departed this life on Thursday, February 28, 2019, at Norton Community Hospital. He was a life long resident of Wise County, born and raised on Thacker's Branch in Norton (where he was known as "Bud"), then moving to Powell Valley upon his marriage to the love of his life, Helen Ruth Hall in 1952. There he remained happily raising his family, gardening, hunting and fishing for over six decades. He loved the Lord, fervently studying and preaching The Word for over thirty years at Big Springs Baptist Church in Cracker's Neck. He retired from Witt Motor Company, Norton, Va. in 1990.

Mr. Adams was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Helen, his parents Clarence Ray and Amanda Franklin Adams, sisters Irene McAmis, Alma Adams, Ruth Adams, Billie Spears, brothers, Beryl and Don Adams.

He is survived by his son, James Randall Adams and wife Nancy of Anthony, Fla., granddaughter, Amanda Adams of Ocala, Fla., daughter, Suzanne Adams-Ramsey and husband Mark of Powell Valley, step-grandson, Caleb Ramsey (Jessica) of Wise, Va., sisters Sue Yarhouse of Richmond, Va., Louise Snodgrass (Carl) of Wise, Va., and Mary Doris Adams of Norton, Va.

The family will receive friends on Saturday, March 2, at Holding Funeral Home

from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. A graveside service will be conducted on Sunday, March 3 at 11:00 a.m. at American Legion Cemetery.

Those wishing to attend the interment service are asked to meet at the funeral home by 10:30 for the procession to the gravesite.

You may go online to view the obituary, sign the guest registry, or leave the family a condolence at www.holdingfuneralhome.com

Holding Funeral home is honored to serve the Adams family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Holding Funeral Home, Inc.
17 E. 3rd St., N.
P. O. Drawer H
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219
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Funeral Procession

MAR 3. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Burial

MAR 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

American Legion Cemetery
5001 Powell Valley Road
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219

Tribute Wall



“ *Jesse E. Adams*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Diana Collier lit a candle in memory of Jesse E. Adams*



Diana Collier - March 04, 2019 at 03:36 PM



Randy and Suzanne. I have very fond memories of spending time with you and your family. Your Mom and Dad were very special people and always made me feel at home when I was at your house. I am so sorry for your loss. Diana Fig Collier

Diana Collier - March 04, 2019 at 03:38 PM



“ *Suzanne and Randy, very sorrow on the passing of your Dad. Bud and Helen were special people and you were (like myself) blessed with wonderful parents. Bud was a great trout fisherman and he taught several of us boys from Pound all about the trout streams in the area. He also taught us a few things about life. He was a good man. God bless you all.*

*Larry Mullins
Pound, Virginia*

Larry Mullins - March 03, 2019 at 11:18 AM

DC

“ Sorry for the passing of your father. Thoughts and prayers to the family. Your parents was one of many great neighbors while living in the Valley. It's an honor to have them as neighbors and great friends. I'm sure they are in Heaven walking and talking with Victor. He love them. Donald and Kaye Collier

Donald and Kaye Collier - March 03, 2019 at 10:44 AM

CG

“ Our prayers are with you at this very hard time. May our loving Lord wrap His arms around you and give you comfort.
John & Carmon

Carmon Gilly - March 02, 2019 at 06:15 PM

CG

“ Powell Valley Presbyterian Church express our sorrow in the passing of a member of our community.

Carmon Gilly - March 02, 2019 at 06:11 PM

MG

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Jesse was a very special person and a beloved friend of the family. Goldie and Melissa Greene



Melissa Greene - March 02, 2019 at 04:37 PM



“ *Suzanne and Family,so sorry to hear of your dad's passing.you are in our Thoughts and Prayers.*



Janet Wilson - March 01, 2019 at 06:00 PM