



Rex Livesay

February 7, 1947 - September 6, 2021

Rose Hill, Virginia

Rex Livesay, 74, passed away on Monday, September 06, 2021 at Harlan ARH Hospital in Harlan KY.

Born in Lee County, Virginia; A lifelong resident of Rose Hill. The son of the late; Dana Livesay and Bessie (Cain) Turner. Rex worked for the railroad industry as a trackman for 25 years before returning home to Rose Hill, VA. He continued providing for his family as a mechanic at Rose Hill Truck Sales. His most enjoyable moments were spent working on cars, spending time with his children, and grandchildren. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend to all he encountered. Rex never met a stranger, and will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by 2 brothers: Paul Ray Livesay and Robert Livesay.

He is survived by his wife, Kathlene (Kathy) Livesay of the home; 5 children: Jacob Livesay and wife Pearlie Joe of Sneedville, TN; Calvin Livesay of Rose Hill, VA; Paul Ray Livesay and wife Elsie of Barborville, KY; Peggy Foster and husband Glen of Marion, KY; and Sandra Overton of Sneedville, TN. 4 brothers, 1 sister, 13 Granchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

Services and burial will be held privately by Holding Funeral Home of Rose Hill.

A memorial video has been created for family and friends at:
<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/7Y54JR3RC5FFSJZ4>

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 of Rose Hill, is honored to serve the family of Rex Livesay.

Tribute Wall



“ *Holding Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Rex Livesay*



Holding Funeral Home, Inc. - September 08, 2021 at 10:31 PM



“ *Rex Livesay*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Kathy Demi Monica and the rest of the family I am so sorry for your loss. I never met Rex but feel like I knew him from my sister Lou talking about him. I send love hugs and comfort to all. Just hold in your heart the memories of the times you had with him and know that he is on no more pain and he will be waiting for you with open arms when your time comes to join him. If there is anything that you need just let Lou know and she will contact me. Again so sorry for your loss God be with you all*

Barbara Scalf - September 09, 2021 at 10:49 AM

SG

“ I wouldn't know where to start with memories of Rex. He influenced my love for the mountains and the woods. He was like a 2nd dad to me. I learned a lot of good life lessons from him, When he came to my wedding ,in 2019may 18th , to Shelley Owens.it made my day to see him standing there. Rex and Dad were good friends. I'll miss them both

shannon Grabeel - September 09, 2021 at 09:41 AM

BS

“ Rex was a classmate at Thomas Walker High School in the 60s...he was always so much fun. Then when he worked at Grabell's in Rose Hill he was so helpful and kind. This sweet fellow is reaping his rewards...

Betty Y Smith - September 08, 2021 at 03:43 PM

MP

“ I don't know where to start Rex knew me and my brother since birth. We grew up with his boys and spent most of our free time at the pool hall. Sending love and prayers to his family. Love you Rex you will be missed but I am sure your with dad watching over us all now.

Maryellen (Eldridge) Pauley - September 07, 2021 at 08:50 PM

DW

Tyrone and I are so sorry for your loss and prayers for the families

Delores Wilson - September 07, 2021 at 10:28 PM

RB

“ Our condolences, Rex will be missed.

Roger(peanut) Baumgardner and family

Roger Baumgardner - September 07, 2021 at 06:39 PM



“ *My memory is when I first walked into the pool hall I didn't know anyone Rex and mama cat started talking to me low and behold Rex use to work with my nephew after that night we became really good friends. Rex you will deeply be missed I will see you again someday love you.*



claire louise barnett (lulu#2) - September 07, 2021 at 06:28 PM



Those was the days they was like a 2nd mom and dad used to change my dipper and I was a hellion sending my love to the family

Ej Eldridge - September 07, 2021 at 08:31 PM



“ *Peanut Baumgardner and Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Rex Livesay.*



Peanut Baumgardner and Family - September 07, 2021 at 05:42 PM