



## John Allen Long

January 25, 1940 - April 22, 2016

John Allen Long, age 76, of Rock Cave, the Gaines Community, died Friday, April 22, 2016. He was born on January 25, 1940, at Gaines, a son of the late Joe A. and Ruth Hamner Long. On May 5, 1972, he was united in marriage to Cheryl Lynn Pickens Long, who survives. Also surviving are two daughters: Heather Jo LongTrayer and husband Terry Trayer of Rock Cave and Courtney N. Long-Caroway and husband Jeremy Caroway of Morganton, NC; two grandchildren: Tyler N. and Zoei M. Trayer; three sisters: Barbara Ferren of Shinnston, Rita and husband Carl Watson of Walkersville, and Caroline Long of Buckhannon; and three brothers: Dale and Basil Long of Gaines and Donald Long and wife Martha of Arlington. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters: Ellen Jean Bennett and Martha Leuszler and four brothers: Andrew Dixon Long, Burl Long, Davis Ross Long, and Thomas Joe Long.

Mr. Long was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a fifty-year member of the Rock Cave Masonic Lodge #81 A.F. and A.M. He enjoyed farming, gardening, and tending his fruit trees, as well as hunting and fishing.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, April 26, 2016, from 4-7:00 PM, at the Rock Cave Independent Baptist Church. The body will lie in state at the Rock Cave Independent Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 27, 2016, from 11:00 AM-12:00 PM, the funeral hour, with Pastor David Jessie and Eugene

Helmick officiating. Interment will follow in the Salem Ridge Cemetery, where the Upshur County Honor Guard will conduct military honors and members of the Rock Cave Masonic Lodge #81 A.F. and A.M. will conduct graveside rites.

# Cemetery Details

**Salem Ridge Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

APR **26**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rock Cave Independent Baptist Church  
Rock Cave, WV 26234

### Lie-in-State

APR **27**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Rock Cave Independent Baptist Church  
Rock Cave, WV 26234

### Funeral Service

APR **27**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel and Cremation Services  
940 Route 20 South Road  
Buckhannon, WV 26201  
(304) 472-8024  
heavnerandcutright@aol.com  
<https://www.heavnerandcutright.com/>

# Tribute Wall

JC

“ *RIP Uncle John we love you.  
Jackie, Hannah, Gracie & Steve*

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**Jackie Carpenter** - April 28, 2016 at 08:45 PM

AL

“ *Alvin,Rena,Austin,Adele lit a candle in  
memory of John Allen Long*



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**Alvin,Rena,Austin,Adele** - April 27, 2016 at 10:37 AM

CS

“ *Was sorry to hear about John.*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

*I have many fond memories of John and his brothers and sisters in the "early days"--like 65 years ago--and John has been my contact with the Gaines community in recent years.*

*He will be missed.*

*Charles Shaw*

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**Charles Shaw** - April 27, 2016 at 10:11 AM

JH

“ Cheryl and Family, Although Penny and I are in Pennsylvania dealing with health issues for her sister Candy and sister-in-law Shirley, John's entire family is in our thoughts and prayers. I have enjoyed working with and just being acquainted with all the family. His passing is a tragic loss. John and Penny Haymond

John and Penny Haymond - April 26, 2016 at 01:40 PM

WM

“ With love and prayers from Dana M. McLean purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of John Allen Long.



With love and prayers from Dana M. McLean - April 26, 2016 at 11:32 AM



“ Sis, Heather, Courtney, and family I'm sorry for your loss, John was a good man and will be missed by everyone.

Larry D Pickens - April 26, 2016 at 09:02 AM

DL

“ Rest in peace,uncle John. Love dee Long

Dianne Long - April 25, 2016 at 10:04 PM

JP

“ Aunt Cheri, Heather, Courtney and family. Uncle John will truly be missed. If you need anything, give me a shout. Love you all.. May his soul rest in perfect peace. Jeanne Phillips and family

Jeanne Phillips - April 25, 2016 at 11:16 AM

JK

“ *Caroline, please know you and all the family is in my thoughts and prayers. I have lost many siblings and all we can do is remember all the good times and thank God they were in our lives. I love you dear friend. God Bless. Jerry Koon*

Jerry Koon - April 25, 2016 at 12:03 AM



“ *Heart felt hugs go out to you all. Love from Sandy Martin Fultz*



Sandy Fultz - April 24, 2016 at 09:47 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of John Allen Long.*



April 24, 2016 at 09:23 PM

RP

“ *Rocky & Samanna (Sam) Peck lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long*



Rocky & Samanna (Sam) Peck - April 24, 2016 at 07:15 PM

LW

“ Love Cynthia Henderson, Lucas Balajo, Bill and Nancy Wilson purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of John Allen Long.



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**Love Cynthia Henderson, Lucas Balajo, Bill and Nancy Wilson** - April 24, 2016 at 11:27 AM

DH

“ Delmis Hamner/Patty lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



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**Delmis Hamner/Patty** - April 24, 2016 at 08:03 AM

ST

“ Scotti Tomey lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



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**Scotti Tomey** - April 23, 2016 at 10:35 PM

JA

“ Joyce Alderman lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



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**Joyce Alderman** - April 23, 2016 at 10:34 PM

DW

“ Thank you so much John. Love you and will miss you dearly. Until I see you again my friend.

Denise Wright - April 23, 2016 at 09:29 PM

EC

“ Ersel & Norma Chidester lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



Ersel & Norma Chidester - April 23, 2016 at 08:16 PM

AW

“ Ann, Craig & Kat Wilson lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



Ann, Craig & Kat Wilson - April 23, 2016 at 08:13 PM

DB

“ Darrel Bickel lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long



Darrel Bickel - April 23, 2016 at 07:47 PM

DB

Cheryl wish to extend my condolences to you and the family in this time of need. May God Bless

Darrel Bickel - April 23, 2016 at 07:51 PM

MB

“ *Michael Brown lit a candle in memory of John Allen Long*



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**Michael Brown** - April 23, 2016 at 07:10 PM

JN

“ *Cheryl, my heart goes out to you and your family on the loss of your beloved husband. Sending love and prayers*  
*Janis Nelson*

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**Janis Nelson** - April 23, 2016 at 06:46 PM

DP

“ *Cheryl sorry to hear about your loss. You and your family will be in my thoughts*



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**Debbie Page** - April 23, 2016 at 06:32 PM

RP

“ *Love ya Uncle John fly high!! Love Ronda and family*



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**Ronda Perrine** - April 23, 2016 at 06:01 PM

BR

“ *Sincere condolences to the family. These things are never easy and we wish you rest and good memories. Our thoughts & prayers are with you.*

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**Bill Rymer** - April 23, 2016 at 03:59 PM