



Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley

September 15, 1950 - January 21, 2017

Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley, "Peabody," age 66, of Camden Avenue, Buckhannon, died Saturday, January 21, 2017, at his home. He was born on September 15, 1950, in Upshur County, a son of the late Boyd and Zelma "Belle" Kelley. He is survived by his wife and companion of 26 years, Norma Loudin Wayts-Kelley; two sons: Robert M. Kelley and wife Shasta of Buckhannon and Justin A. Kelley and wife Kim of Weston; one step son David J. Wayts and wife Cheryl of Buckhannon; one step daughter Marsha Wayts-Riffle of Buckhannon; seven grandchildren: Shelby, Desiree, Kesia, Dakota, Robert II, Cora, and Carbon; three step grandchildren: Natalie, Jeffrey, and Seth; seven great grandchildren and one on the way; one half-brother James Westfall and wife Sue of Rock Cave; one half-sister Patty Cutright of Rock Cave; one brother-in-law Thomas D. Loudin and wife Alice M. of French Creek; one sister-in-law Ok Chin Loudin of Ohio; one nephew Phillip A. Loudin and wife Heather of Ohio; and his beloved four-legged friend, Punky. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by one brother-in-law William H. Loudin.

Mr. Kelley was a veteran of the U.S. Army having served during the Vietnam War and was a life member of the VFW. He was an avid fan of football and Nascar and enjoyed camping, fourwheeling, fishing, and playing cornhole and darts.

It was Mr. Kelley's request that his body be donated to the Human Gift Registry of the West Virginia University School of Medicine.

Tribute Wall

BB

“ Bob was a good friend of Daves and they became friends from where they worked he also became my brother in law and gave us a wonderful little boy Justin we love you

Barbara Eckes Bailey - January 26, 2017 at 07:01 AM

JH

“ Robert Kelley family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss of Robert "Peabody". I have been friends with him and family members since childhood. You are in my thoughts and prayers.....John Haymond

John Haymond - January 23, 2017 at 12:17 PM

GF

Norma and family, so sorry for your loss.
Gary and Sarah Frush

Gary and Sarah Frush - January 23, 2017 at 06:58 PM

BZ

“ Barbara Zickefoose lit a candle in memory of Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley



Barbara Zickefoose - January 23, 2017 at 11:10 AM

LH

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. He will be missed. Our prayers are with you all.
Junior, Lori and Shelby Howes.

Lori Howes - January 23, 2017 at 09:04 AM

GH

“ Gloria Helmick lit a candle in memory of Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley



Gloria Helmick - January 23, 2017 at 08:17 AM

CB

“ Chelsea Bonner lit a candle in memory of Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley



Chelsea Bonner - January 23, 2017 at 05:50 AM

RS

“ Bob An Norma have been our neighbors for years An definitely a god send ... we needed anything or help Bob was there !!! He will be greatly missed.... Norma An the family are in our thoughts an prayers



Rhonda Harlow Suder - January 23, 2017 at 01:51 AM

BS

“ I lived next to Bob and Norma on Camden Ave. for just a few years but what a friendship we developed!! Bob was my "go to" for help constantly!! So much, when I would call and he'd see my number, he soon began answering(caller id) "what the hell do you want?" Such was our close friendship...just knowing they were there! Bob was a friend to all and will be sooooo missed . Prayers for Norma and all the family. Bonnie Sell

Bonnie Sell - January 22, 2017 at 06:39 PM

SH

“ Papaw i dont even know how to say how much i miss u. I didnt get to see u much in the end but i still love u so much. I hate that we didnt have more time but i kniw u will be watching ober me n my boys. I miss u so much n always will



Shelby - January 22, 2017 at 06:38 PM



To Robert's Family, I'm so sorry for your loss. We were childhood friends. Hadn't seen him in years but he was a good person. Praying for you and your family! Norman and Diana Riffle

Diana Riffle - January 22, 2017 at 08:45 PM

FR

“ You will be greatly missed fly high Bob

Frankie ryan - January 22, 2017 at 06:32 PM

FR

“ Frankie Ryan lit a candle in memory of Ralph Robert "Bob" Kelley



Frankie ryan - January 22, 2017 at 06:31 PM