



## Bartley W. McCracken

March 4, 1930 - April 6, 2015

McCracken, Bartley W., age 85 of Cameron, WV died Monday, April 6, 2015 in Ruby Memorial Hospital, Morgantown, WV.

He was born March 4, 1930 in Cameron, the son of the late Ray E. and Zanna Rutan McCracken.

He was a project manager with Otis Eastern Pipeline Co. of Wellsville, NY; a former employee of Carl Smith Pipeline, Sandyville, WV; the owner of Ridgeland Spring Farm, where he raised registered Black Angus cattle; and in the early years, he had a timber business with his family.

He was a member of Hillview Terrace Church of Christ, IUOE Pipeline Local #132, and the American Angus Association; he loved working on 4-H projects with his great-grandchildren; loved his collies, Prince, Missy, Rusty, Billy, Rex, Emma, and Angie; and he had a huge model train collection.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Raymond and Joseph McCracken; and his former spouse, Nadine Hughes McCracken.

Survivors include his wife of 39 years, Darlene Cross McCracken; five children, Pam (Jim) Menear of Mt. Morris, PA, Sheila (Dale) Estep, Bruce (Lynne) Crawford, all of New Martinsville, Robert (Celesta) Crawford of Beavertown, OH, and Rochelle (Claudia Roman) McCracken of Willow Springs, MO; a sister, Wilda Ross of Eustis, FL; ten grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Thursday from 4-8pm and Friday from 12 noon

until time of funeral service at 1pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville with Evangelist Andy Robinson officiating.

Interment in Paden Memorial Gardens, New Martinsville, WV.

Memorial contributions may be made to WV School of Preaching, PO Box 785, Moundsville, WV 26041.

# Cemetery Details

## Paden Memorial Gardens

RR 2 Box 449  
New Martinsville, WV 26155

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville  
400 Jefferson Ave  
Moundsville, WV 26041  
(304) 845-0400  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

APR 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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400 Jefferson Ave  
Moundsville, WV 26041  
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## Funeral Service

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APR 10. 1:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville  
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Moundsville, WV 26041  
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# Tribute Wall

LE

“ *My condolences to the entire family..he was an amazing man.*

Leyla - April 13, 2015 at 10:05 PM

BB

“ *i loved my uncle bartley so much he always made me happy and was always so loving he was taken too soon from this world but he is resting in heaven now watching over his family*

barbara boykin - April 10, 2015 at 01:35 PM

LB

“ *LOVE, BJ, DEE & BOB purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



LOVE, BJ, DEE & BOB - April 09, 2015 at 08:42 PM

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“ *The Family of Claudia Roman (Corky) purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



The Family of Claudia Roman (Corky) - April 09, 2015 at 12:32 PM

MC

“ Matt Chapman sends deepest sympathy. Worked for Bartley n helped him on his farm with tha cows n fence repair. He was very nice n funny. Fun to b around. Prayers to tha family.

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**michelle chapman** - April 09, 2015 at 11:31 AM



“ Sending thoughts and Prayers from my Dad , Jack Adrian.....He went to school with Bartley and played football with him. He is telling me many memories he and Bartley shared. Daddy wanted to come to visitation but he is not physically up to it at this time. We will keep you in our prayers.

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**Sherry Adrian Mackley** - April 09, 2015 at 09:07 AM

MW

“ Bartley was such a wonderful man...I met him while he worked on the pipeline here @ Berne (Lewisville, Ohio). My thoughts and prayers are with his family at such a difficult time.

Mary Lou Wikander  
Admin. Asst.-Spectra Energy  
Berne Compressor Station

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**Mary Lou Wikander** - April 09, 2015 at 07:23 AM

BM

“ MY HEARTFELT SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS ARE FOR ALL OF YOU AT THIS TIME. I WILL MISS MY "PEW BUDDY" AND KNOW THAT GOD HAS WELCOMED HIM HOME. LOVE AND HUGZ, BONNIE

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**BONITA MIHLBAUER** - April 08, 2015 at 09:39 PM

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“ *Asa M. Hughes purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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**Asa M. Hughes** - April 08, 2015 at 09:32 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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April 08, 2015 at 08:05 PM

LC

“ *Bartley was a strong man, deeply caring, and deeply spiritual. But I will always remember that slightly mischievous smile that would often spring forth. My condolences to the family. Sincerely, Lezetta Cook*

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**lezetta cook** - April 08, 2015 at 07:17 PM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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April 08, 2015 at 06:26 PM

DM

“ Dr. Joe and Marcia purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.



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Dr. Joe and Marcia - April 08, 2015 at 05:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.



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April 08, 2015 at 03:15 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.



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April 08, 2015 at 02:35 PM

JM

“ So sorry for your loss. Adam was very fond of Bartley.

Adam McDaniel and family



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Jimmi McDaniel - April 08, 2015 at 02:03 PM

BG

“ *Bill and Faye Gore purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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**Bill and Faye Gore** - April 08, 2015 at 09:45 AM

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“ *so sorry to hear about losing a brother operator. he will be missed in the pipeline world*



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**I U O E local 132** - April 08, 2015 at 09:30 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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April 07, 2015 at 10:56 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Bartley W. McCracken.*



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April 07, 2015 at 09:44 PM

SP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family at this time. Shirley Ann Polen and family*

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**Shirley Polen** - April 07, 2015 at 07:36 PM