



Gary Gray Yocum

March 8, 1939 - November 25, 2023

Gary Gray Yocum, age 84, of New Martinsville, WV, passed away Saturday, November 25, 2023, at WVU Medicine Wheeling Hospital Wheeling, WV. He was born March 8, 1939, in Silver Hill, WV, a son of the late Jerald Sherwood Yocum and Mildred May (Cook) Yocum Miller.

He was retired from customer relations at the former East Ohio Gas Co. and a member of the First Church of God New Martinsville, WV. Gary was an avid hunter and fisherman. He loved to be outdoors, working with wood, and building things.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Amber Yocum and a sister, Jeanna Sue Fox.

Survivors include his wife of 64 years, LaVerne Hurley Yocum; a son, Cris (Michele) Yocum of Wadsworth, OH; a daughter, Sulinda (Daniel) Betts of Sardis, OH; four grandchildren, Aaron (Alison) Yocum, Jason Yocum, Kalyn (John) Davis and Grace Betts; six great grandchildren, Ellie Scott, Hampton Davis, Olive Scott, Hannah Davis, Iris Yocum and Beckett Davis.

Family will receive friends on Tuesday, Nov. 28, 2023, from 11am until time of service at 12:00 pm at the First Church of God 255 Russell Ave. New Martinsville, WV, with Rev. Daniel Betts officiating.

Interment will be at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements entrusted to Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory New Martinsville, WV.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charity of Donor's Choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **28**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First Church of God
255 Russell Avenue
New Martinsville, WV 26155

Funeral Service

NOV **28**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary Gray Yocum.*



November 27, 2023 at 02:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gary Gray Yocum.*



November 27, 2023 at 01:29 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gary Gray Yocum.*



November 27, 2023 at 01:06 PM



“ *Carl and I send our love and prayers to LaVerne and the family. We have so many precious memories of our years of friendship. May the Lord comfort be very real to each of you.*

Eileen Clay - November 27, 2023 at 07:30 AM

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“ All my love, La Donna Thomas purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gary Gray Yocum.



All my love, La Donna Thomas - November 26, 2023 at 07:14 PM

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“ All my love, La Donna Thomas planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary Gray Yocum.

All my love, La Donna Thomas - November 26, 2023 at 07:14 PM

BE

“ A good neighbor. Sorry to here of his passing.

Bill Estep - November 26, 2023 at 04:40 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gary Gray Yocum.



November 26, 2023 at 12:20 PM

LJ

“ Gary was a great friend to me. I will surely miss him❤️

Linda Johnson - November 26, 2023 at 07:49 AM

BW

“ *He will be greatly missed. Always joking around and smiling.*

Betsy Westfall - November 25, 2023 at 08:51 PM