



## Larry R. Babe

March 25, 1948 - February 10, 2019

Larry R. Babe, age 70, of Paden City, WV, died Sunday, February 10, 2019 at Sistersville General Hospital, Sistersville, WV.

He was born March 25, 1948 in New Martinsville, WV, a son of the late Glenn H. and Betty Lou Adams Babe.

He was a retired safety superintendent for Bayer and was a safety advisor at Blue Racer, a U.S. Army Vietnam Veteran, attended the Steelton Church of Christ, and was a member of Moose Lodge #931 New Martinsville, VFW Post #6327 of Sistersville and American Legion Post 28, New Martinsville.

Survivors include his wife of 30 years, Connie Stewart Babe; a daughter, Valerie (Beau) Hammel and a step daughter, Melissa (Dale Sapp) Smith, both of New Martinsville; considered son, Kurt Koerber of Cape Coral, FL; two brothers, Gregory S. (Carla) Babe of Mt. Lebanon, PA and Eric (Rhonda) Babe of New Martinsville, WV; two sisters, Glenna L. Babe of Winston Salem, NC and Machel Ann (Hans) Babe of Grand Junction, CO; two grandchildren, Kameron and Amber Hammel

Family will receive friends on Wednesday from 2-4 & 6-8 pm at the Grisell Funeral Home 751 Third St. New Martinsville, WV, where services will be held on Thursday at 11:00 am with Evangelist Edward Melott officiating.

Interment will follow in Northview Cemetery, New Martinsville with Military Honors.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association 162 Court St. Charleston, WV 25301.



# Cemetery Details

## Northview Cemetery

219 N. State Rt. 2  
New Martinsville, WV 26155

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 13. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville  
751 Third Street  
New Martinsville, WV 26155  
(304) 455-1800  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

FEB 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville  
751 Third Street  
New Martinsville, WV 26155  
(304) 455-1800  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Funeral Service

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FEB 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville

751 Third Street

New Martinsville, WV 26155

(304) 455-1800

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# Tribute Wall

CS

“ CATHY NOLAN SCOTT sent a virtual gift in memory of Larry R. Babe



CATHY NOLAN SCOTT - February 13, 2019 at 12:15 PM

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“ CATHY NOLAN SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Larry R. Babe



CATHY NOLAN SCOTT - February 13, 2019 at 12:14 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.



February 13, 2019 at 10:17 AM

JT

“ Valerie, so sorry to hear about the death of your dad. May God comfort you during this time. Hugs and prayers to you and your family! Mike and Jana Turner

jana turner - February 13, 2019 at 09:54 AM

VH

*Thank you so much. Very much appreciated*

**valerie hammel** - February 13, 2019 at 11:00 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.*



February 12, 2019 at 07:55 PM

RR

“ *The friends and neighbors on Doolin Run Rd wish to express their sympathies for your loss and have made a memorial contribution to the American Heart Association in his memory.*

*Contributors*

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*Jim and Carolyn Andenora*  
*Brad and Connie Burrough*  
*Kevin and Cathy Durig*  
*Lee and Barbara Fitzsimmons*  
*Garry and Anita Harlan*  
*Norman Ice*  
*Elda Jobes*  
*Eldon and Ardith Kocher*  
*Harold and Betty Lemasters*  
*Genelda Mason*  
*Ken and Vivian Parks*  
*Rusty and Trina Powell*  
*Ray and Margie Renaud*  
*Alan Rush*  
*Doretta Rush*  
*Drexell Wood*

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**Raymond H Renaud** - February 12, 2019 at 05:56 PM

VH

*Thank you all so very much. The donation is very much appreciated*

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**valerie hammel** - February 13, 2019 at 11:02 AM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.*



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February 12, 2019 at 01:44 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.*



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February 12, 2019 at 01:42 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
May your memories of Larry R. Babe, give you peace, comfort and strength...  
  
Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.  
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.  
My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....  
  
US Army Veteran, Larry R. Babe, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†  
  
† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - February 12, 2019 at 05:27 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.*



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February 11, 2019 at 03:18 PM



“ *So very sorry for you all, Connie prayers for comfort in these bad times. I dearly loved Larry and I love you. Such a great guy, he will be missed so much. God bless you all.*

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**Michael Hartman** - February 11, 2019 at 03:12 PM



“ *Connie, Bob and I are so sorry to hear about Larry. Please know that we are thinking of you and are sending prayers and hugs. Our deepest sympathy.*

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**Nancy Rosera** - February 11, 2019 at 11:58 AM

RP

“ *Aunt Connie, so sorry for your loss. He will be greatly missed. Remember you and Larry helping out Alan and his Dad when he had the four wheelin accident in WV. Your family will be in our prayers during this difficult time. Love, Alan and Robin Page and family*

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**Robin Page** - February 11, 2019 at 11:02 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Larry R. Babe.*



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February 11, 2019 at 10:16 AM

CD

“ *Larry me I were best friend in high school along with being cousins. We went out every weekend to the races when possible. He was a wonderful, loving guy. I will miss him so much. May God hold his family in his comforting arms and give them peace as only he can, knowing that one day you I'll meet again. I love you all.*

*Connie Dakan*

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**Connie Dakan** - February 11, 2019 at 09:49 AM



“ *I Love You Dad! I Miss You So Much Already! I'm Coming Home!*

**Kurt Koerber** - February 10, 2019 at 10:12 PM

CW

“ *Connie, so sorry for your loss Our Prayers are with you all. Clyde & Kay Weekley*

**Clyde & Kay Weekley** - February 10, 2019 at 10:08 PM

SA

“ *So sorry, prayers to you all, miss good old days with Larry and Connie, back when.*

**Sally anderson** - February 10, 2019 at 07:30 PM



“ *When Greg and I were growing up you was our hero. The older brother who took life with a smile on his face regardless of the circumstance. You was the brother with the fast motorcycles and fast cars. You was the brother who went off to serve your country as your father had. You was the brother who let Greg and I stay at your house so you could enjoy taking us to a Pirates game. Im going to miss you and you will always be our hero.*



**Thomas Powell** - February 10, 2019 at 06:27 PM

BF

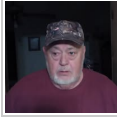
*Connie, I'm so sorry to hear this, my prayers are with you and the family*

**Barbara Fitzsimmons** - February 10, 2019 at 11:52 PM

SD

*Connie, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We are very sorry for your loss.*

**Sprouse Windows and Doors** - February 11, 2019 at 10:20 AM



*Connie You are in our thoughts and prayers, May you be wrapped in the comfort only God can give! Love to you and your family.. Ray and Thelma*

**Ray Ice** - February 12, 2019 at 08:17 PM