



Loren Drew Romick

January 22, 1960 - March 4, 2017

Loren D. Romick died March 4, 2017 at his home in Sardis. He was born January 22, 1960 to Lawrence and Delores (Jones) Romick. He married Charlotte Schafer on October 25, 1997. They have two children: Olivia and Carson, both of the home.

In addition to his parents, Lawrence and Delores, he is survived by siblings Shelley (Phil) Hulse and Karen Romick of Sardis, Colleen (Carl) Clark of Columbus, and Kyle (Kathy) Romick of Milford. He leaves nephews and nieces: Leah Hulse, Ethan (Trista) Hulse, Mariah (Ronny) Warrington, Hilary (Josh) McCain, Chelsey (Michael) McGuire, Caitlin Romick, Elijah Romick, two great-nieces Jocelyn and Avery Hulse and one great-nephew Niemann Warrington.

Loren owned Regal Photography and loved his work with photography and working with the people he photographed. He was active in many community and school projects.

Loren had many talents; all of which he used to bring glory to God. He was a gifted speaker, musician, and songwriter. He attended Mt. Olive Church all of his life and for the past several years was the lay speaker, worship leader, and a Sunday school teacher. He received a Masters of Divinity degree, but continued as a lifetime student of the Bible. He was a minister, counselor, and friend to many. He touched countless lives. He was a devoted son, brother, husband, friend, and a loving and dedicated father to his beloved children.

The family can draw comfort that he is now in the presence of Jesus, whom

he loved most of all.

Family will receive friends on Tuesday from 2-4 & 6-8 at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory 751 Third St. New Martinsville, where services will be held on Wednesday at 11 am with Mark Roberts officiating.

Interment will follow in Mount Olive Cemetery, Sardis, OH

Contributions can be made to: Loren Romick Memorial Fund c/o Peoples Bank 1142 S. Bridge St, New Martinsville, WV 26155.

Sympathy expressions at grisellfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olive Cemetery

County Road 10
Sardis, OH 43946

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 7. 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

MAR 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAR 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RI

“ *Ricksnyder lit a candle in memory of Loren
Drew Romick*



Ricksnyder - November 21, 2017 at 06:08 PM

RI

I just want to tell you how sorry I am to hear about Lauren I didn't know him all that well but I knew Shelly and I knew Karen and briefly Larry and I'm just so sad to hear that this happened to my heart goes out to the whole family and God bless you all and keep you safe and I know that Lawrence In the Arms of Jesus take care of yourself now God bless you all

Ricksnyder - November 21, 2017 at 06:09 PM

RI

Sorry I meant to say Lauren these phones don't always catch everything just right but anyway God bless and be with you all forever and ever amen

Ricksnyder - November 21, 2017 at 06:10 PM

KG

“ *Sorry to hear of Loren's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends. With deepest sympathy, Doug, Carolyn and Karen Goff and Mary McGrew*

Karen Goff - March 10, 2017 at 09:32 PM

MS

“ Romick Family,

I am so sorry for your loss. Just seeing Loren a few days ago as he was comforting me during my troubled time really tells you how wonderful of a person he was and how precious life is. You are all in my thoughts and prayers!

Mike Snell

Mike Snell - March 08, 2017 at 02:37 PM



BR

“ *I grew up playing sports with Loren. He was such a good person and friend. I was privilege to run into him and his father a couple years ago. What a fine man he had become. I was just heart broken to learn of his passing. I have great memories of him and his family that I will cherish till the day I pass. Thoughts and prayers for all his family and friends. God bless you. Billy Rose*

Bill Rose - March 07, 2017 at 11:43 PM

TV

“ *Terry Valentine lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick*



Terry Valentine - March 07, 2017 at 11:12 PM

BH

“ Loren was one of the nicest and most talented people that I have ever met. He touched many lives with his teaching and his music. I will always remember my family's time at Mt. Olive and the very positive influence that Loren had there, especially on the youth. Like all of the Romick family, he was an example to everyone of the way that a true Christian should live. He was a Christian, not only in his words, but also in his deeds. He was always ready to help anyone that needed help.

I give my condolences to all of his wonderful family. I know that Loren will be greatly missed by everyone. I pray that God will give the family peace and comfort. They can also find comfort in knowing that Loren will be in Heaven.

Bob Hensel - March 07, 2017 at 11:00 PM

BW

“ I knew Loren through volunteer DJ work at Christian radio station in Moundsville many years ago. Sweet man and our comfort is that he is definitely in Heaven. I am sorry for the loss for the family especially. Our communities will definitely miss him.

Betsy Westfall - March 07, 2017 at 07:20 PM

 Mary Willey

“ Mary Willey lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick



Mary Willey - March 07, 2017 at 05:18 PM

Mary Willey

“ Larry, Deloris, Shelley, Karen, Kyle, Colleen and Charlotte, Olivia and Carson
I send you my deepest sympathy. I have a lot of wonderful memories of Loren when we were much younger all the Bible school and Sunday School classes. He was a wonderful Photographer he understood how to get the very best picture. Loren was a very proud daddy he always had something to share about his kids. He will be missed. God Bless you all
Bruce sends condolences to the family.
Mary Willey and Bruce Richmond

Mary Willey - March 07, 2017 at 05:06 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Loren Drew Romick.



March 07, 2017 at 01:15 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Loren Drew Romick.



March 07, 2017 at 10:12 AM

JB

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Romick family.*



Jean Brown - March 07, 2017 at 08:10 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Loren Drew Romick.*



March 07, 2017 at 07:58 AM

DW

“ *It was such a privilege to work with Loren in ministry at Mount Olive Methodist Church. Loren was such a humble servant - full of love and the Spirit. He will be profoundly missed. Blessings,
Pastor Dennis & Gina Williams
"Long Reach Charge"
New Matamoras United Methodist Church
Sardis United Methodist Church
Salem Hall United Methodist Church
Mount Olive United Methodist Church*



Dennis Williams - March 07, 2017 at 07:48 AM

SB

“ I remember singing with Loren in the Ecclesia ministry group and going to Monday night Bible study with him. He was always smiling and such a sweet person. May God comfort his family during this time and help you find peace knowing he is with his Lord.

Sylvia (Coss) Brackbill

Sylvia Brackbill - March 07, 2017 at 06:20 AM

CL

“ This gentle soul walked into my life at a trivial time for my family as my wife was dealing with cancer. Loren touched me in a way that is truly **THE WORK OF THE LORD** with his utter kindness and musical abilities. I purchased one of his cd's and listen to it quite often. At a time when we wonder why these things happen, I trust in **GOD** that his plan is in place. Today and in the coming days the Romick family will be at the center of my thoughts. **MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES.**



In Christian Love, Curt Lindner

Curt Lindner - March 07, 2017 at 06:09 AM

BR

“ Sincere sympathy to all the Romick family for your loss. May your many memories offer you comfort in the days ahead. My thoughts & prayers are with all of you at this time.

Barbara Rush - March 07, 2017 at 06:03 AM

ES

“ Our deepest and heartfelt sympathy to Loren's wife, children, family and all the Romicks. When we visited relatives in Sardis, we would always enjoy the Sunday morning service at Mt. Olive. Many times we would hear Loren's excellent, scriptural based sermons. One could tell he loved the Lord and was a good, genuine person. As Loren now rests in peace with his Lord and Savior, even though far too early, may you continue trusting in Jesus and lean on Him as you go through this difficult journey. We are so sorry. Our love and prayers.

Eldon and Karen (Murphy) Sheffer - March 06, 2017 at 09:10 PM

KS

“ I remember the special young man I went to High School with and know he became even more special through the rest of his life. His love and commitment to his family, friends, and community are evidenced by the many tributes posted here and elsewhere. For his family, know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Kathy Straub - March 06, 2017 at 09:07 PM

VI

“ Kathy, Kyle and family, Sorry for the loss of your brother-in-law and brother. Prayers to you and your family.
Vicki Vanchure



Vicki - March 06, 2017 at 08:50 PM

JH

“ *Janell Harlan lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick*



Janell harlan - March 06, 2017 at 08:31 PM

KD

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Romick families during this difficult time! Loren was such a great man and asset to his community. He will be missed! Paul and Katrinka (Bolen) Durig*

Katrinka Durig - March 06, 2017 at 05:52 PM

DC

“ *We are so sorry for your loss.
Diana Repco Van Camp and Keith Van Camp*

diana van camp - March 06, 2017 at 05:51 PM

SK

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Loren's passing.I have only wonderful memories of him from 35+ years ago in our many times of fellowship, and singing in Ekklesia all those years.All of my memories of the whole Romick family are precious, and I grieve for you as you must walk through this terrible loss.May the solid trust you have in Jesus be your comfort and strength in these hours, days, weeks, and months ahead.Tim and I, and our family, are praying for you all. With love in Jesus, our Lord and Savior, Sandy (Roberts) Klepac*

Sandy Klepac - March 06, 2017 at 04:54 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Loren Drew Romick.*



March 06, 2017 at 04:31 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers go to entire Romick family.*

Snooks and Brenda Salisbury

snooks salisbury - March 06, 2017 at 04:30 PM



“ *Cris And Tonya Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick*



Cris and Tonya Jenkins - March 06, 2017 at 03:09 PM



“ *I went to high school with Loren. He was one of the nicest guys ever. I was so sadden and heartbroken to hear of his passing. A gentle and wonderful man. I will so miss seeing his photography. Thoughts and prayers for his family and friends. ❤️❤️❤️*

Denise Saffell Johnson - March 06, 2017 at 02:52 PM

CD

I went to high school with Loren. He was such a sweet gentleman. Loved catching up with him at all the RHS games. We will miss his gentle heart and his wonderful photographs. Praying for his family as they face the days ahead. Love and prayers.

Calleen Dunfee - March 06, 2017 at 07:18 PM

RD

I remember hearing part of Loren's sermon series on the Lord's Prayer. He used powerpoint and taught about the Bible so effectively. Our prayers are with the Mount Olive UMC congregation, the family members and all who understand that this is a great loss. May we carry on by praying and sharing the faith as Jesus taught us to do.

Rev. Gail Angel, DS - March 06, 2017 at 08:38 PM

AM

*“ I had the pleasure of knowing Loren many years ago when we were both a part of the Ecclesia music ministry. I'm praying that his family will find comfort in knowing that his soul is at rest with His Savior.
Amy (Burkhart) Modena*

Amy Modena - March 06, 2017 at 02:26 PM

MC

“ Mary Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick



Mary Carpenter - March 06, 2017 at 02:06 PM

DF

“ *Dee Ann Cochran Luburgh Family lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick*



Dee Ann Cochran Luburgh family - March 06, 2017 at 01:12 PM

CF

“ *Dear Charlotte & family, You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Carol Howell Farrell - March 06, 2017 at 01:09 PM

MM

“ *Maple Mercer lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew Romick*



Maple Mercer - March 06, 2017 at 12:59 PM

KS

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Loren's untimely passing. It has been years since I have seen you all but continue to love you just the same. Please know that we all have been praying for you! God bless!*

Kim Smith - March 06, 2017 at 12:56 PM

AA

“ *May God wrap your family in his loving arms. I pray for peace and comfort for all.*

Angel Armann - March 06, 2017 at 12:51 PM

AF

“ Thoughts and prayers for all of the family.
Love and hugs to Charlotte, Olivia and
Carson.



Amy (Fox) Cook and family - March 06, 2017 at 12:30 PM

WI

“ Willie lit a candle in memory of Loren Drew
Romick



Willie - March 06, 2017 at 12:22 PM

MF

“ Thoughts and prayers to you all. Loren was such a nice man and
will be missed dearly.

Mike, Beth, Nate Fletcher - March 06, 2017 at 12:12 PM

SF

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers !



Sam and Carol Fox - March 06, 2017 at 12:07 PM

CD

“ Please accept my heart felt sympathy for the loss of Loren.
Carolyn Jack Dunfee

Carolyn Jack Dunfee - March 06, 2017 at 11:53 AM

BW

“ To all of Loren's Family,
Our hearts are heavy as we lift you up in prayer at this sad time.
Loren was a light to all with whom he came in contact. We are
praying that you feel God's arms around you now as you lay your
dear one to rest and in the future as you strive to go on serving God
and our risen Lord. Love Bart and Joyce Wiggins

Bart & Joyce Wiggins - March 06, 2017 at 11:40 AM

NF

“ Natalie Fox lit a candle in memory of Loren
Drew Romick



Natalie Fox - March 06, 2017 at 10:55 AM

NF

I knew Loren in High School. He was always a very kind person.
Prayers for his family. (Natalie Coss Fox)

Natalie Fox - March 06, 2017 at 10:56 AM

DL

I was so sad and shocked to hear about Loren. I have many great memories of him, especially with Eklessia, Exodus, and all of those Monday night meetings we used to attend many years ago. in the last few years, I didn't see Loren as often, but he always greeted me with a smile when we did run into each other, at a Paden City school event, or at the Post Office. My love and prayers go out for all of the family, that you can rest in God's comfort at this time.

Debbie Loy - March 06, 2017 at 11:34 AM

PE

Sending prayers to all the families! Loren was a great person. He will be sadly missed.

penni - March 06, 2017 at 12:25 PM

PB

Sending prayers and hugs to the Romick family~~Loren was such a kind and loving man who loved all his family and God !!

patty Blake - March 06, 2017 at 12:33 PM

JF

Loren will be greatly missed by all who knew him form his family and friends. He was one of a small list that when asked how we know each other or for how long , we came up with the best answer " since the church nursery ". He will also be missed at your Class reunions; Memorial Day Services; Community events. His community is greatly sadden by his lose, our love and support and paryers goes out to his family.

Joyce Fetty - March 06, 2017 at 12:57 PM

NS

So sorry to hear about Loren. I remember waiting on him at the Bank (Doolin) for many years. My prayers will with you and your family.

Nancy Saltz - March 06, 2017 at 02:04 PM

MN

My thoughts and Prayers Go out to the Romick family..you must have comfort in knowing he is with our Lord Jesus. Some day we will all be together again.

Martha Neff - March 06, 2017 at 05:55 PM

PL

My heart and prayers are with Loren's family. I appreciated listening to his sermons when visiting down at Mt. Olive. I know he is terribly missed by his family, community, and church family. Makes a person remember anytime we can be called home. We need to draw closer and closer to Jesus our Dear Lord and Saviour.....RIP Dear Brother.....

Pearl Lee - March 06, 2017 at 09:36 PM

KP

Heartfelt sympathy to Loren's family. David and I went to school with Loren, who always was a sweet and kind person. Knowing that Loren served and loved the Lord can bring peace to all who knew him.

Kim & David Pugh - March 06, 2017 at 11:10 PM

TB

I went to high school with Loren and remember him as a kind young man. So happy to hear of his strong faith and sharing the Word with others.. From all the comments posted, he certainly left a mark on many people. My thought & prayers for his family.

Tammy Wagnild Blake

Tammy Blake - March 07, 2017 at 05:24 AM

PN

*Romick Family,
My deepest sympathy on the very sudden death of Loren. May God wrap his hands around all of you to bring comfort, love, and peace at this most difficult time.
In Christian Love, Pandora*

Pandora Neuhart - March 07, 2017 at 05:40 AM