



Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.

March 13, 1955 - May 14, 2022

Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey, Sr. age 67, of New Martinsville, WV, passed away Saturday, May 14, 2022, at WVU Reynolds Memorial Hospital Glen Dale, WV.

He was born March 13, 1955, in New Martinsville, WV, a son of the late Harry "Beffo" Ritchard and Mary Katherine Davis Starkey.

He was a retired coal miner at Consol Energy, Harvey Mine in PA., a Methodist by faith, and a member of Moose Lodge #931 and Sons of the American Legion Post 28, both of New Martinsville.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Ray L. Starkey Jr.

Survivors include his wife of 19 years, Cindy Campbell Starkey; two stepdaughters, Heather Carroll of OH and Christy Fulks of Middlebourne, WV; a sister, Violet "Marie" Butcher of New Martinsville; three half-brothers, James Hartline, George Hartline and Jack Hartline; a half-sister, Aleatha Howell; several step grandchildren and great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, including A.C. (Larry) Wade and David R. (Randie) Glendening and three special great nieces, Shyana Glendening, Britney Wade and Breanna Wade.

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

Interment will follow in Craigs Chapel Cemetery New Martinsville, WV.

Cemetery Details

Craigs Chapel Cemetery

Old Route 7
New Martinsville, WV 26155

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 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

MAY 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Cindy I'm so sorry to hear of Beffo's passing. He was the big ornery brother I never had. He was such a huge part of our family working for mom and dad for many years and helping them out when he could after dad closed the business. He was a true friend to all of us and he will be missed. Prayers to you and the family.

JuDeen Cox - May 19, 2022 at 09:47 AM

BL

“ Blumling Family - Eugene, Kathy, and Liz purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr..



Blumling Family - Eugene, Kathy, and Liz - May 18, 2022 at 08:38 AM

LD

“ So sorry to hear of Raymond's passing. We were in the same class of 74. Anytime I saw him he had a big smile on his face and would ask how I was doing. My prayers to his family. Rest in peace my friend...

Liz Ellis Durant - May 17, 2022 at 03:36 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr..



May 17, 2022 at 11:28 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr..*



May 17, 2022 at 06:47 AM



“ *Betty Ann Mitchell- Thomas lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.*



Betty Ann Mitchell- Thomas - May 16, 2022 at 05:10 PM



“ *Cindy, Marie, Aletha, and AC,
I am so sorry to hear of Raymond's passing. He was a great person. He would help out anyone. Cindy, he truly loved you and you were soul mates. There aren't any words to express my sorrow for all of you. Prayers for all of you now.*

Betty Ann Mitchell- Thomas - May 16, 2022 at 05:08 PM



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May 16, 2022 at 03:31 PM

K/

“ Kathy /Monahan/Harman sent a virtual gift in memory of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.



Kathy /Monahan/Harman - May 16, 2022 at 09:09 AM

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PR

“ Peggy Riggs lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.



Peggy Riggs - May 16, 2022 at 01:48 AM

PR

Prayers for his family

Peggy Riggs - May 16, 2022 at 01:50 AM

BL

“ Ray was a wonderful person, caring, and do anything for anyone. Ray was hard working and quiet funny, when he wanted. We will miss him, and pray family can move on. God bless.

Brian Lancaster - May 15, 2022 at 08:55 PM

SH

“ Raymond was always a good friend, a very sweet guy who will be missed. Prayers for the family

Sherry Hill - May 15, 2022 at 08:48 PM

DS

“ Debbie Smith lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.



debbie smith - May 15, 2022 at 08:21 PM

WE

“ I am sadden to learn of Beffo's passing. I worked many hours with him at New Martinsville Ambulance Squad. A man that would give you the shirt off of his back - if you needed it. Rest in Peace! Prayers for your family!

Weldon - May 15, 2022 at 06:15 PM

KM

“ Kathy Monahan/Harman lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Beffo" Leonard Starkey Sr.



Kathy Monahan/Harman - May 15, 2022 at 04:06 PM

JS

Beffo was sure a good brother n law when he was married to my sister Anna lea wade starkey and they a such a handsome son raymond starkey jr now raymond is up there with ray ray and Anna sure do miss you all and love you all

Jessica sayer - May 15, 2022 at 06:11 PM