



## Richard D. Kurpil

May 4, 1941 - March 29, 2021

Richard D. Kurpil, age 79, of Benwood, WV passed away Monday, March 29, 2021 at Wheeling Hospital, Wheeling, WV.

He was born May 4, 1941, in Independence, PA, the son of the late John and Ann Kurpil.

Richard was a supervisor at Weirton Steel with forty three years of service and a USMC Veteran. He was a member of the Sherrard Volunteer Fire Department for 35 years; a member of the Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church and a former member of the VFW. He was a WVU Mountaineer fan and enjoyed stock car racing.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his first wife, Janet Martin Kurpil and one brother, Stanley Kurpil.

Survivors include his wife, Lois Arnold Kurpil; one daughter, Pamela (George) Bahre of Meriden, CT; one grandson, Matthew Bahre of Meriden, CT; two brothers, John (Lillian) Kurpil of Moundsville, WV and Joseph Kurpil of GA; one sister, Pauline Kurpil of OH; two step-children, Tina (Tim) Atwood of Greenville, SC and Suzanne (Michael) Harrigan of Beverly Hills, FL; three step-grandchildren, Taryn and Tyler Atwood and Jessica Duffy and three step-great grandchildren; Zoey, Chloe and Sophia.

Family will receive friends on Wednesday from 4-7pm and Thursday from noon-1pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 1 Ridgecrest Road, Bethlehem/Wheeling, where funeral services will be held on Thursday at 1pm with Rev. Keith Forkey officiating. The Moundsville Honor Guard will be

conducting military services.

Interment in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville, WV.

Memorial contributions may be made to Sherrard Volunteer Fire Department,  
3489 Fairmont Pike Road, Wheeling, WV.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Cemetery

Round Bottom Hill Rd.  
Moundsville, WV

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory- Wheeling/Bethlehem  
1 Ridgecrest Road  
Bethlehem/Wheeling, WV 26003  
(304) 232-0400  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

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

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## Funeral Service

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APR 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard D. Kurpil*



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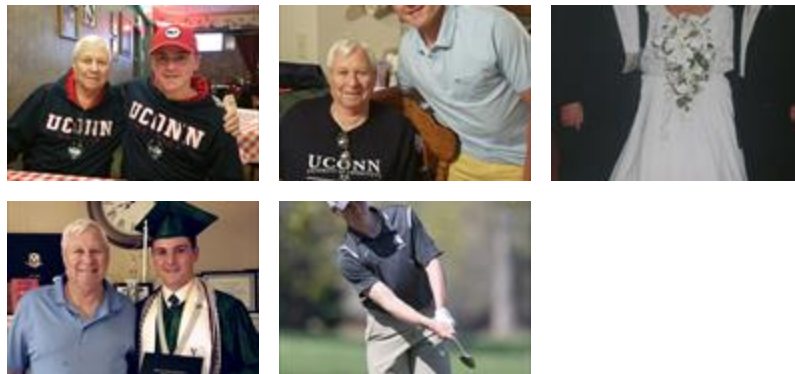
“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
 May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
 May your memories of Richard D. Kurpil, give you peace, comfort and strength...  
  
 Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. 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 Marine Veteran, Richard D. Kurpil, 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** - March 30, 2021 at 10:36 AM

  
 Pamela  
 Kurpil-  
 Bahre

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**Pamela Kurpil-Bahre** - March 30, 2021 at 09:21 AM