



## Roger "Jim" E. Powell

January 9, 1927 - January 20, 2023

Roger "Jim" E. Powell, age 96 of New Martinsville, WV passed away peacefully Friday, January 20, 2023, at his home.

He was born January 9, 1927, in New Martinsville, WV, son of the late Russell Edward and Amy Florence Hamilton Powell.

Jim was retired from Monarch Rubber of Hartsville, OH after 35 years, and returned to New Martinsville. He was an avid coon hunter, loved to fish and listen to country music. He enjoyed working and retirement on the Powell family farm, with his family close by. He will be sadly missed.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Betty Lue Reeves Powell; a son, James; a daughter Sherry Ann Roop (Marshall); a grandson, William Roger Forester; 2 sisters, Edith Rottman and Helen Hootman; 4 brothers, Norman, Powell, Kenneth Powel, Edward Powell, and Joseph Powell.

Survivors include three sons Russell (Trina) Powell, Roger James Powell, and Adam Lee Powell; two daughters, Mary Lou Athey and Sheila (William) Forester; 12 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren.

Family will receive friends on Tuesday, January 24, 2023, from 4-7 pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third Street, New Martinsville, where services will be held on Wednesday at 11:00 am with Pastor Don Rush officiating.

Interment at Fitzsimmons Cemetery, New Martinsville, WV.



# Cemetery Details

## Fitzsimmons Cemetery

Doolin Run Road  
New Martinsville, WV 26155

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 24.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

**JAN 25.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Roger "Jim" E. Powell.



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January 23, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket* was purchased for the family of Roger "Jim" E. Powell.



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January 22, 2023 at 07:45 PM