



## Roger Lee Thomas

March 3, 2016 - March 14, 2016

Roger L. Thomas Sr., Age 62, died on Monday, March 14th, 2016 at home surrounded by loved ones. He was born March 15th, 1953 at Wetzel County Hospital in New Martinsville, West Virginia, to Dora Thomas and Dorthia (Tanley) Thomas. Roger was a Bus Driver for Wetzel County Schools for 15 years; On December 7th, 1999, He married Debra D. (Buck) Thomas, they had five children. Roger and Debra enjoyed fishing and hunting together as well as spending time with Family and Friends. He is survived by his beloved wife of 16 years, their daughters, Christy K. Thomas, Angel M. (Steve) Hines, Ashley M. (Jason) Postlethwait, all from New Martinsville and their sons, Roger L. (Brandi) Thomas Jr. and Philip H. (Alberta) Leasure, Sister, Eva Springer (John Paul) of Paden City and Raymond (Stefanie) Thomas of New Martinsville. 14 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild and many nieces and nephews. Roger was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Oscar Thomas. Roger was buried on Wetzel- Tyler Ridge in the Thomas Family Cemetery. The Thomas Family would like to extend our gratitude to all the staff of Amedisys Hospice Care for their attentiveness and loving care.

Arrangements entrusted to the Grisell Funeral Home, New Martinsville.

# Cemetery Details

## **Thomas Family Cemetery**

Wetzel Tyler Ridge  
New Martinsville, WV 26155

# Tribute Wall

SG

“ So sorry for your loss. Roger was a good man and will be sorely missed. I just read this and could not believe it.

Shawn Gibbons - September 14, 2016 at 12:24 PM

NR

“ Will miss you so much..Am glad we was family..Prayers to the family..Love Nancy Rose



Nancy Rose - March 26, 2016 at 08:39 PM

FR

“ for the Thomas family we sad here of roger passing he was a good man friend fun talk too we well miss him plus Debbie hope the lord helps you all now your friends fred splittorff donna bishop Lubbock texas

fred - March 17, 2016 at 09:13 PM

DS

“ Debbie Smith lit a candle in memory of Roger Lee Thomas



debbie smith - March 17, 2016 at 08:34 AM

SB

“ I'm sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out the whole family.

*Sheri Beal (Certified)*

Sheri Beal - March 16, 2016 at 08:10 PM

SR

“ Sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers for all of your family.

Sandy Richmond - March 16, 2016 at 06:44 AM

KL

“ To the Family Of Roger Lee Thomas so sorry to here of your loss Prayers & Thoughts go out to you each and everyone of his Family Members. Did not know him that well . But my great niece Brandi (Loy} Thomas is his son Lee's Wife. That is how I know him RIP Roger Lee Thomas !!!!! .

Kent & Sandy Loy - March 15, 2016 at 09:37 PM

JA

“ Roger and I had some great times. We spent alot of time hunting and for a few years we worked together. He was always a good friend. I will miss Roger. My sympathy to the Thomas family.

Jerry Amos - March 15, 2016 at 08:09 PM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." was purchased for the family of Roger Lee Thomas.



March 15, 2016 at 08:07 PM

JS

“ *Sympathy to the Thomas family. Paul & Janie Strickland*

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**Janie Strickland** - March 15, 2016 at 05:56 PM

BJ

“ *My deepest sympathy goes out to all of Rogers family. He was certainly one of my best friends over the years, and I'll miss him. I'm just privileged to be able to say he was a one of a kind friend!*

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**Bill Jones** - March 15, 2016 at 03:38 PM

EB

“ *I hadn't known Roger and the family but for only several months and always felt welcome when I come down to visit ! Roger always had good stories that I enjoyed listen to and was a genuine nice man !! Wish I would have met him and the family sooner, but grateful for the time I did get to spend with him ! My thoughts and prayers are with the family !*

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**Eric bowen** - March 15, 2016 at 03:28 PM

JE

“ *My late husband, Francis E. Whiteman, grew up on a farm neighboring Roger's parents' (Dora & Dorthia Thomas) farm. In about 1965, Francis was holding a gospel meeting at Mt Zion Church of Christ, just 1/4 mile down Whiteman Hill Road from the Thomas's house. During that meeting Francis baptized Roger & his brother Ray, and a cousin of theirs, son of Frank & Aleathia Thomas. Since there was no baptistry at Mt Zion we went to the meeting house at Steelton WV Church of Christ. The baptisms took place there, with the boys' mothers Dorthia & Aleathia on the front pew crying. I remember Roger as a fiesty but sweet little boy. My heart goes out to his wife, sibilings and other relatives.*

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**Jane (Lewis) Whiteman (Mrs. Francis E.)** - March 15, 2016 at 01:56 PM

SH

“ We Amos kids grew up with Roger & his siblings on Whiteman Hill; riding the school bus, laughing enjoying life as kids do. I am so saddened to read of Roger's passing. Our deepest sympathy goes to all of you. Our prayers are for your comfort and peace. God bless you.

Sheila - March 15, 2016 at 01:40 PM

RO

“ Rosie lit a candle in memory of Roger Lee Thomas



Rosie - March 15, 2016 at 01:29 PM



“ Ghirardelli Galore was purchased for the family of Roger Lee Thomas.



March 15, 2016 at 11:49 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Roger Lee Thomas.



March 15, 2016 at 11:28 AM

RL

“ *I hope you enjoy the chocolate. Love you guys.*

Rebekah Leggett - March 15, 2016 at 10:55 AM

MG

“ *Roger was my brother-in-law but really he was my brother. He told me many, many times I was a sister to him. See you in Heaven, Brother. Melinda*

melinda graham - March 15, 2016 at 10:26 AM

SS

*He was not must my father in law,, but my freind,and confidant,went to him many times for advice,enjoy his stoorytelln, he was a good man, a good father to my wife.will miss him. I will always be there for sis and mom.*

Steve Hines sr. - March 15, 2016 at 07:42 PM

DS

*PRAYERS AND COMFORT TO THE THOMAS FAMILY. May God give you strengh and peace. i have known all of them.*

debbie smith - March 17, 2016 at 08:33 AM

JB

*I am sorry to hear of Rogers passing. My condolences*

John Batton - March 17, 2016 at 06:45 PM