



Larry Eugene Pirkey

November 12, 1949 - September 11, 2016

Larry Eugene Pirkey, 66, of Grottoes went to be with his Lord on Sunday, September 11, 2016. He was born November 12, 1949 in Newport, RI and was the son of Katherine (Crissman) Pirkey and the late Howard Pirkey. In addition to his father, he was predeceased by his brother, Fred Pirkey. He owned and operated his field and road business of towing and repair service in Grottoes. He served his country in the U. S. Army during the Vietnam era.

In 1969 he married his sweetheart, Carolyn Wilson Pirkey, together they raised two children, Carrie P. Gibbons and husband Deon Gibbons of Stuarts Draft and Larry (Rusty) E. Pirkey, Jr. of Grottoes. He was grand daddy to Drew Gibbons, Brittany Gibbons, Ginger Gibbons, Christopher Pirkey and Zackary Pirkey.

Larry was a friend to many and helpful to all who needed him.

A funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday, September 16, 2016 at Forest Chapel Church of the Brethren, in Crimora, with Evangelist Drew Gibbons officiating. Pallbearers will be Ronald Shoupe, Deon Gibbons, Gary Lee Thompson, Guy Thompson, Gene Oleeyar, David Oleeyar and Garry Thompson, Jr. Burial will follow in Forest Chapel Church of the Brethren Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Thursday, September 15, 2016 from 6-8 p.m. at the church or at home anytime.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to

Hospice of the Shenandoah, P.O. Box 1000, Fishersville, VA 22939

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Eugene Pirkey*

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ *Larry Eugene Pirkey*

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ *Carolyn & family,
Sorry to here of Larry's passing. We remember all the good times
we had square dancing many years ago.
Glenn & Debby Martin*

Glenn Martin - September 18, 2016 at 06:03 PM



“ *Carolyn and family. I am so sorry to hear of Larrys passing. You are
all in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless.*

Cyndi Smith - September 14, 2016 at 02:09 PM