



## Arthur Frederick "Fred" Rice III

November 26, 1934 - December 6, 2024

Arthur Frederick "Fred" Rice, III, 90 of Barboursville, WV, passed away Friday, December 6, 2024 at the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House in Huntington, WV. He was born November 26, 1934 in Huntington, WV; son of the late Arthur Frederick Rice, Jr. and Beatrice Belle (Trent) Delancy. He was also preceded in death by his step-father, Leonard "Doc" Delancy; son, Bret Andrew Rice; granddaughter, Elizabeth Reynolds; niece, Angie Walker. Fred was a United States Army veteran and was retired from INCO Alloys. He was also a member of the Huntington American Legion Post #16 and a past Exalted Ruler at Elks Lodge #313 Huntington. He is survived by his daughter, Kelly Rice (Greg Thomas); daughter-in-law, Jacki Rice; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Joe and Susan Barta; sister and brother-in-law, Cherry and Don Lane; grandchildren, Kristina Shivel (David); Jason Reynolds (Ronnie); nephew, Joe (Brittany) Barta, niece, Jan (Paul) Morrison; nephew, Jimmy Blake; great-nephew, Tristan Blake and great niece, Mitzi Blake; great granddaughter, Madison Brookins; and a host of nieces, nephews and extended family. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, December 11, 2024 at Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV near Barboursville with Tommy Bexfield officiating. Burial will follow at Ridgelawn Memorial Park in Huntington, WV. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services on Wednesday at the mortuary. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting [www.hensonandkitchen.c](http://www.hensonandkitchen.c)

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# Cemetery Details

## Ridgelawn Memorial Park

5547 W. Pea Ridge Road  
Huntington, WV 25705

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 11. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services  
1592 East Pea Ridge Road  
Huntington, WV 25705  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ I think Freddie and I are the oldest members of the Rice family left so I know I won't be far behind him. Freddie was always such a humble and generous person. I know there were a throng of family and friends to welcome him to this new transition. Sorry I can't be there for his funeral but will be in spirit.

Donna Rice Shank - December 18, 2024 at 08:15 PM

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“ Ann Marie Barnett & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Arthur Frederick "Fred" Rice III.



Ann Marie Barnett & Family - December 09, 2024 at 06:17 PM

JR

“ John, Gina, Callie and Reed purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Arthur Frederick "Fred" Rice III.



John, Gina, Callie and Reed - December 09, 2024 at 01:44 PM

JR

“ John, Gina, Callie and Reed planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arthur Frederick "Fred" Rice III.

John, Gina, Callie and Reed - December 09, 2024 at 01:44 PM

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“ Kelly,  
My deepest condolences on yet another loss. You've lost a lot in the past few years. I'm so sorry.

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**Carla Brunty** - December 08, 2024 at 12:49 PM

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Thank you Carla. It's been so many years since I've seen you. I would love to see you in the near future. Thank you for caring

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**Kelly Rice** - January 14, 2025 at 12:35 PM

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“ Lisa Shull lit a candle in memory of Arthur Rice



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**Lisa Shull** - December 08, 2024 at 04:51 AM