



Gordon Earl Petry, Sr.

August 7, 1939 - January 2, 2022

Gordon Earl Petry, Sr, 82 of Huntington, WV passed away Sunday, January 2, 2022. He was born August 7, 1939 in Huntington, WV; son of the late Harry Petry and Mildred Lawton. He was retired from CSX and was a veteran of the United States Navy; where he served as a Flight Mechanic on USS Randolph. He was also a member of Christ Temple Church in Huntington. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his step-dad, John Lawton. Gordon is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Carol Lusher Petry; son, Gordon (Lisa) Petry; daughter, Michelle (James) Kirby; sister, Cheryl (Dickie) Blankenship; grandchildren, Andrew (Tessa) Petry, Austin Petry, Grace Kirby and Faith Kirby; special friend, Larry Lawrence; and a host of friends. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM on Friday, January 7, 2022 at Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV 25705 with Pastor Chuck Lawrence and Pastor Dwight Mays officiating. Burial and military rites will follow at White Chapel Memorial Gardens in Barboursville, WV. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 6, 2022 from 6:00-8:00 PM at Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, Huntington, WV. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting www.hensonandkitchen.com

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Memorial Gardens

Route 60 East
Barboursville, WV 25504

Previous Events

Visitation - Following COVID-19 Guidelines

JAN 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services
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Huntington, WV 25705
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Graveside Service - Following COVID-19 Guidelines

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Tribute Wall



“ *Henson & Kitchen Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Gordon Earl Petry, Sr.*



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - January 05, 2022 at 01:03 PM

BJ

May God comfort you in your sorrow. Sorry I couldn't attend the service.

*Love and Prayers,
Lois Kelley Romine*

Barry Justice - January 07, 2022 at 10:38 AM



“ *Gordon Earl Petry, Sr.*

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM

JS

“ *My condolences to Carol and the rest of the family. Gordon and I didn't always see eye to eye on things at the shop but we always worked it out and remained friends through everything. I will miss him. Prayers for all.*

John Swann - January 06, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Gordon Earl Petry, Sr..*



January 06, 2022 at 10:32 AM



“ *Saddened by the news of Gordon's passing. Glad I got to see him last year. Blessings to Carol, Sherry and all of the family.*



Billie Graybeal - January 05, 2022 at 05:17 PM



“ *2 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - January 05, 2022 at 02:54 PM



“ 67 files added to the album LifeTributes



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - January 05, 2022 at 01:00 PM



“ We will always remember Gordon as the "Horseman of Petra." Please accept our sincere condolences at your loss.



Jen & Charlie Houdyschell - January 05, 2022 at 08:48 AM



“ America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of Gordon Earl Petry, Sr..



January 04, 2022 at 11:10 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gordon Earl Petry, Sr..



January 04, 2022 at 01:16 PM



“ Gordon Petry was not only a dear friend and neighbor, I had the pleasure of working with him. Enjoyed our chats, the Board of Investigations we were part of, our trip to Peach Creek and our neighborly disagreements as well. I moved away but thought of him often. My deepest sympathies to his wife, Carol, and family during this difficult time. RIP, dear Gordon!

David H Blackburn - January 04, 2022 at 11:14 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear of Gordon's passing. Your family is in my prayers. Love Nancy Lucas

Nancy Lucas - January 03, 2022 at 05:12 PM



“ Sending Prayers and Love ❤️. I have so many awesome Memories of him. He and Carol was at our house almost every weekend. He love to tease my kids like crazy. They probably wouldn't admit it but, I think they really loved it. He sure is in his well earned home celebrating with his Savior. It's hard to understand but, he is so much better off than us. I'm here if I can be of help. I Love ❤️ you all
Carolyn Lusher

Carolyn Lusher - January 03, 2022 at 03:09 PM

DA

“ Carol, Michelle, Grace, Faith and Family,
Mom and I are so sorry to learn of Gordon's passing. Taryn
absolutely loved Gordon and I'm sure she has already welcomed
him to heaven.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Much love to your family.
Debbie Amos

debbie amos - January 03, 2022 at 01:38 PM