



Eugene Holt

July 31, 1942 - July 19, 2024

ROCK – Eugene Marshall Holt, 81, of Rock, died Friday, July 19, 2024. Born July 31, 1942 in Matoaka, he was the son of the late Henry Eugene Holt and Margaret Cecil Holt.

Mr. Holt was a 1960 graduate of Matoaka High School. Following graduation, he moved to Washington, D.C. and worked in construction. He started working in the coal mines in 1967 and five years later became foreman at Eastern and Peabody coal companies, where he was known as “Moe.”

He was superintendent of Weyanoke Church of God from 1974-1982 and had served as assistant pastor for the last 14 years. He enjoyed reading his Bible and listening to gospel music.

Eugene enjoyed the outdoors, working in his yard, taking care of his animals, and hunting and fishing. He especially loved spending time with his children and grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one daughter, Schvonne Lyle; and two brothers, Henry Holt and Merrill Holt.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Margaret Adams Holt; one daughter, Tammy Sigmon of Rock; one son, Bear Holt of Spanishburg; one son-in-law,

Burl Lyle of Rock; four brothers, Giles Holt and wife Debbie of Lashmeet, Earl Holt and wife Nancy of Lashmeet, Kenny Holt and wife Brenda of Princeton and Ronnie Holt and wife Teresa of Lashmeet; three sisters, Margaret Shrewsbury of Matoaka, Janet Caruso and husband Jimmy of Pinoak and June Taylor and husband Roger of Weyanoke; three grandchildren, Tra, Ashley and Samantha; and six great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 12:30 p.m. Friday, July 26, 2024 at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Rev. Stanley Metz and Kenny Holt officiating. Interment will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton.

The family will receive friends Thursday, July 25, 2024 from 6-8 p.m. at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. Online condolences may be shared with the family at www.bailey-kirk.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
1612 Honaker Avenue
Princeton, WV 24740
(304) 425-8176
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Funeral Service

JUL **26**. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Eugene Holt*



Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home - July 26, 2024 at 02:11 PM

TH

“ *The Hancock's purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Eugene Holt.*



The Hancock's - July 25, 2024 at 02:24 PM

AJ

“ *Sister Margaret and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Brother Eugene was a good man. You don't see many like him. He was a true Christian, friend and family man, always smiling. We will see him again soon! Love and prayers for you all.*

Anthony and Diana Jenkins - July 25, 2024 at 01:40 PM

JM

“ Joyce Bullins, Charlene, Peanut McKinney purchased the Comfort Blanket for the family of Eugene Holt.



Joyce Bullins, Charlene, Peanut McKinney - July 24, 2024 at 09:11 PM

JM

“ Joyce Bullins, Charlene, Peanut McKinney planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eugene Holt.

Joyce Bullins, Charlene, Peanut McKinney - July 24, 2024 at 09:11 PM

SP

“ Sue Poff sent a virtual gift in memory of Eugene Holt



Sue Poff - July 24, 2024 at 01:13 PM

PP

“ Pete And Peggy lit a candle in memory of Eugene Holt



Pete and peggy - July 24, 2024 at 01:12 PM

TT

“ *The GSS Henry Schein Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Eugene Holt.*



The GSS Henry Schein Team - July 23, 2024 at 08:13 AM

CF

“ *Collins Welding Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Eugene Holt.*



Collins Welding Family - July 22, 2024 at 03:33 PM

TH

“ *I have been in the Holt Family for 46 years ...Eugene was one of the best people that I have ever met...my heart is broken for Margaret.. when they were together you could tell they were soul mates forever..my thoughts and prayers are with all of the family.*

Teresa Holt - July 21, 2024 at 10:02 PM

CL

“ *Our prayers are with all the family. He is not in our past but he is in our future if we love God we will all be together again. Ernie & Connie Lawrence*

Connie Lawrence - July 21, 2024 at 06:04 PM

CL

“ Growled up next door to the Holts. We all were like brothers and sisters, lot of good happy memories. God bless all the family. Connie (Asbury) Lawrence Peggy(Asbury) Kawalek

Connie Lawrence - July 21, 2024 at 05:53 PM

DE

“ So sorry for your loss. ❤️🙏

Debbie(Lusk)Greer - July 21, 2024 at 12:52 PM

JS

“ I knew Eugene and his family from my early childhood in Weyanoke, WV. He was a fine man from a fine family. May he rest in peace.

J.R. Shuck - July 21, 2024 at 08:55 AM

MM

“ So sorry for your loss 🙏



Margie mills - July 21, 2024 at 07:50 AM

CC

“ Cindy Carlin lit a candle in memory of Eugene Holt



Cindy Carlin - July 20, 2024 at 05:44 PM

CC

“*Brother Eugene, a child of God and a man of his word, was my brother in Christ and my friend. He would always comment on the color of the dress that I had on, and he would ALWAYS say a color different than what I was wearing. This put a smile on my face. My heartfelt condolences, prayers, and love to the family. He is going to be greatly missed by all of us.*

Love, Sister Cindy

Cindy Carlin - July 20, 2024 at 05:42 PM