



Freal Thompson Sr.

December 19, 1927 - February 22, 2019

KEGLEY – Freal Thompson, Sr., 91, of Kegley, died Friday, February 22, 2019. Born December 19, 1927 in Saltville, VA, he was the son of the late Lewis Thompson and Pearl Allison Thompson.

Mr. Thompson was a retired coal miner after 35 years of service and was a member of U.M.W.A. Local 29. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, trading and spending time at the farm.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 69 years, Eleanor Huffman Thompson; an infant daughter, Eva Carol; son, Jerry W. Thompson; and grandchildren, Steven Ford II, Larry Thompson, Nathan Thompson and Richard Lambert; brothers, Johnny, Claude, Isaac, Edward, Riburn, Fred and Frank Thompson; and sisters, Imadell Jackson, Kate Collins, Beulah Thompson, Kance Chapman, Kathleen Surbur and Flossie Chapman.

Survivors include children, Geneva Jenkins and husband David of Kegley, Allen Thompson and wife Carol of Spanishburg, Glenda Ford and husband Steven of Speedway, Delores Harmon and husband Dewey of Lashmeet and Freal Thompson Jr. and wife Nancy of Kegley; daughter-in-law, Brenda Thompson of Speedway; sister, Nancy Taylor of Chilhowie, VA; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 26, 2019 at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Pastor Michael Davis officiating. Interment will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, February 26, 2019 from noon until service hour 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

FEB 26. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
1612 Honaker Avenue
Princeton, WV 24740
(304) 425-8176
info@bailey-kirk.com
<https://www.bailey-kirk.com>

Funeral Service

FEB 26. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Freal Thompson Sr.*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *We are so saddened to hear of Mr. Thompson's passing. He was a wonderful person. Each time that we were invited to the Thompson home for a cookout Freal was always very hospitable . He will surely be missed.*

Joe and Barbara Hampton

Joe Hampton - February 25, 2019 at 10:24 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Freal Thompson Sr..*



February 24, 2019 at 10:39 PM



“ *Prayers to all the family. I have so many memories of Freal, but what stands out the most is I ran into him at 5 star one morning and was asking how he was doing. He told me he had ran down to try and work up an appetite. I ask him what he meant and he said that after taking all his medication he had no room for food because he was full of so many pills, but laughed and shrugged it off. The ridge at Kegley won't be the same without him. Rest In Peace my dear friend*



Lonnie Huffman II - February 24, 2019 at 10:28 PM

DH

I'm so sorry to hear of your dads passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Debbie Hill - February 25, 2019 at 09:34 AM



So sorry to hear about all the loss in the family. So many memories of him and Eleanor and going to Spanishburg with all the older kids. Kegley is losing all the elder ones. Praying for peace and comfort for all. God will help you through it all.

Drema Lewis - February 28, 2019 at 05:30 PM

JG

“ *Our condolences to the family at this most difficult time. Prayers for God to give you all comfort, and blessings.*

Jr and Marie, J's Grocery

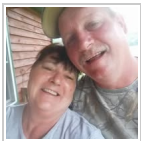
J's Grocery - February 24, 2019 at 08:39 PM

BH

“ *Brenda Hall sent a virtual gift in memory of Freal Thompson Sr.*



Brenda Hall - February 24, 2019 at 05:28 PM



“ *Prayers to you all. Jerry used to get my homemade peach jam to take to daddy. Said it was the best he ever had. Sure will miss them both. Rest in heaven to them both!! From Dale and Debby Morehead!!*

Debby Morehead - February 24, 2019 at 03:51 PM

AM

“ *Arlene/Buddy Midkiff lit a candle in memory of Freal Thompson Sr.*



Arlene/Buddy Midkiff - February 24, 2019 at 02:58 PM

IB

So sorry he was my Dad's (Reginald Minor's) long time friends

Iris Brewer - February 24, 2019 at 03:47 PM

SL

My heart breaks for you'll Freal was a kind person I enjoyed talking with him when I visited his home he also gave me a cup of coffee.

sherry lusk - February 24, 2019 at 09:43 PM