



Jack Bailey

August 9, 1932 - January 7, 2022

LASHMEET – Oscar Jack Bailey, 89, of Lashmeet, died Friday, January 7, 2022. Born August 9, 1932 in Beartown, he was the son of the late Oley Bailey and Myrtle Short Bailey.

Jack was a veteran of the US Army, having served from 1952-1954. After serving his country, he spent most of his career working for Consolidation Coal. He was a faithful member of Maranatha Baptist Church in Princeton and loved his Lord and Savior.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by daughter, Ronda Bailey Lilly; and brother, Wayne Bailey.

Survivors include his loving wife of 66 years, Merry Georgia Bailey; daughters, Sue Skaggs and husband Donald and Tonya Bailey; son-in-law, Kolan Lilly; and loving grandchildren, Kolan Vance Lilly and Anna Grace Lilly.

Funeral services will be conducted at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 11, 2022 at Maranatha Baptist Church in Princeton with Pastor J.P. Mays, Pastor Mike Whisman and Pastor Bill Deskins officiating. A private interment will take place on Wednesday at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Maranatha Baptist

Church, 314 Oakvale Road, Princeton, WV 24740.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, January 11, 2022 from 4:30 p.m. until service hour at Maranatha Baptist Church in Princeton.

Arrangements by Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. To view a video tribute to Mr. Bailey, or share condolences with the family, please visit www.bailey-kirk.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 11. 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Maranatha Baptist Church
314 Oakvale Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Funeral Service

JAN 11. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Princeton, WV 24740

Tribute Wall



“ *Jack Bailey*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Sue,
My prayers are with you and your family.
May God give you and your family comfort at this time.
Yvonne*

Yvonne - January 12, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of Oscar Jack Bailey, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.
My thoughts
and prayers to the family of

US Army Veteran, Oscar Jack Bailey, is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - January 12, 2022 at 05:11 AM

CS

“ Jack Bailey was a great man and a wonderful neighbor of my family. He always had a sweet smile for us kids on the backroad and always watched over us. Jack and Georgia was so good to my mother Shelby Tiller. My dad Weldon always said Jack was a good and respectful man of God. Georgia you and the family will be in my prayers..Much love to each of you. Connie Tiller Stalmach

Connie Stalmach - January 11, 2022 at 01:36 PM

DG

“ Sue, I am sorry for the loss of your father. Sounds like he was a dear man of God. He must be rejoicing in Heaven now. Prayers for your and your family's comfort.
Debbie Birchfield Goodwin

Deborah Birchfield Goodwin - January 11, 2022 at 12:10 PM

RB

“ Jack and Georgia were at family reunion each year, he will be missed. Will keep family in our prayers.

Ron Bailey - January 10, 2022 at 09:21 PM

RM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Never seen Jack without that kind smile of his! Love and prayers from the Bonnie (Darrell) Mack Family.

Rhonda Mack-Thomason - January 10, 2022 at 08:10 PM

JS

I knew Jack when I was a small child at Weyanoke, WV in the late 40s and early 50s all the way until I last saw him at a barber shop several years ago. He and his father were always kind to kids and all people I'm sure. May he rest in peace and may God bless his family in this tragic time.

Johnnie R. Shuck - January 12, 2022 at 02:52 PM

DB

“ I will always remember Jack's friendliness and being the best neighbor anyone could have.

Dwayne Bailey - January 10, 2022 at 07:57 PM

AM

“ Arlene/Buddy Midkiff lit a candle in memory of Jack Bailey



Arlene/Buddy Midkiff - January 10, 2022 at 07:46 PM

WO

“ Wilma Odell sent a virtual gift in memory of Jack Bailey



wilma odell - January 10, 2022 at 07:01 PM

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prayers for all 🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️

wilma odell - January 10, 2022 at 07:02 PM

LJ

“ Love and prayers for the family
What a wonderful man Jack was
Loved talking to him at the shop
Such a special family
Love u all

Linda Joyce - January 10, 2022 at 06:29 PM

HP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and
your family, may God comfort you with his
loving arms and may he give you peace and
strength in the days ahead.
Love and Prayers, Heather Phillips and family,
Mildred Mack, Tommy and Karen Martin



Heather Phillips - January 10, 2022 at 04:35 PM

AD

“ He was one of my favorite people.



Albert Davis - January 10, 2022 at 03:55 PM

JW

“ I have known Jack for a good while he and i worked at Crane Creek
together. I am sorry to hear of Jack's passing i will be praying for all.

Jerry Williams - January 10, 2022 at 03:42 PM

PM

“ *PETE,PEGGY MATTHEWS lit a candle in memory of Jack Bailey*



PETE,PEGGY MATTHEWS - January 10, 2022 at 03:41 PM

AD

I really really like Jack. I love picking at him at church. I'm so sorry for all the family. 🙏❤️ Anna Davis

Anna Davis - January 10, 2022 at 06:25 PM