



Earnest Melvin King

April 26, 1938 - November 29, 2019

Earnest "Melvin" King, 81, of Shackelfords, VA passed away November 29, 2019. Melvin was an outdoorsman enjoying working on cars and fishing. He also liked playing cards. He retired from Richmond City Public Works as a supervisor after 30 years of service.

Melvin was preceded in death by his wife, Joyce Marie King and a sister, Janie Moore. He is survived by his children Michael, Kenny and Darlene; a step-son Lewis McAdams; step-grandchildren Ricky and Jason McAdams; his sisters Arlene Poston, Helen Smith and Hazel Creech; a brother Odes King; nieces Tammy Poston-Varboncoeur (Ron) and Lisa Amos (Charles); a great-niece Maria Rodgers; a devoted friend Nancy Harding and many other family and friends.

A graveside service will be held 10 a.m. Tuesday, December 3rd at Poroporone Baptist Church, 30071 The Trail, Shackelfords, VA 23156. The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Monday evening at Vincent Funeral Home, 417 11th Street, West Point, VA 23181.

Memorial donations may be made to Lower King & Queen Volunteer Fire Department, PO Box 187, Shackelfords, VA 23156.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, West Point Chapel
417 11th St
West Point, VA 23181
(804) 843-2550

Graveside Service

DEC 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

Poroporone Baptist Church Cemetery
30071 The Trail
Shacklefords, VA 23156

Tribute Wall

RK

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Rusty Knight & Family*

Rusty Knight - December 05, 2019 at 06:38 AM

JM

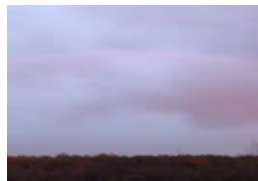
“ *PawPaw was a great man who taught me lots of things growing up like fishing crabbing and many more. Sorry I can't be there today to say goodbye but I know you're flying high with the angels and watching over me everyday. Now you have no more suffering. You will be missed but never forgotten. I love you PawPaw fly high!!*



Jason McAdams - December 03, 2019 at 07:59 AM

NY

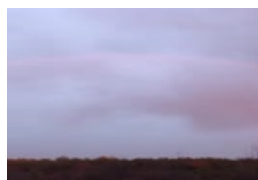
“ *Melvins Rainbow. Love you - Nancy*



Nancy - Love you! - December 02, 2019 at 11:32 PM

NY

“ *Melvins Rainbow. Love you!*



Nancy - Love you! - December 02, 2019 at 05:31 PM

LH

“ *Melvin was such a special guy and always had a smile on his face that wouldn't stop.
Always pleasant, always willing to give a helping hand and a great neighbor when we lived close to him. He will be sadly missed.
Please excuse us for not attending his service as Larkin just discharged from the hospital with so many health issues.
You will all be in our hearts.*

Larkin & Brenda Hundley - December 01, 2019 at 07:43 PM

JW

“ *Our deepest condolences, Thoughts and prayers.
Love to you all,
Jimmie and Shirley Fleshman
Buddy and Joanie Fleshman Wood*

Joanie Wood - December 01, 2019 at 02:16 PM

JM

“ *Sad to hear of Melvin's passing! Melvin was such an a great guy...
one of the hardest working men I've known. My thought and prayers
go out to all that loved Melvin!*

Judy & Warren Morris - December 01, 2019 at 10:53 AM

DG

“ *Melvin was a good man and a great father in law to me for many years he was a great Papa to my boys Ric and Jason McAdams , couldn't of asked for a better grandpa. Even he is gone he will remain in our hearts for ever. Go rest now Papa and go fish in heaven. Love you. 🐟*



Debbie Glover - December 01, 2019 at 08:24 AM



“ *Thinking of you all at this time..may good memories help you in the days ahead.* ”

Janie Wampler - December 01, 2019 at 08:06 AM