



## Ernest Lackey

February 13, 1939 - January 28, 2025

Ernest Lackey 85, of Dingess, WV passed away on Tuesday, January 28, 2025 at the Logan Regional Medical Center in Logan, WV. He was born in Marrowbone, WV on February 13, 1939 to the late Ishmael Lackey and Louise Meade Lackey. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife, Evalina Messer Lackey and four siblings, Eve Jarrells, Gladys (Rush) Williams, Murrell Lackey and Truman Lackey; sister-in-laws: Delilah Lackey, Sheila Lackey and Mary Lackey and brother-in-laws: Anthony Ray Fitzpatrick, Robert Brumfield, Carl Stepp.

Ernest was a Korean War Veteran with the United States Air Force; he was a coal miner and electrician and retired from Kermit Coal Company. He was also a member of the Mount Hope Baptist Church and a member of the Masonic Lodge at Kermit #167. His favorite hobbies were hunting and fishing.

Ernest is survived by his four children, Nicole (Leslie) Lackey Dillon, Ronald Ray (Carla) Vinson, Ernest Ishmael (Cheryl) Lackey, Sandra D. Lackey and Steven (Kathy) Lackey, 16 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren; his siblings, Helen Stepp, Cora Dillon, Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, Arnold "Babe" (Florence) Lackey, James (Lisa) Lackey, and Carson Lackey; brother in law, John Jarrells and a host of nieces, nephews, great and great-great nieces and nephews. He is also survived by special cousins, Kimberly (Ronnie) Wilson May and Kevin (Beth) Wilson, and special great nieces, Bella and Karstyn

Robinson; along with special friends and neighbors, William Mullen, Carla Ramey, The Deskens and Marcum families, Scott and Payton Wilson and their children, Kirsten Grimmett, Roy and Alice Messer.

Special thanks to Dignity Hospice, Doctors and staff at Logan Regional Medical Center, nurses of MICU, ICU and LRMC.

Pallbearers: Gary Wolford, Brendan Wolford, Troy Vinson, Jamie Robinson, Anthony Fitzpatrick, Todd Fitzpatrick, Randall Fitzpatrick, Jeremy Pilkins and Scott Wilson

Funeral services will be held at 12:00pm, Sunday, February 2, 2025 at the Mount Hope Freewill Baptist Church in Dingess, WV. Burial to follow at the Lackey Cemetery in Marrowbone, WV. Friends may visit at the church on Saturday after 7:00pm.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 1. 7:00 PM (ET)

Mt Hope Freewill Baptist  
Mount Hope Drive  
Dingess, WV 25671

## Funeral Service

FEB 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Hope Freewill Baptist Church  
Dingess, WV

# Tribute Wall

DM

“ *Dreama & Bo Morris purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Ernest Lackey.*



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**Dreama & Bo Morris** - February 01, 2025 at 11:52 AM

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“ *Dreama & Bo Morris planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ernest Lackey.*

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**Dreama & Bo Morris** - February 01, 2025 at 11:52 AM

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“ *Love, Jimmy & Lisa purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Ernest Lackey.*



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**Love, Jimmy & Lisa** - January 31, 2025 at 10:31 AM

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“ *Love, Jimmy & Lisa planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ernest Lackey.*

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**Love, Jimmy & Lisa** - January 31, 2025 at 10:31 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Ernest Lackey.*



January 30, 2025 at 03:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ernest Lackey.

January 30, 2025 at 03:00 PM



“ *Kathleen M. Lackey purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Ernest Lackey.*



**Kathleen M. Lackey** - January 30, 2025 at 02:48 PM



“ *Kathleen M. Lackey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ernest Lackey.*

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“ *He was a good friend of ours. I have known him n his wife since I was a young girl. Prayers n love for his family*

**Bonnie Adams Damron** - January 29, 2025 at 07:15 PM