



Howard Douglas Copley

June 16, 1958 - February 13, 2016

Howard Douglas Copley 57, of Crum, West Virginia passed away at his home on Saturday, February 13, 2016. He was born in Wayne County on June 16, 1958 to the late Howard and Eula Fay Messer Copley. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife, Teresa Copley.

Howard is survived by his son, Curtis Howard Copley of Crum, West Virginia and one sister, Joyce (Tony) Conn also of Crum, West Virginia. He is also survived by two nephews and one niece.

Funeral services will be held at the Silver Creek United Baptist Church in Crum, West Virginia on Friday, February 19, 2016 at 1:00pm with Ralph Muncy officiating. Burial will follow at the Old Crum Cemetery. Friends may visit at the church on Thursday, February 18, 2016 from 6:00-9:00pm.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez, Kentucky.

Cemetery Details

Old Crum Cemetery

crum
crum, WV 25669

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Silver Creek United Baptist Church
Crum, KY

Service

FEB 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

Silver Creek United Baptist Church
Crum, KY

Tribute Wall

RS

“ Always in my prayers. My love to you all. I don't have the words to say all that's in my heart. May God give you comfort that only comes from Him. Love always, Rosemary



rosemary salmons - February 21, 2016 at 04:05 PM

RR

“ Rosalene Rose lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley



Rosalene Rose - February 18, 2016 at 10:44 PM

RR

R.I.P. Doug.

Rosalene Rose - February 18, 2016 at 10:45 PM



“ Praying for the family, Curtis and Joyce .. so sorry for your loss.

Robin Hatcher Stacy - February 18, 2016 at 10:30 AM



“ Robin Hatcher Stacy lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley



Robin Hatcher Stacy - February 18, 2016 at 10:30 AM

TP

“ *Tina Prince lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*




Tina Prince - February 17, 2016 at 08:31 PM

TP

I am so sorry. My thoughts and prayers are with you!

Tina Prince - February 17, 2016 at 08:33 PM

 Rosa Dorton

“ *Rosa Dorton lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Rosa Dorton - February 17, 2016 at 03:36 PM

RA

“ *He will truly be missed he was a wonderful person prayer for his family in this time of grief*



Raetta - February 16, 2016 at 11:43 PM

AP

“ Prayers for the family. Doug was an awesome guy, friend would do anything for anybody he could..



Amanda Preece - February 16, 2016 at 07:28 PM

TM

“ Timothy Meddings lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley



Timothy Meddings - February 16, 2016 at 06:58 PM

JJ

“ Judy Chaffin Jude lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley




Judy Chaffin Jude - February 16, 2016 at 06:49 PM

JJ

To Joyce and family, I am so sorry for your loss! You all are in my thoughts and prayers!

Judy Chaffin Jude - February 16, 2016 at 06:51 PM

 Loretta Bragg

“ *Loretta Bragg lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Loretta Bragg - February 16, 2016 at 04:06 PM

LD

“ *Luann Dials lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Luann Dials - February 16, 2016 at 03:58 PM

LD

So sorry to hear this, great memories of Doug and Joyce when we were just kids hanging with our families, our Dads loved drag racing and we were there watching them do what they loved... Prayers for comfort and peace, now and days to come... God Bless...

Luann Dials - February 16, 2016 at 04:04 PM

DC

“ *Words can't adequately express the depth of loss this is for our wonderful community. When growing up in Crum, wonderful memories remain of this wonderful family. Though Doug & Joyce were younger, there remains a closeness that comes from such a tight knit community. Our world was a far better place for the life Doug led and our lives will continue to be better for his touch. Deepest sympathies. Our love and prayers are with you as you move forward. Diana Hensley Canterbury*

Diana Hensley Canterbury - February 16, 2016 at 02:32 PM

HS

“ *Harold & Bertha Sturgell lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Harold & Bertha Sturgell - February 16, 2016 at 10:35 AM

E(

“ *Ella (Flor)Adkins lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Ella (Flor)Adkins - February 16, 2016 at 10:12 AM

RC

“ *Richard Copley lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



richard copley - February 16, 2016 at 09:26 AM



“ *Most memories I got with Doug is when I played basketball for crum youth he practically lived in the gym rip old buddy love you and love your family if it wasn't for you guys being so nice and letting me charge it's hard telling how many times I would have went hungry when I think of crum I think of the copleys thanks for always being good to me and my family*

James Ashley Muncy - February 16, 2016 at 08:36 AM

PG

“ *Patty Grace lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



patty grace - February 16, 2016 at 08:32 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Howard Douglas Copley.*



February 16, 2016 at 08:17 AM

D(

“ *Debbie Rose (conn) lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Debbie Rose (conn) - February 16, 2016 at 07:47 AM

PS

“ *Patty Salmons lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Patty Salmons - February 16, 2016 at 07:13 AM

JP

“ Great guy always enjoyed talking sports with doug and watching him work with the kids and he's family has has been serving people around the Crum area at coolest market for yrs going to be well missed, with friends and family I'm proud to call doug and he's family my frinds and family , rip

Jim Pinson - February 16, 2016 at 07:11 AM

BB

“ Brenda Bragg lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley



Brenda Bragg - February 16, 2016 at 12:27 AM

DR

“ Prayers for the family



danielle ratcliff - February 15, 2016 at 10:31 PM

ER

“ We have been in school together all our lives. We always gather at his house to play basketball on the rim he had over his garage it was not just a few of us but there was a community showed up and battled all summer long. We spent a lot of time on high school sports teams and even little league teams he was a great athlete and great friend of mind may God Bless you Doug Copley. God Bless the Copley family.

Ernie Richardson - February 15, 2016 at 10:26 PM

KP

“ doug was a lot like his dad and mom he was alway's kind in school last time i saw doug was the 1st week of june we talked about how sad it was to loose the school and I remember him in jr high basketball; rip my friend c u soon kp



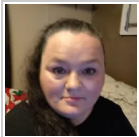
kelly perry - February 15, 2016 at 09:16 PM

PN

“ Prayers to the family



priscelle rose newsome - February 15, 2016 at 08:31 PM



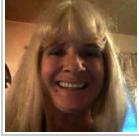
“ I hate to hear this news !!! This family has been so good to me and everyone that I love!! I can't stand to hear the news that we have lost a great soul!!!! R.I.P. Doug

Melissa AndJohn Jude - February 15, 2016 at 07:57 PM

FW

“ I'M SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS DOUG WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON WAS ALWAYS THERE FOR HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS. THE COMMUNITY HAS LOST A GOOD FRIEND. HAVE ALL OF YOU IN MY PRAYERS LOVE TO THE COPLEY FAMILY

Faye Stacy Walters - February 15, 2016 at 07:42 PM



“ so sorry-- love and prayers for u all!!!!



Trish Thomas - February 15, 2016 at 07:40 PM



“ *Faye Stacy Walters lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Faye Stacy Walters - February 15, 2016 at 07:37 PM



Doug and Teresa were the best to us when we moved here 22 yrs ago, May God be with his family as you go forward.

Carolyn Dingess - February 15, 2016 at 09:25 PM



“ *Cathy Meddings lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



cathy meddings - February 15, 2016 at 07:28 PM

MA

“ *Myrtle Alley lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Myrtle Alley - February 15, 2016 at 07:23 PM

RB

“ *Robin Blackburn lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Robin Blackburn - February 15, 2016 at 07:23 PM

RB

Doug was a wonderful person. I remember the night he brought my brother Cletus home, I was so thankful to Doug and the kind words he said to me concerning my brother and to me. That was about a year ago. I will always remember DOUG

Robin Blackburn - February 15, 2016 at 07:26 PM

MP

“ *Michelle Preece lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Michelle Preece - February 15, 2016 at 07:03 PM

MP

“ Joyce, Tony, Tony Dale & Curtis,
Lenox & I are so very sad about the Loss of Doug. He was such a good friend in High School. We got to spend some time with him at the Alumni reunion in Oct 2014. Our Thoughts & Prayers are with you through this sad time you are going through.
Lenox & Martha Profitt



Martha Profitt - February 15, 2016 at 06:38 PM

BR

So sorry for your loss, your family is in my prayers and thoughts.
Bethany Profitt Richards (one of the twins)

Bethany Profitt Richards - February 15, 2016 at 07:43 PM

JH

“ Curtis, Big Joe, Lil Joe and I are so sorry for your loss. We had some great times playing basketball traveling to Minnesota. We thought a lot of your dad, his love of the game and his coaching abilities. May you find peace and comfort in the coming days.

Love, Joe, Annie and Lil Joe

Joe Hammond - February 15, 2016 at 03:58 PM

EP

Me and Elmer want to say we are so sorry to hear this... We both liked Doug very much ,,prayers of comfort for the family .. 🙏🙏

elmer and Mag Perry - February 15, 2016 at 06:08 PM



“ *Joyce Litton lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Joyce Litton - February 15, 2016 at 03:38 PM



Sorry for the lost to a much loved family. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Dorothy, Joyce & Johnny

Joyce Litton - February 15, 2016 at 03:39 PM



“ *Blitta Crum lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Blitta Crum - February 15, 2016 at 03:20 PM

CC

To Dougs family I am so sorry for your loss. I have many special memories of growing up with Doug and Joyce, especially of Doug and I working on the yellow Camaro. "RIP OLD FRIEND" We love you all Chet and Blitta

Chester Crum - February 16, 2016 at 08:18 AM

VA

“ *Doug u was a great man n friend!! U thought me a lot about basketball n u would do anything for us as kids when we where all growing up!!! RIP Doug u will be missed fly high love u!!!!*



vada - February 15, 2016 at 02:58 PM

UD

“ *Ursula Dingess lit a candle in memory of Howard Douglas Copley*



Ursula dingess - February 15, 2016 at 01:58 PM

UD

Sorry for the loss of your loved one. I have known since he was a little boy. Actually spent some time caring for him and Joyce when they were small. My deepest sympathy to each of you. Ursula Maynard Dingess CHS class of 65

Ursula dingess - February 15, 2016 at 02:05 PM

ME

To the family of Doug Copley I am so sorry for your loss, I didn't know him that well but I did know his parents and Joyce is the sweetest person and I know she is hurting. I will keep the family in prayer and thoughts.

Marlidean (Marcum) Evans - February 15, 2016 at 03:11 PM

CH

“ RIP DOUG YOU WAS A GREAT FRIEND
THANKFUL FOR THE TIME I GOT TO
KNOW YOU



CRYSTAL HALL - February 15, 2016 at 01:56 PM

SC

“ R.I.P Doug u will be sadly missed by many



sonja chafin - February 15, 2016 at 12:57 PM



“ This was and always will be the greatest human being I know loved
him with all my heart

Eva Foster - February 15, 2016 at 12:45 PM



RIP,Doug, Prayers for Joyce, and all of the family, love your cousin
Rose

Rose Griffith - February 15, 2016 at 08:36 PM

MW

“ Mary Williamson lit a candle in memory of
Howard Douglas Copley



Mary Williamson - February 15, 2016 at 12:34 PM

BM

*Love you so much cuz.. I am truly grateful for our times and laughter's together. You were the Best Person I Know.
RIP. I know your momma is waiting @ Heaven's door for a Big Hug From You. A Glorious Day.*

Betti June Messer - February 15, 2016 at 06:18 PM