



Lester Messer

November 1, 1927 - August 25, 2017

Lester Messer 89, of Ferguson Branch Rd., Dunlow, West Virginia went home to be with the Lord on August 25, 2017, at home with his wife and family by his side. Born November 1, 1927, in Breeden, West Virginia, he was the son of the late, Bryant Messer and Rhonda Marcum Messer Dillon. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by three brothers, Gilbert Messer, Clellen Messer and Montie Messer, one sister, Betty Meade and one son, Kenneth Lyle Messer.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Ethel Griffin Messer, two sons, Chuck Messer and Paul (Kathy) Messer, one daughter, Eva Messer Foster and a special granddaughter they raised, Lila Spaulding Elms, one brother, Edward Messer and a special nephew, Stanley Messer. He is also survived by 10 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren, and 1 great great-grandchild.

He was an Army Veteran of the Korean War, where he received a Medal of Honor and a purple heart. He was an avid car lover. He was kind and a loving, caring man, who valued every minute of life. He was loved by all, many nieces and nephews with whom he loved. He will be missed by all.

Per his wishes, there will be no services. Lester donated his body to the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine at Marshall University in Huntington, West Virginia. There will be a memorial service at a later date.

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Dica Parsley-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*



Dica Parsley-Johnson - September 02, 2017 at 05:36 PM

SM

“ *Sandra Marcum lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*



sandra marcum - September 01, 2017 at 09:55 PM

PB

“ *Paula Brewer lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*

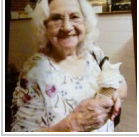


Paula Brewer - September 01, 2017 at 08:31 PM

SM

“ *To a great and true uncle whom I have loved since I was a small child a friend to many he will be missed by his imeadiate family and myself*

Stan Messer - September 01, 2017 at 11:09 AM



“ I will always remember this dear sweet man he was my hero.I love him and always will be in my heart and I know he Loved me he showed it I was his ed.

Juanita White - September 01, 2017 at 08:28 AM



“ Sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family.

Stephanie Meade Farra - September 01, 2017 at 02:40 AM



“ Julie Maggard sent a virtual gift in memory of Lester Messer



Julie Maggard - September 01, 2017 at 01:29 AM



“ Debbie J.Perry Ward lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer



Debbie J.Perry Ward - September 01, 2017 at 12:18 AM



I will always love you Uncle Lester !!!

Debbie J.Perry Ward - September 01, 2017 at 12:20 AM

EH

“ *I sure do miss him,,, Love you all*

Emily Howell - August 31, 2017 at 11:47 PM

 Adrienne Messer

“ *Adrienne Messer lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*



Adrienne Messer - August 31, 2017 at 11:13 PM

 Adrienne Messer

Very Many condolences from the Australian Messers. xx Rest Easy Uncle Lester x

Adrienne Messer - August 31, 2017 at 11:14 PM

CH

“ *So very sorry for your loss, he was a great man loved by many. He will be missed. Sending hugs and prayers to you all. RIP Lester.*



connie Hodge - August 31, 2017 at 07:37 PM

LF

“ *Lois Fields lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*



Lois Fields - August 31, 2017 at 06:43 PM

LF

*He was a great man..
Brother in Christ.. Known him all my life he was my first bus driver in
school. He will be missed by all who knew him.*

Lois Fields - August 31, 2017 at 06:45 PM

SU

“ *Lester was a great man.My dad Roy Messer thought a lot of
Lester,Sorry for your loss and your mothers,*

Suewebb - August 31, 2017 at 06:43 PM

FM

He was truly a great man sorry for your loss

Frank messer - August 31, 2017 at 08:55 PM

VG

“ *I am so glad I got to see you one last time , I will miss you dearly
Uncle Lester ! You are my Favorite Uncle of my life! You and Daddy
(Pete) keep them heavenly roads hot- till we all get there!! Love
Always , Your Niece Vicky* 🥺🥺



Vicky Griffin Grimes - August 31, 2017 at 04:47 PM

VG

Lila Spaulding Elms , Matt Messer Leankenton, Leslie , Eva Jean

Vicky Griffin Grimes - August 31, 2017 at 05:08 PM



I love you papa never will I have a better friend than what I had in you

Logan Workman - September 03, 2017 at 11:12 AM

CY

There was always a smile on Lester face when you saw him and the teehee laugh he had will be one of the memories I'll always have of him. I love you all. Till we meet again RIP Lester

Colleen young - September 13, 2017 at 12:55 AM

SN

“ *Steve & Dimple Newsome lit a candle in memory of Lester Messer*



Steve & Dimple Newsome - August 31, 2017 at 03:56 PM