



Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen

November 14, 1957 - February 28, 2022

Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen, age 64 years, a resident of Huttonsville, passed away Monday evening, February 28, 2022 at this home, surrounded by his family, and under the care of West Virginia Caring Hospice. He was born November 14, 1957, a son of the late Elmer Richard Finlen and the late Ethel Mae Channell Finlen. On December 25, 1976, he was married to Barbara Ann Scott Finlen who survives at Huttonsville. Also surviving is one son, Eric Finlen and wife Julie, Huttonsville; one daughter, Tonya Sycapoose and husband Okey of Huttonsville; two sisters, Kathy Lanham and husband Buck of Mill Creek and Terry Butcher and husband Mike of Dailey. Seven grandchildren, Bailey, Cole and Damian Finlen, Parker and wife Catlyn, Ben, Chloe and boyfriend Nick and Zander Sycapoose and two great grandchildren, Paityn and Konnor Sycapoose also survive. Also preceding him in death in addition to his parents was one brother, Ronald Finlen and his father and mother-in-law, Virgil and "Tibby" Scott. Sonny attended the schools of Randolph County and was employed at Myles Lumber for thirty two years and Fox Lumber for two years prior to becoming disabled. He enjoyed all WVU Sports, Nascar, hunting and fishing. Friends may call from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm Saturday, March 5, 2022 at the Tomblyn Funeral Home in Elkins. A funeral service will be held at 1:00 pm Saturday from the funeral home chapel with Rev. Randy Long officiating. Interment will follow in the Brick Church Cemetery near Huttonsville. The Tomblyn Funeral Home of Elkins is in charge of the arrangements for Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen. Condolences may be expressed to the family at www.tomblynfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Brick Church Cemetery

Huttonsville, WV 26273

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Tomblyn Funeral Home
45 Randolph Ave
Elkins, WV 26241
tomblyn@suddenlinkmail.com

Funeral Service

MAR 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Tomblyn Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen*



Tomblyn Funeral Home and Cremation Service - March 05 at 11:16 AM

CD

“ *I was saddened to hear about the death of your wonderful "Sonny" as I know you loved him so. Please know I love you and your wonderful family. May God comfort your broken heart!*



Carolyn Doerr - March 05 at 08:06 AM

DS

“ *So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

Dave and Bobbie Shreve - March 04 at 11:12 PM

DP

“ *DeNeal & Cathy Phillips lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen*



DeNeal & Cathy Phillips - March 04 at 06:29 PM

DP

Terry, we are sorry for the loss of your brother. Our sympathy goes out to all of his family.

DeNeal & Cathy Phillips - March 04 at 06:30 PM

GV

“ *So sorry for your loss. Hugs & Prayers!!!*

Gene & Carolyn Vandevender - March 04 at 02:45 PM

HC

“ So very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers for all. May God wrap his arms around each of you for peace and comfort



Herman & Ellen (Fenstermacher) Carter - March 04 at 10:44 AM



“ 53 files added to the album Life Tributes



Tomblyn Funeral Home and Cremation Service - March 04 at 09:32 AM

MP

“ Barbara and family
We are sorry for the loss of Sonny
Our prayers are with you
Mick and Sandy Pingley and Zella Pastine

Mickey and Sandy Pingley - March 03 at 06:41 PM

JL

“ Johnny & Stephanie Lewis lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen



Johnny & Stephanie Lewis - March 03 at 03:10 PM

SB

“ My condolences to the family

Sandy Bower - March 02 at 09:34 PM

JP

“ Barb and family, I'm so sorry to hear about Sonny! I enjoyed kidding around with him and always considered him a good friend. God bless your entire family and give you comfort. ❤️

Janet Phillips - March 02 at 08:28 PM

DM

“ Debbie Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen



Debbie Mitchell - March 02 at 08:10 PM

BM

“ Our deepest sympathy ~~Bobbie & Troy McCauley



Bobbie & Troy McCauley - March 02 at 07:50 PM

MM

“ Parker, Caitlyn and family, we are so sorry for your loss.

Mike & Pam Mullenex - March 02 at 05:46 PM

DS

“ Darrell And Kathy Shiflett lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen



Darrell and Kathy Shiflett - March 02 at 04:13 PM

BS

“ Barbara, Tonya, Eric and families. I'm so very sorry for your loss. Sonny was a good guy.
May God wrap his arms around each of you and get you through the days and weeks ahead. Many Prayer.

Becky Smith

Becky Smith - March 02 at 03:26 PM



JP

“ Jenny Pyles lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen

Jenny Pyles - March 02 at 06:30 AM



ET

“ Evelena Taylor sent a virtual gift in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen

Evelena Taylor - March 01 at 07:10 PM



ET

Barb and Family so sorry for your loss Praying for you ,

Evelena Taylor - March 01 at 07:13 PM

SF

“ Sue Ford sent a virtual gift in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen

Sue Ford - March 01 at 07:05 PM



PM

“ Barb, Tonya and family. So saddened to hear about your loss. We will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers. Paul and Louise McAtee



Paul-Louise McAtee - March 01 at 04:30 PM

DL

“ So sorry for your loss, prayers for your family.
Debbie & Bob



Debbie & Bob Lambert - March 01 at 04:27 PM

RI



RichardCroston - March 03 at 09:21 AM

RS

“ Randy Shreve lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen



Randy shreve - March 01 at 04:09 PM

RS

“ So sorry for your loss prayers for the family 🙏

Randy shreve - March 01 at 04:08 PM

CA

“ Sorry to hear of the passing of Sonny. Prayers of Strength and Peace.



Cindy Arbogast - March 01 at 03:15 PM

CL

“ So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends. My hearts breaks for you all and your family. Sonny was a good man always had that smile on his face. Cousin Sonny I will always love you and I am going to miss you. Til we meet again. Rest In Peace Cuz.



CAROLYN LINDSAY - March 01 at 03:04 PM

CA

“ Our prayers are with your family.



Claude and Anita - March 01 at 02:42 PM

JT

“ So sorry for your loss are thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends



Jeffrey and Mary Tenney - March 01 at 02:20 PM

JT

“ Jeffrey And Mary Tenney lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray "Sonny" Finlen



Jeffrey and Mary Tenney - March 01 at 02:13 PM

CG

“ Barb, Tonya & Family, I'm so sorry for your loss.



Cheryl Gum - March 01 at 12:05 PM

RC

“ *RANDY CHEWNING lit a candle in memory of Elmer Ray
"Sonny" Finlen*



RANDY CHEWNING - March 01 at 11:41 AM