



William Harrison "Bill" Fryman

May 12, 1937 - January 4, 2022

William Harrison "Bill" Fryman, 84, of East Union, passed away Tuesday morning at his home. He was born 12 May 1937 in Nicholas County to the late William David "Wigg" and Anna Dora Jolly Fryman.

In his younger years, he was a Professional Wrestler for several years, he worked for the Coca Cola Bottling Company for seventeen years, drove a Nicholas County School Bus for fifteen years and farmed for many years raising tobacco and beef cattle. He was a member of the East Union Christian Church and loved his family unconditionally.

Survivors include his four daughters, Donna Jean Dillon, Deborah Carol "Debbie" Taulbee, Patricia Kay "Patty" Ross and Dora Mae (Wayne) Manley. Twelve grandchildren, Michael Gayle Anderson, Joy Louise Planck, Amanda Ann Mitchell, Julia Lynn Roark, Samantha LeAnn Brown, Sabrina Louise Fryman, Jana Louise McCarty, Angela Arlene McCarty, Patrick Lee Sparks, Erin Mae Sparks, Krista Carol Kates and Earl Wayne Manley Jr. Numerous great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the late Myrtle Louise McGlothin Fryman, a son, William David Fryman, four sisters, Mary Louise "Sissy" Mitchell, Ruby Lee Ring, Violet Marie "Readie" Peel and Helen Janice "Jenny" Glass, two brothers, James Madison "Bud" Fryman and Roy Tilton Fryman and two sons-in-law, Clifton Dailey "Dee" Taulbee and Eugene Forrest "Gene" Ross Sr.

Services will be held Monday January 10, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at the Carlisle-Clark Funeral Home, with Carma Becraft Brown officiating. Visitation will be 12:00-2:00, prior to time of service. Burial will be in Long View Cemetery, Bethel.

Pallbearers will be Earl Wayne Manley, Woodie Lee Fryman, Michael Gayle Anderson, Christopher Wayne Fryman, Chad Everett Becraft, Keith Madison Fryman, Shawn Christopher Becraft and Patrick Lee Sparks. Carlisle-Clark Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Longview Cemetery

1135 Bethel Ridge Road
Bethel, KY 40374

Previous Events

Service

JAN 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Carlisle-Clark Funeral Home
203 Eastern Ave
Carlisle, KY 40311
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Tribute Wall



“ *William Harrison "Bill" Fryman*

January 30, 2023 at 06:04 AM



“ *My first memory of papaw Bill was riding back to mamaw and papaw's house with him from school when I was 5. He let me stand up front and talk to him after all the other kids had been taken home, and the whole way we argued about the chicken and the egg; as soon as I got him convinced that one side was logical, I'd take the other side and start arguing THAT. He said by the time we got back, he said I had him so turned around he didn't know which way was up! (I still think he was humoring me.)*
His daughters may not acknowledge some of us as being family, but he will ALWAYS have been one of my papaws, and those memories are something noone can take.

Brandi - March 13, 2022 at 03:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman.*



January 09, 2022 at 12:30 PM

RG

“ I had the privilege of working a long time along with Bill when he drove a bus and I worked in the bus garage at Nicholas County. I believe he was as good a man as I have ever know. It was always a joy to be around him especially when he was sharing his life. I am a better person today from knowing Bill. I wish life had more Bill Frymans in it we would be a better place to live. Love and prayers for and to his family. Richard and Denise Gardner

Richard Gardner - January 08, 2022 at 12:24 PM

NO

“ Nancy Oney lit a candle in memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Nancy Oney - January 07, 2022 at 11:46 PM

NO

“ Debbie, Dora, Donna, and Patty,
I am so sorry to hear about Mr. Bill. He was a good man and will be missed by many. I found out one thing about him that I didn't know and that was he was a professional wrestler!!! I sure would like to have seen that!! I hope you girls stick together and share stories of him and write them down for your kids . My deepest sympathies are with you all!!

Nancy Oney - January 07, 2022 at 11:45 PM

KW

“ *Rest in Paradise. Thank you for being the and friend to many from David Watkins*



Kimbera Watkins - January 07, 2022 at 02:34 PM

KW

“ *Kimbera Watkins lit a candle in memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman*



Kimbera Watkins - January 07, 2022 at 02:32 PM

SA

“ *Shella Adkins lit a candle in memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman*



Shella Adkins - January 07, 2022 at 01:43 PM

TB

“ *...sorry to hear of your dad passing.*

terry barnes - January 07, 2022 at 11:00 AM

JW

“ Donna Patty Debbie Dora
So sorry to hear about your Dad.
He will be missed by many.
Many hugs and Prayers for each of you girls...



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - January 06, 2022 at 10:29 AM

JW

“ Jackie And Cindy Watkins lit a candle in
memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - January 05, 2022 at 11:49 AM

RS

“ Ruth Ann Shearer lit a candle in memory of
William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Ruth Ann Shearer - January 05, 2022 at 10:48 AM



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the family of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman.



January 05, 2022 at 09:11 AM

JW

“ Sending each of you girls a huge hug. Love ya bunches.



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - January 04, 2022 at 09:47 PM

DS

“ Debbie Sidles sent a virtual gift in memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Debbie Sidles - January 04, 2022 at 09:42 PM

JW

“ Hugs for each of you girls. Love ya bunches



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - January 04, 2022 at 09:41 PM

DS

“ Debbie Sidles lit a candle in memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Debbie Sidles - January 04, 2022 at 09:40 PM

JW

“ Donna, Patty, Debbie, Dora
So sorry to hear about your Dad. He was a
hard worker and a great man.
May God wrap His arms around each of you,
comfort you and guide you through the
coming days of sorrow.
Bill will never be forgotten....



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - January 04, 2022 at 09:38 PM

KM

“ Bill was my bus driver for many years. At the end of each school
year we would have a water balloon fight in the bus. He always
made sure we had fun while doing it! At some point he would even
stop on our lane so we could spray kids with the water hose. There
was never a holiday break that we rode the bus home that he didn't
share his hard earned paycheck and give us a couple dollars from
it. He was truly a man of God and will be so so missed!

Katelyn Mitchell - January 04, 2022 at 09:24 PM

KH

“ Kenny & Martha Holbrook lit a candle in
memory of William Harrison "Bill" Fryman



Kenny & Martha Holbrook - January 04, 2022 at 09:23 PM