



## Bennie L. Samples

March 22, 1931 - June 26, 2014

Bennie L. Samples, 83, of St. Albans went home to the arms of Jesus, Thursday, June 26, 2014 at home.

Born March 22, 1931 in Clendenin, WV, he was a son of the late Lawrence Melvin and Velva Gertrude Kennedy Samples. He was also preceded in death by his sister, Lois Robinson, his brother, Melvin "Worth" Samples.

He was retired from FMC, South Charleston as an operator. He was also formerly employed by the Rubber Plant, Institute. He was a member of Humphreys Memorial United Methodist Church, Tornado where he also was a choir member. He served his country with the United States Army during the Korean War era.

Surviving are his wife of 20 years, Lora Sue Samples; sons, Dale Samples of St. Albans, Wade Samples (Shannon) of St. Albans; daughter, Lynne Samples of Nitro; step children, Michelle Kiszka of Oak Hill, Cassie Baker of Seattle, WA, Leon Kiszka of Oak Hill; his grandchildren, Amesley, Jarrod, Zachary, Donovan, Dareian, Devyn, Amanda, Conner, Shayla, Levi, Seth and Kianna. Also surviving are his brothers, Lincoln of Arizona, Kyle of Montana, Mack of Duck, Ted of Harrisville, Roger of Kentucky.

Funeral service will be held at 11am Saturday at Bartlett-Chapman Funeral

Home, St. Albans, with Rev. Patty Runnion officiating. Burial will be in the Samples Cemetery, Corton, WV. Visitation will be held from 6-8pm Friday at the funeral home.

You may visit [www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com](http://www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com) to share sympathies with the family.

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family-owned and located at 409 Sixth Avenue, St. Albans is honored to serve the Samples family.

# Cemetery Details

## Samples Cemetery

Corton, WV

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JUN 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home  
409 Sixth Avenue  
St. Albans, WV 25177  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bennie L. Samples*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Cousin Bennie (whom I usually called Mort). Long time since I had seen you but you are fondly remembered from the days in Corton, WV. Also reconnected for a short period in St. Albans when I lived there as well. Rest in peace my cousin and to the family, my sincere condolences.*

*Jim Westfall  
Louisville, KY*

**jim westfall** - June 30, 2014 at 11:43 AM



“ *Rod And Becky Vannoy sent a virtual gift in memory of Bennie L. Samples*



**Rod and Becky Vannoy** - June 27, 2014 at 09:29 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers!*

**Denise (Cyrus) Ash** - June 27, 2014 at 08:11 AM

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“ *Ted and Roger, I am so sorry for your family's loss. Praying that God's peace will surround your family. Connie Smith Pence*

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**Connie Smith Pence** - June 27, 2014 at 08:04 AM

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“ *Scott, Loni, Karen, Doug and Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Bennie L. Samples.*



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**Scott, Loni, Karen, Doug and Family** - June 26, 2014 at 09:44 PM