



## Frank Thomas Elkins

May 9, 1938 - September 16, 2017

Frank Thomas Elkins, 79, of Spurlockville, WV (formerly of Hurricane, WV) passed away September 16, 2017 at St. Mary's Medical Center in Huntington, WV.

He was born May 9, 1938, in Brushton, Boone County, WV, the youngest of 8 children of the late James Howard and Lola Ellen Hager Elkins. He was a graduate of Sherman High School, US Air Force veteran, former owner of 2 Texaco service stations, and a long-haul truck driver for many years.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 40 years Carol Sue Martin Elkins; 3 infant sons; brothers Edward Elkins, James H. Elkins, Jr., and Guy Elkins; sisters Evelyn Abbott, Nora Jean Ignatious, and Corene Martin; daughter-in-Law Sherry Briddell Elkins.

He is survived by his son, James W. Elkins of Hurricane; daughters Angela D. Elkins and Nichole R. Elkins both of Richmond, VA; grandchildren Jennifer L. Elkins Buckreis (Andrew) of Reston, VA, and James W. Elkins, II of Richmond, VA; sister Lola Mae Flint of Culloden, WV.

His family will be receiving visitors from 5-7 pm Friday, September 22 at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane. A short service will follow at 7 that evening. Private graveside service will be Saturday, September 23 at the Elkins-Hager cemetery in Spurlockville, WV.

Chapman Funeral Home, family owned and located at 3941 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, is honored to serve the Elkins family.



# Cemetery Details

## Elkins Hager Cemetery

Spurlockville, WV 25565

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane  
3941 Teays Valley Road  
Hurricane, WV 25526  
(304) 757-7531  
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## Funeral Service

SEP 22. 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Frank Thomas Elkins*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *I remember like it was yesterday you came to California to stay with us, your brother Jim, my mother Beulah Mae and of course me, Debbie Elkins! We went to Disneyland and hung out..my Dad was proud of you. Being I was just a little girl I WAS IN awe of your uniform. Thank you for that memory and thank you for staying in touch throughout the years! Loved you then, love you now.*

**DEBBIE ELKINS STARKS** - September 23, 2017 at 12:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frank Thomas Elkins.*



September 21, 2017 at 12:29 PM



“ *Thank you for your service to our country Mr. Elkins!*

**Kaye, Charleston, WV** - September 21, 2017 at 08:51 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Frank Thomas Elkins, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten..*

*My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Air Force Veteran, Frank Thomas Elkins, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - September 21, 2017 at 06:56 AM



“ *Carri Chapman lit a candle in memory of  
Frank Thomas Elkins*



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**Carri Chapman** - September 20, 2017 at 12:17 PM

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“ Tom Fenton purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Frank Thomas Elkins.



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**Tom Fenton** - September 20, 2017 at 10:23 AM

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“ I will never forget meeting Uncle Frank for the first time at their home in Hurricane, he was so quite but had the kindest eyes. It will be different when we are home in October to not visit with him. Love to all, Ruth

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**Ruth Flint** - September 19, 2017 at 10:55 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Frank Thomas Elkins.



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September 19, 2017 at 10:52 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Frank Thomas Elkins.



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September 19, 2017 at 09:41 PM