



## Ronald Eugene Riggs

October 16, 1953 - January 14, 2023

Ronald Eugene Riggs, 69, of Buffalo, WV, formerly of Elkview, passed away on January 14, 2023 at home with his family by his side.

Ronald was born to late Reese Riggs and Velma Mae Chaplin Riggs. In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by a son, Michael Roseberry, his siblings: Stevie Riggs, Dale Riggs, Ellen Stewart and Richard Riggs.

He was a heavy equipment mechanic and master of all trades, he especially enjoyed his classic car and winning a trophy with the Cops N Rodders Antique Car Club.

Ronald is survived by his wife of 25 years, Karen A. Riggs; mother Velma M. Riggs, children: Darlinda Reid of London, Ronald Riggs II of Elkview, Stella F. Riggs of Elkview, Kevin B. Riggs of Hurricane, Christina Beller of Red House, Donald Slate II of Buffalo, Bobby Bragg of Hurricane and Franklin Bragg of Cross Lanes; sister: Patty Strickland of Elkview; and brother, Robert Riggs of Clay Co., 33 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, as well as many other family members and friends.

Funeral Service for Ronald will be 1:00pm Tuesday January 17, 2023 at Chapman Funeral Home Winfield, WV with Rev. Chuck Hager officiating.

A private family Burial will be at Riggs Family Cemetery Buffalo, WV.

Friends may visit the family an hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Anyone wishing to leave an online memory may do so by visiting his tribute page at: [www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com](http://www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com).

Chapman Funeral Home 12848 Winfield Road Winfield, WV 25213 is honored to handle the Riggs family arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Riggs Family Cemetery

Charleston Road  
Buffalo, WV 25033

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 17. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home, Winfield  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Chapman Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronald Eugene Riggs*



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**Chapman Funeral Homes** - January 17, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Ronald Eugene Riggs*

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October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald Eugene Riggs.*



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January 17, 2023 at 10:32 AM

KC

“ I am so saddened to hear of his passing. I have so many fond memories of my childhood with my cousins, when we came for our visits from Florida. I remember Ronnie & Dale always had the ponies ready for me to go riding when we came. Picture this of Florida girl trying to keep up with them on the mountain sides. Going to visit Aunt Velma was always such fun (music singing) . I sure miss those days. I am so Blessed to have all the memories with them all. Hugs & Prayers to his Family. Love Always Kathy

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**Katherine Chaplin** - January 16, 2023 at 03:47 PM



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January 16, 2023 at 09:11 AM

RL

“ Reg 442 Asplundh Tree Expert LLC purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ronald Eugene Riggs.



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**Reg 442 Asplundh Tree Expert LLC** - January 16, 2023 at 08:40 AM

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“ We order gravel and he was the truck driver and he new who I was and sit and talked to me for awhile drinking a cup of coffee it was so nice because I have not seen him for along time then he went out to visit my mom( Judith Roton ) wonderful man gone but never forgotten sending alot of love to our families. ❤️

Judy holstein (roton) - January 15, 2023 at 11:35 PM



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January 15, 2023 at 03:17 PM

KR

“ Dad, I will never forget being your baby boy, Until I see you again, we love you and will cherish the time we got to spend with you on this earth. We will be together again one day.

Kevin Riggs - January 15, 2023 at 01:31 PM