



Earnest Morgan Wright

December 9, 1964 - June 1, 2026

Earnest Morgan Wright, age 61, passed away on June 1st, 2026, at Pikeville Medical Center. Earnest was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Earnest Arlin Wright and Lilly Wright, and maternal grandparents, Roland and Mary Alice Neal.

Survivors include:

Parents: LM Wright and Eva Wright

One son: Andrew Wright

Two sisters: Vicki Mooney and Tina (Tommy) Raymond

One brother: Michael Wayne Wright (Kimberly)

Family will receive friends Friday, June 5th, 2026, from 12:00 pm until 1:00 pm in the Mullins Funeral Home Chapel, with a funeral service to begin at 1:00 pm, with clergy Frank Hall officiating. Graveside service will follow at the Wright/Whisenhunt Cemetery (RT 72), Clintwood, Virginia.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Wright-Whisenhunt Cemetery

Clintwood, VA 24228

Previous Events

Family will receive friends

JUN 5. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Mullins Funeral Home Chapel
210 Main St.
Clintwood, VA 24228

Funeral Service

JUN 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

JUN 5 (ET)

Wright-Whisenhunt Cemetery
Clintwood, VA 24228

Tribute Wall



“ *Mullins Funeral Home and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Earnest Morgan Wright*



Mullins Funeral Home and Crematory - June 03 at 01:27 PM

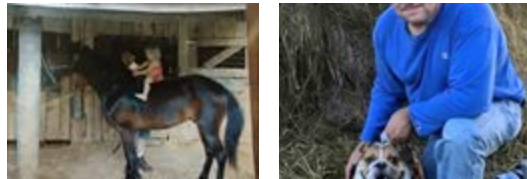
EM

ERNIE WAS A VERY WONDERFUL FRIEND TO ME N WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON AS WELL... SO SRRY 4 Y'ALL'S LOSS POWERFUL PRAYERS 4 FAMILY N FRIENDS...I WILL MISS U MY FRIEND ❤️🥹

Emily moore - June 11 at 07:48 PM

RG

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Rhonda Greer - June 04 at 05:45 PM



“ 11 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Mullins Funeral Home and Crematory - June 03 at 01:05 PM



“ *Jimmy, Rebecca (Jenkins) & Tyler Robinson lit a candle in memory of Earnest Morgan Wright*



Jimmy, Rebecca (Jenkins) & Tyler Robinson - June 03 at 12:56 PM



“ *Roma Mullins lit a candle in memory of Earnest Morgan Wright*



Roma Mullins - June 03 at 11:55 AM

CB

“ One of my best memories of Ernie was when I was young he was trying to teach me how to tie my shoes he tied one of his own started on the other when MASH or Stanford and Sons came on he immediately said we can work on this later I don't think we did but we sat there for easily an hour watching TV with his one tied shoe and both of mine just lying there. I'll miss you Ernie

Caleb Bryant - June 03 at 12:07 AM

RB

One of my best childhood friends and neighbors, many memories in Osborne's Gap with Ernie and Mike. I will miss you ole buddy. Roy

Roy Baker - June 05 at 10:59 AM

WG

“ With love, Rhonda Greer purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Earnest Morgan Wright.



With love, Rhonda Greer - June 02 at 09:37 PM

RG

“Ernie Wright came into my life at a time I was grieving the loss of my husband in 2001. I had just moved to Osborne Gap from California to be near my husband's family. Ernie was a neighbor who came to work building a barn on my husband's cousins property. To make a long story short, our mutual interest in horses drew us together and for 12 years our relationship was fire and ice. On again, off again. He was my friend, my love, my roommate, my protector and my advisor on all things involving horses. He actually accidentally bought a Standardbred gelding at an auction we were attending in Ohio all because he raised his hand to point out a friend up near the auction ring. He had to call his father, LM Wright to arrange transport of the horse back to Clintwood with another friend that had room on his trailer. We were just there to buy tack and hadn't even brought a trailer along. Boy, his daddy gave him Hell for that one.

I was always his biggest fan at horseshows. I couldn't hardly watch at the breakneck speeds he rode his pacin' horses.

Eventually I moved back out west to be near my son, grandchildren and aging father in 2014.

Ernie drove me, my dog and everything I could pack into a u haul trailer all the way out to Idaho. Then he flew back to Virginia because that's where his heart was. In the hills of Virginia and Kentucky with his friends, family and beloved pacin' horses. I will always cherish my years with Ernie and my experiences with the horses, people and lifestyle of southwest Virginia

Ultimately Ernie met a wonderful lady named Becky from Kentucky. I must admit I was jealous for a long time until I got to know her.

She was everything he needed and she and I have become friends.

I will be forever grateful to her for standing by his side until the end.

I will never forget my time with you Ernie Wright.

I never really stopped loving you.

PACE ON!

Memories by Rhonda Greer

Rhonda Greer - June 02 at 09:28 PM

TB

“ Vicki I am so so sorry for the loss of your brother. He was a real character. So funny and a Jokester . We went to highschool together so many moons ago .. Earnie God Needed you in the Horse Show up in the Heavens Ride my friend Ride !! Gonna miss you my friend... Rest Easy Cowboy .. And Run free of sickness and pain .. Run Free



Tammy Kea Branham - June 02 at 04:58 PM

SR

So sad prayers for the family and friends 🙏🙏

Scott Ramey - June 02 at 05:55 PM

LY

“ So sorry to hear of Ernies passing . He was always kind . He was a fine horseman . Rest easy and turn those horses on in heavens ring.



Lana S Yates - June 02 at 02:05 PM

TM

Ernie was my classmate and a one of a kind . Thought the world of him . R.I.P. Prayers now and days ahead . God Bless Bro Tim Mullins

Tim Mullins - June 02 at 07:35 PM