



Fred Cecil Kelly

June 15, 1936 - April 2, 2022

Fred Cecil Kelly of Clintwood, Virginia born June 15, 1936, passed away Saturday, April 2, 2022. Fred had made his home in Big Stone Gap, Virginia for over 50 years. He loved his home town of Clintwood and was so proud that his senior class was the first to attend Clintwood High School in 1954 and the first graduating class in 1955. He loved to study and talk about history, loved classic cars and car races, but his favorite thing to do was to tell stories of the “good ole days” and he had plenty of them. He was preceded in death by his father, James M. Kelly; his mother, Lola Keel Kelly of Clintwood, Virginia; and his younger brother, Billy Joe Kelly, who made his home in Flagstaff, Arizona.

He is survived by:

One Daughter: Terri Jo of Big Stone Gap, Virginia

Three Sisters: Betty Parrish of Warren, Michigan, Margaret Cussins of Clintwood, Virginia, and Suzie Yates of Bristol, Virginia

Two Granddaughters: Ashley Sharrett and Chelsea Lawson

Two Great Grandchildren of Big Stone Gap, Virginia

Special Friend: Linda Stidham also of Big Stone Gap, Virginia.

Fred Kelly was buried at Legion Memorial Cemetery in Big Stone Gap, Virginia.

He will be missed dearly by lots of cousins, nieces, nephews, and lots of friends everywhere, as he never met a stranger.

Mullins Funeral Home and Staff are serving the Kelly family. Online condolences may be made online at www.mullinsfuneralhome.net.

Cemetery Details

Legion Memorial Cemetery

Powell Valley Road
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219

Tribute Wall

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“ We are saddened to learn of Fred's passing and the entire Willis family of Clintwood extends our heartfelt condolences to the Kelly family, I remember Freddie dating all the way back to the late 40's and early 50's and those are some of the fondest memories of my life. Memories of Freddie and Billy are the cornerstone to those good ole days around Dad's store. They will be cherished forever. We all had a high regard for Fred and his self-styled individualism. He never changed just to accommodate someone else's opinion. We will surely miss him. Johnny and William Willis

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“ Condolences to his family and friends.

Jeannie Stanley Mullins - April 12, 2022 at 11:44 AM