



Richard Louis Devore

March 3, 1936 - January 21, 2025

Richard Louis Devore, 88, of New Castle passed away on Tuesday, January 21, 2025 at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital.

He was born on March 3, 1936 in Monongahela, PA, a son of the late Maynard Elmer and Helen Elizabeth (McKenly) Devore.

Richard was a member of Open Arms Church and was employed by Conrail as a Railroad Track Patrol Foreman for 33 years before retiring. He was an avid Pittsburgh Pirates and Steelers fan and enjoyed dancing, bowling, hunting and fishing. Richard had many friends as he enjoyed attending events at the American Legion, Senior Citizen Center and Rose Bowl. He was a caring man who loved his family and never met a stranger.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children, Edith (Richard) Byers, Brenda Ramey; Virginia Devore, mother of Clayton Hyslop, Donna (Rod) Sawyer, Ramsey Hyslop and Bonnie Simpson; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren and extended family members.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Grace Elizabeth Griest Devore; second wife, Evelyn Devore; a son, Jack Griest; a daughter-in-law, Debbie Griest; Sons-in-law, Danny Ramey and Fred Simpson; siblings, Maynard Elmer Devore and Edith Jane Devore Snyder.

A memorial service will be held at 6:00 pm, Wednesday, January 29, 2025 at Opens Arms Church 1618 Broad Street, New Castle, IN 47362 followed by a time of gathering.

You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Richard Devore.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN **29**. 6:00 PM (ET)

Open Arms Church
1618 Broad St.
New Castle, IN 47362

Tribute Wall



“ 146 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - January 29, 2025 at 12:39 PM

JT

“ *My deepest sympathy for the family. Richard was always kind and very caring. A great man of faith. Edith and family are in my thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you during this time. Love, Jo*



Joanna Thompson - January 29, 2025 at 10:39 AM

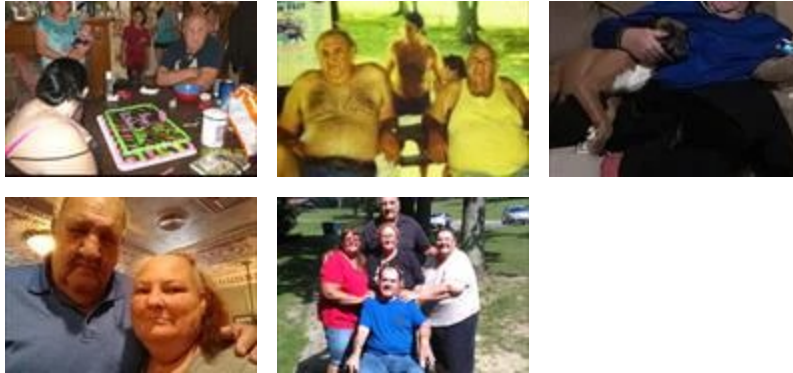
EB

Thank you. I know we will see him again one day, but I sure miss him.

Edith Byers - April 01, 2025 at 12:20 AM

BD

“ We will always love you uncle rich ❤️ rest easy



Beth Devore - January 27, 2025 at 05:45 PM

BD

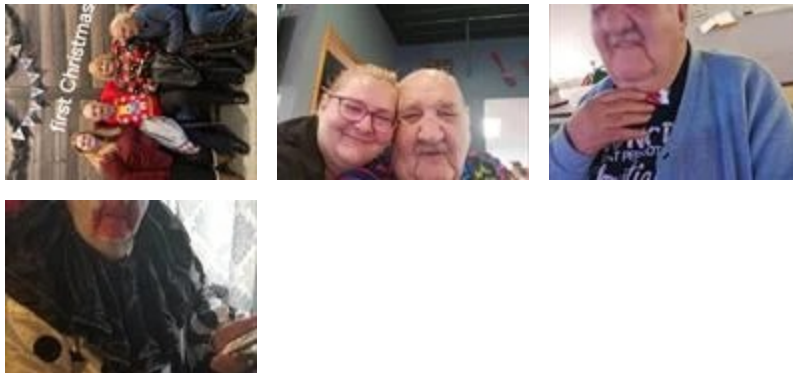
“ Beth Devore lit a candle in memory of Richard Devore



Beth Devore - January 27, 2025 at 05:36 PM

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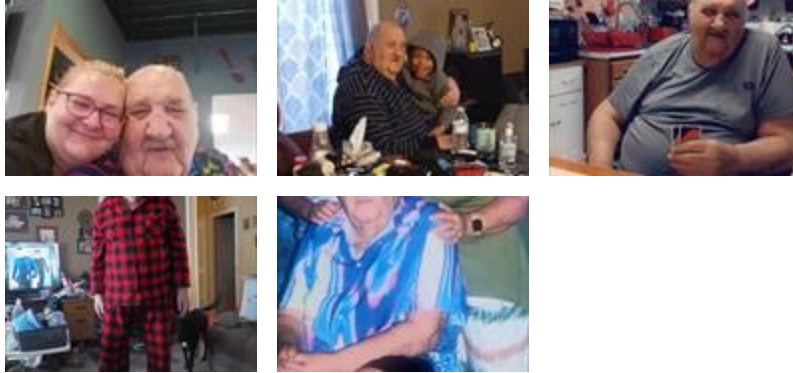
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Victoria Shirah - January 25, 2025 at 04:11 PM

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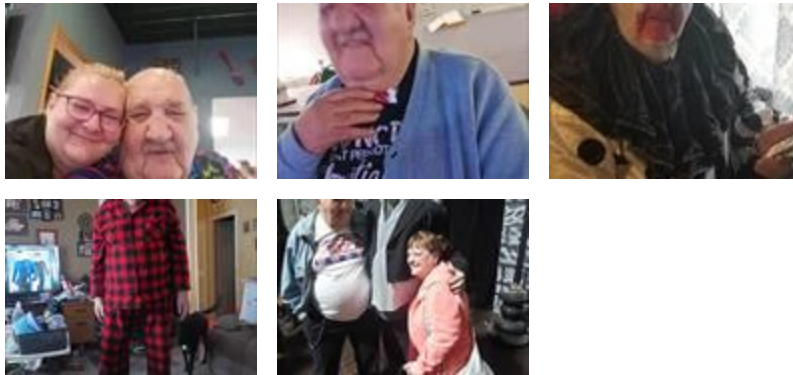
“ When I meet grandpa he had a big smile on his face and he have the big heart



Victoria Shirah - January 25, 2025 at 12:12 PM

VS

“ Grandpa we going miss you



Victoria Shirah - January 25, 2025 at 12:01 PM

RB

“ 24 files added to the tribute wall



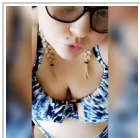
Rick and Edith Byers - January 25, 2025 at 11:50 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard Louis Devore.



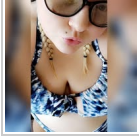
January 25, 2025 at 10:42 AM



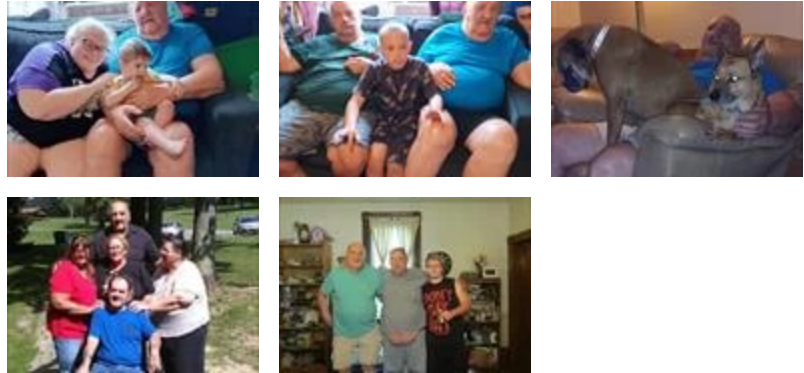
“ Ashley Devore lit a candle in memory of Richard Devore



Ashley Devore - January 25, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ I will love you forever uncle Rich. I miss you so much.



Ashley Devore - January 25, 2025 at 09:23 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Edith Byers (daughter) - January 25, 2025 at 08:41 AM



“ Brenda Ramey I never got to meet your Dad I'm very sorry for your loss Saundra Guffey Cecil

Saundra Guffey Cecil - January 24, 2025 at 06:46 AM



“ Edith I'm so sorry for the loss of your Dad I never got the pleasure to meet him I am very sorry for your loss your Friend Saundra Guffey Cecil

Saundra Guffey Cecil - January 24, 2025 at 06:38 AM

RB

Thank you. You would have loved him. Everyone he met did.

Rick and Edith Byers - January 27, 2025 at 01:17 PM

SC

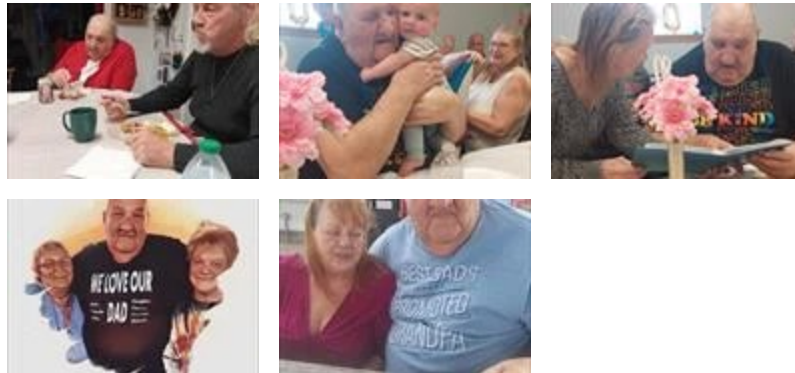
“Saundra Guffey Cecil lit a candle in memory of Richard Devore



Saundra Guffey Cecil - January 24, 2025 at 06:23 AM

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“67 files added to the tribute wall



Rick and Edith Byers - January 24, 2025 at 12:28 AM

DW

“So many wonderful sweet memories to the sweetest man I know, you are so loved, A piece of my heart goes with you, rest in peace until we meet again in Heaven. love ya.....

Debbie Walters - January 23, 2025 at 07:52 PM

RB

“ *Rick and Edith Byers lit a candle in memory of Richard Devore*



Rick and Edith Byers - January 23, 2025 at 05:56 PM