



Lemuel J Pelley

January 31, 2024

In Loving Memory

Lemuel “Jay” Pelley, (82), of Foley, Alabama passed away January 31, 2024. He was born on September, 06, 1941 in Dunnville, KY, to the late Jess Pelley & Opal Pelley.

He is survived by his four children, Julie Fowler of Panama City Beach, FL, Jana Pena of Summerdale, AL, Jesse Pelley of Foley, AL & Jeanette Smedley of Loxley, AL. He is also survived by two sisters, Peggy Posey of Scipio, IN, Sue Scott of Columbus, IN & a brother, Mitch Pelley of Dunnville, KY. He was preceded in death by his parents Jess & Opal Pelley of Columbus, IN. & also a grandson, Jeffrey Tolbert of Summerdale, AL. He had eleven grandchildren & twenty one great grandchildren.

Jay was a veteran & served in the Army. Over the years, he worked maintenance, truck driving & was in the auto business.

Jay grew up & spent most of his life in Columbus, IN. He enjoyed playing cards, fishing & spending time with family & friends. He had a heart of gold & never met a stranger. He was loved by everyone & will be dearly missed.

There will be a “celebration of life”, held at a later date, in Columbus, IN.

Isaiah 40: 31

But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings as eagles, they shall run, and not be weary, and they shall walk, and not faint.

Tribute Wall

KL

“ *When I was a kid, I always loved going to Uncle Jay’s house. He always planned fun things for us to do. His loud boisterous laugh was just like Grandpa Pelley’s. As an adult with children of my own, we would visit him and grandma Pelley. He would entertain my girls, just like he entertained me when I was little. Uncle Jay was all about family. I will miss your laugh Jaybird I love you!* ”

Kay Lord - February 13, 2024 at 10:04 PM

PP

*He was my brother
He was all ways there for me
We all ways had get together s
And enjoyed family
All thur he moved away
We stayed in touch
By trips when I went to Fla
I went to see him
He will be missed
Love Peg*

Peggy lou Pelley Posey - April 02, 2024 at 07:29 AM

PP

I was with him when he died

Peggy lou Pelley Posey - April 02, 2024 at 07:30 AM

JF

“Dad was such a great person & he loved life. Before he got really sick, I would pick him up and take him to one of our favorite seafood restaurants. He enjoyed that so much! He never met a stranger. All of the hospice nurses & aides just loved him. He would tell them all to go in the refrigerator and get them something to drink, before they left. He loved to fish and enjoyed playing cards. Once he moved down south, he got sick & really didn't get to do all he hoped to do. I hope that you are fishing & enjoying life now Dad! I love you & I will miss you like crazy, until we meet again! Love your baby girl (Julie)



Julie Fowler - February 09, 2024 at 01:07 AM

KA

“Me and the boys will miss our papaw. He was so good to us. He was always there for us. I'll miss our conversations and his stories he would share. I was thinking the other day I'll sure miss him hollering my name, that made me pretty sad. Papaw was a tough bird but he had a soft side. He was good hearted and good to people. He also thought me how to cook the best cobblers and meatloaf / chicken n dumplings. He was an awesome cook and he made the best biscuits and gravy. He was so good to my boys and cared for them dearly. But Most of all he taught me that family is important to always be there for one another. We will miss you papaw. We won't ever forget we had a grampa. Until we meet again. May you rest in peace papaw, Jay bird. Love Kooter, littleStar and little Arrow.



Kasey - February 08, 2024 at 10:11 PM

KD

“ I have met Mr Jay several times. He was quick with a joke and had a most joyous laugh. I know he will be missed greatly! My prayers go out to the family of this most beloved man. There are no words to express how truly sorry I am for your loss! I pray for comfort and peace for you all. Kelly Dickson

kelly dickson - February 08, 2024 at 09:03 PM