



Dale M. Gapen

March 13, 1935 - January 16, 2019

Dale M. Gapen, 83, of Mapletown, Pa., passed away Wednesday, January 16, 2019, at the Ruby Memorial Hospital, Morgantown, West Virginia. Born in Dunkard Township, Greene County, Pa. on March 13, 1935, he was a son of the late Herschel and Hazel (McCann) Gapen.

A lifelong resident of Greene County, he was a skilled machinist by trade.

Surviving is his wife of 63 years, Helen (Kuhla) Gapen; three children, Roxanne Stillwagon of Masontown, Pa., Daniel Gapen, and Holly Bird (Joe Yurick), all of Mapletown; five grandsons, Travis Bird, Andrew Bird, Jason Stillwagon, Joshua Stillwagon and his wife Courtney, and Justin Stillwagon; and many friends.

Also deceased, in addition to his parents, are two brothers, Herschel Gapen and Delbert Gapen.

The family will receive friends in the Richard R. Herod Funeral Home, Point Marion, on Sunday from 2 – 5 P.M. Funeral services will begin at 5:00 in the funeral home. Private Interment will be in Monongahela Hill Cemetery, Greensboro. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be offered to the American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

Monongahela Hill Cemetery

1992 S. Eighty-eight Road
Greensboro, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 20. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Herod-Rishel Funeral Home
501 Morgantown Street
Point Marion, PA 15474
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dale was someone who will never be forgotten. I use to go by almost daily and Dale would be setting on the porch. I would wave or toot my horn. I am going to miss seeing him. He did work on mowers for me and was going to repair a old glider for me. Well we just never got around to it. My thought and prayers are with the family and friends. RIP Dale.

Patricia A. Presock - January 20, 2019 at 10:34 AM

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“ To: Family of Dale Gapen -- Very sorry to hear of your recent loss of Dale. He was a cousin of my father, Charles Gapen and wife Alice. Dale was very kind and helpful to my parents on many occasions. May God's strength give each of you comfort at this sad time. From: Carol Lee Forte (Gapen).

Carol Forte - January 19, 2019 at 10:09 AM

MJ

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Will miss visiting with Uncle Dale and hearing all his stories. We lost a great historian. He always remembered everyone.

Melanie & Jay Johnson

Melanie Johnson - January 17, 2019 at 07:20 PM