



Rex Pritt

June 23, 1958 - August 5, 2015

Rex Pritt, 57 of Zanesville, died Wednesday, August 5, 2015 at Genesis Hospital from injuries sustained following a tragic accident. He was born Monday, June 23, 1958 in Marietta, the son of Velva A. (Short) Pritt and the late Troy R. Pritt and attended the Northside Church of the Nazarene.

Rex worked as a roofer with Saup Hartley Heating & Cooling. He had a great sense of humor and never met a stranger. He enjoyed 4-wheeling and mudding; he had a big heart and would help anyone in need. Rex was a loving and caring son, brother and uncle who will be missed by all who knew him.

Rex is survived by his mother: Velva Pritt of Zanesville; five brothers and sisters: Ervan Pritt of Beverly, Dixie Starkey of Zanesville, Merlin (Betty) Pritt of Mineral City, Sherry (Jeff) Wheeler of Zanesville and Troy M. Pritt of Zanesville and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of friends.

In addition to his father Troy R. Pritt, Rex was preceded in death by one brother-in-law: Richard Starkey.

Friends may call from 2:00 to 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 PM, Friday, August 7, 2015, at the Hillis, Combs & Nestor Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue,

Zanesville. Funeral services to celebrate Rex's life will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, August 8, at the funeral home with Rev. James Miller officiating. Rex will be laid to rest next to his father in Watson Cemetery in McConnelsville. To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com.

Cemetery Details

Watson Cemetery

McConnelsville, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 7. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Hillis Combs Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ Hillis Combs Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rex Pritt



Hillis Combs Funeral Home - August 07, 2015 at 12:20 PM

BF

“ I am so sorry to hear about Rex, we knew each other from the early 60's to the early 70's.. He was the 1st boy that I went 'Steady" with. Prayers sent for the family. Beth Fleming-Epperson.

Beth E Fleming - January 14 at 08:06 AM



“ Rex Pritt

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM

JC

“ So sorry to hear about your loss. Prayers are with you. Velma thanks for having me a part of your family. I remember the good times playing softball. Gary and Judy Cain

Judy cain - August 08, 2015 at 03:34 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Rex Pritt.* ”



August 07, 2015 at 05:13 PM



“ *No words can describe the loss we feel over our "little brothers" passing. Our deepest heartfelt sympathies go out to you in this time of sorrow. Rex will truly be missed. With much love and prayers, Terry, Karen, and Doris Ray* ”

Terry Ray - August 07, 2015 at 02:18 PM



“ *97 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Hillis Combs Funeral Home - August 07, 2015 at 11:34 AM



We had a lot of memories from school. I will miss you buddy.

Charles McMannis - August 07, 2015 at 01:15 PM

AS

“ Angie Schmidt purchased the Heartwarming Thoughts Boston Fern for the family of Rex Pritt.



Angie Schmidt - August 07, 2015 at 08:54 AM

BT

“ Beth Tippie lit a candle in memory of Rex Pritt



Beth Tippie - August 07, 2015 at 12:47 AM

DJ

“ Doddi Jones lit a candle in memory of Rex Pritt



Doddi Jones - August 06, 2015 at 06:47 PM

DS

“ I will never forget Rex's laugh, I have so many memories, like the time he told my kids that it was they're mom making that noise coming from the bathroom instead of the pipes. Always joking. My thoughts and prayers are with the family, I love you all.

Donna Short - August 06, 2015 at 06:09 PM

MB

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Rex he never meant a stranger and every time we saw him he never pass by with stoping to talk he will be missed by many our thoughts and prayers go out to the family Teresa & Mark Burkett



Mark &Teresa Burkett - August 06, 2015 at 05:21 PM

JC

“ Awe. . . I'm so very sorry for the loss of Rex. He had such a good heart, which I use to tell him that he got from his mom 😊 ; And his braveness had to come from his dad. I have good memories of Rex and will never forget those! Rest in peace Rex and someday hopefully we shall see each other again! I pray that the Lord comforts all of his family!

Joe and Donna Crouse Cosgrave - August 06, 2015 at 03:22 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rex Pritt.



August 06, 2015 at 10:32 AM

SC

“ Prayers for the Pritt family. Rex never met a stranger and had a great heart. So many great memories with him. See you again some day. Peace!

Steve Carrel - August 06, 2015 at 09:26 AM

JH

“ So sorry for your loss.. I will always remember the fun times Rex & I had back in the day.. He was a great guy & always the life of the party. ..Thoughts & prayers to your family. R.I.P. Rex....



Judy (Noland) Hullhorst - August 06, 2015 at 08:36 AM

PC

I am so sorry for your loss,it's been a few years since I had saw Rex but did just see him in the hospital by accident was visiting some one else, Rex always had a smile on face,and always had something funny to say. Prayers for the family

Pam Potts Cox - August 06, 2015 at 12:51 PM

JR

“ Rex was a good friend and the best man at my wedding. The Pritt family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Jake & Linda Reinstetle - August 06, 2015 at 07:48 AM

DR

“ No words to express what we feel right now. Your in our prayers.



denise reed - August 06, 2015 at 07:38 AM

MB

“ So sorry for your loss. We grew up together, will always have fond memories.

mary barnhart - August 06, 2015 at 07:11 AM

MR

“ *Mary Beth Robinson lit a candle in memory of Rex Pritt*



Mary Beth Robinson - August 06, 2015 at 07:09 AM

KM

“ *So sorry to hear about Rex my heart goes out to the whole family.He was such a sweetheart,always loved seeing when he would come in the store.God has a awesome angel now.God bless all of you.*

kim mcGrew - August 06, 2015 at 07:05 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. We are praying for your families. Love and prayers, Jeff and Bobbi Sue (Sheridan) Bragg*

Bobbi Bragg - August 06, 2015 at 07:04 AM

MP

“ *Micky (Mendenhall) Pierce lit a candle in memory of Rex Pritt*



Micky (Mendenhall) Pierce - August 06, 2015 at 06:46 AM

KM

“ *My heart is with you all of you. Rex was a sweetheart and he will be missed. I know no words will ease the pain, only time itself. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless.*



Kathy McGrew Miller - August 06, 2015 at 06:25 AM

DP

“ *Thoughts & Prayers to you and your family Velva. Usually only seen Rex once a year or so when he would come into the store. He was so funny! R.I.P. Rex!*
Bobby, Dawna & Amanda Post

Dawna Post - August 06, 2015 at 06:12 AM

BC

“ *Rex was one of a kind. Thinking of all of you.*

Brad Carrel - August 06, 2015 at 05:36 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. May God bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time. R.I.P. Rex.*

Teah Hale Strohl - August 06, 2015 at 05:34 AM

DG

“ *So sorry to hear the sad news...My prayers are with u all...Rex was a good kid and funny...He always keep me laughing with his jokes...A heart of gold...Velva,, I'm dearly sorry for your loss...He loved u to the moon and back...He was a little brother to me...Bless u all...Love Diane Goodnite and Family...*

Diane Goodnite - August 06, 2015 at 04:14 AM

RG

“ Thinking of you all in this very difficult time.
You were all some of the best neighbors
growing up.



Rich and Karen Brownrigg Goble - August 05, 2015 at 09:25 PM

SC

“ Sheri Sands Cooley lit a candle in memory of
Rex Pritt



Sheri Sands Cooley - August 05, 2015 at 07:10 PM

SC

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. Rex was fun & a good guy! Sad news.

Sheri Sands Cooley - August 05, 2015 at 07:09 PM

MJ

So sorry to hear about Rex. I remember him throughout our school
days. He had a big smile and wonderful spirit.
Prayers of peace and comfort for his family ~

Michele (Knapp) James - August 06, 2015 at 04:36 PM

BW

May their be nothing but fun memories and comforting thoughts in his
absence. I too will mourn your loss. Rest in peace

Bob Wilson - August 06, 2015 at 05:23 PM

JZ

So very sorry for your loss, prayers for comfort at this difficult time.
Janet Rohrbough Zimmerman and Mary Ruth Rohrbough Carpenter..

Janet Rohrbough Zimmerman - August 06, 2015 at 05:43 PM

CW

I know all the Pritt family!! Graduated & was in auto shop with Merlin!! Worked with Velma at Malta man!! Was so sorry to hear about this terrible accident!! The Pritt boys weren't afraid of any thing!! [think they took that after their dad] & Velma didn't take any B.S. at work either!! Had some dealings with Rex from time to time!! He was a good guy with a great sense of humor!! Prayers for the Pritt family!! Hey Merlin after things settle down ,call me!! Chuck White 740-962-3888

Chuck White - August 06, 2015 at 06:33 PM

BM

Thoughts and prayers to the Pritt family. Lots of fun memories of Rex and my dad growing up. I remember putting up hay with him and my dad and he ALWAYS got me with the sweat bee trick, I can still hear him "Hold still you have a sweat bee!" as he took his finger and held it on my and laughed. He will be missed by many.

Ben Moore

Ben Moore - August 07, 2015 at 05:42 AM

ST

Heartfelt sympathy goes out to the Pritt family at this sad time. Rest In Peace Rex!

Susie King Turner

Susie King Turner - August 08, 2015 at 03:26 AM

DR

It had been quite a while since I saw Rex but I could never forget his smile and the sound of his laugh. Still thinking about you Rex.

Donna Rainer - August 14, 2015 at 04:54 PM