



Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney

March 26, 1957 - April 15, 2022

Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney, 65, of Jonesville, VA was born March 26, 1957 and passed away at his home on Friday, April 15, 2022.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Johnson and Berdie Sweeney; six brothers, Gene Mullins, Earl Mullins, Harold Mullins, Henry Mullins, Bill Mullins, and Dennis Sweeney; one step-daughter, Melissa Garrett of Jonesville, VA.

He is survived by one son, D.J. Sweeney; brothers, Tony Mullins, Precious Sweeney, Sheep Sweeney all of Jonesville, VA, Jerry Sweeney of Woodway, VA and Howard Sweeney of North Carolina; one sister, Judy Cody of Jonesville, VA; step-children, Mikaeya Williams, Kristin Davidson, Kayla Mullins, and Myranda Williams; and several nieces and nephews.

Groundhog was a farmer and he managed the David Baker Farm in Jonesville for the last 27 years. He also worked for Curt and Gary Russell Sawmill for many years. His hobbies included mud boggin', tractor pulls and he loved going to auctions. He was a member of McConnell's Chapel Baptist Church.

The family will receive friends from 5 until 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 21, 2022 at Robinette Funeral Home in Jonesville, VA. Funeral services will begin at 8:00 p.m. with Steve Neff officiating. A graveside service will be held at

11:00 a.m. on Friday, April 22 in the Russell Cemetery in Sweeney Hollow in Pennington Gap, VA. Everyone that wishes to travel in procession to the cemetery is asked to meet at the funeral home by 10:30 a.m. on Friday.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **21**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Jonesville)
146 Maple Drive
P.O. Box 238
Jonesville, VA 24263
(276) 346-1196

Funeral Service

APR **21**. 8:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside service

APR **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Russell Cemetery
Sweeney Hollow
Pennington Gap, VA 24277

Tribute Wall



“ *Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*

October 05, 2023 at 07:31 PM



“ *Charlene Nelson Fannon lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Charlene Nelson Fannon - April 22, 2022 at 09:24 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Town will never be the same w/o Hog. Please know we are praying for DJ and the family during this very sad time.*



Deepest Sympathies,

Betty Crusenberry and Betty Hines

Betty Crusenberry - April 21, 2022 at 06:43 PM



“ *Janet Harris Wafle lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Janet Harris Wafle - April 20, 2022 at 06:11 PM

JW

So sorry to hear about Danny{Hog} R.I.P.

Janet Harris Wafle - April 20, 2022 at 06:12 PM

JW

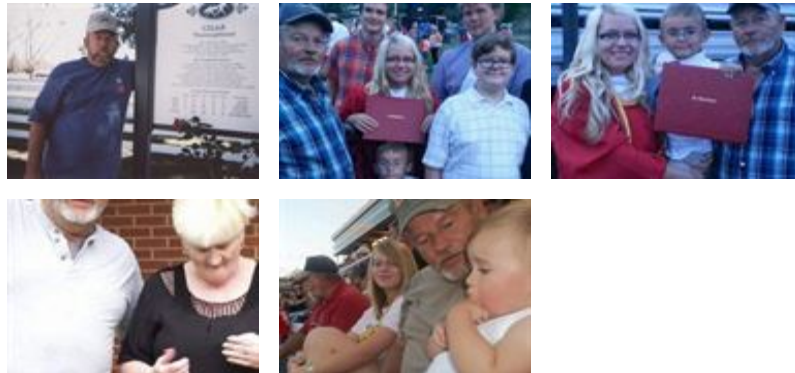
“ Janet Harris Wafle lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Janet Harris Wafle - April 20, 2022 at 06:10 PM



“ 80 files added to the album Life Tributes



Robinette Funeral Homes - April 20, 2022 at 04:03 PM

WH

“ Eating breakfast every morning with piggy i miss you soo much already it's unreal I love you hog❤️



whitney - April 20, 2022 at 12:26 AM

BW

“ *Bob Wilson lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Bob Wilson - April 19, 2022 at 11:02 PM

DB

“ *David & Gayle Baker purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney.*



David & Gayle Baker - April 19, 2022 at 10:17 PM

KA

“ *Kathrynosborne lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Kathrynosborne - April 19, 2022 at 05:15 PM

JW

“ *J.C. Wade lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



J.C. Wade - April 19, 2022 at 04:07 PM

VO

“ *Vivian Osborne lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Vivian Osborne - April 19, 2022 at 04:06 PM

MI

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



mikaeya - April 19, 2022 at 04:03 PM

BO

“ *Betty Osborne lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Betty Osborne - April 19, 2022 at 04:02 PM

BD

“ *Brenda Dye lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Brenda Dye - April 19, 2022 at 03:52 PM

BD

“ *Sorry for your loss*

Brenda Dye - April 19, 2022 at 03:51 PM

BM

“ *Bruce Miles lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Bruce Miles - April 19, 2022 at 06:35 AM

WH

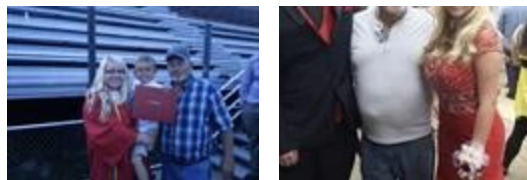
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whitney - April 19, 2022 at 06:31 AM

BW

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Brooklyn Warner - April 19, 2022 at 03:06 AM

SH

“ *We are so sorry. Thinking of all the family during this sad time.*

Sammie and Bob Horton - April 18, 2022 at 10:49 PM

MI

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



mikaeya - April 18, 2022 at 10:35 PM

MC

“ Melissa Collins lit a candle in memory of
Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Melissa Collins - April 18, 2022 at 09:42 PM

KA

“ Kathryn Osborne lit a candle in memory of
Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Kathryn Osborne - April 18, 2022 at 09:20 PM

ER

“ Elaine Parsons Richmond lit a candle in
memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Elaine Parsons Richmond - April 18, 2022 at 08:59 PM

JJ

“ Jack Jones lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Jack Jones - April 18, 2022 at 08:41 PM

AS

“ Aubrey Stapleton lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



Aubrey Stapleton - April 18, 2022 at 07:55 PM

TS

“ T.G. & Amanda Short lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



T.G. & Amanda Short - April 18, 2022 at 05:12 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney.



April 18, 2022 at 05:08 PM

JC

“ I grew up in long hollow and went to school with Danny and Sheep as well as visiting and playing at their house as kids, I haven't had any contact with him in about 50 years, I lived in Indianapolis but I remember him well from our childhood. Prayers for all the family and friends. RIP Danny. :(

Jack Collins - April 18, 2022 at 04:55 PM

TM

“ Teresa Johnson Moore lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney



teresa johnson moore - April 18, 2022 at 04:08 PM

SB

“ Hog was a good one he was always happy and liked to have a big time he will be missed.
Prayers for his family.

Stanley (spankey) Blair - April 18, 2022 at 12:03 PM

MY

“ A wonderful man who always treated and loved me and my sister like we were one of his own and loved our children just as much as they loved him. . He was always the life of the party everywhere he went. He will be greatly missed. We love you hog!



myranda - April 18, 2022 at 09:55 AM

SS

“ *Ground Hog was an amazing brother in law. He will be missed by so many .We love you him and Beardy can watch over everyone now.*

Sonda Statum - April 18, 2022 at 07:16 AM

GH

“ *I am so sorry for your loss.*



GinaKirk Hensberger - April 17, 2022 at 08:29 PM

MB

“ *We are so sorry for your loss we are thinking about all during this time of sadness. MOE BERRY*



Moe Berry - April 17, 2022 at 08:08 PM

MA

“ *Mary lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Mary - April 17, 2022 at 10:49 AM

TM

“ *Teresa Mullins lit a candle in memory of
Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Teresa Mullins - April 17, 2022 at 10:34 AM

JP

“ *John Perry lit a candle in memory of Danny
"Groundhog" Sweeney*



John Perry - April 17, 2022 at 10:32 AM

KC

“ *We send thoughts and prayers . God bless you.
Kay and Wilma Counts*

Kay and Wilma Counts - April 17, 2022 at 09:06 AM

TI

“ *He will be missed don and Tina from White
Rock auction prayers for the family*



Tina - April 17, 2022 at 12:20 AM

BA

“ *Bill & Tinker Anderson lit a candle in memory of Danny "Groundhog" Sweeney*



Bill & Tinker Anderson - April 16, 2022 at 11:22 PM

MI

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



mikaeya - April 16, 2022 at 07:55 PM

KJ

He sure will be missed! I am so sorry for your loss! Praying for you all!

Kathy Jones - April 17, 2022 at 01:09 PM

HC

So sorry Little Man May God Bless You Honey

Hot Shot Collins - April 18, 2022 at 01:12 PM