



## Rusty Collier

May 23, 2018

Rusty "Buck" Collier, 60, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, May 23, 2018. Rusty's biggest achievement in life was the day God saved his soul. He wanted to tell everyone about the love of Jesus Christ; he would talk for hours about the Bible. He never met a stranger and always had a smile on his face. If you were down, and spoke to him, he would lift your spirits. Rusty was a big part of Appalachia sports. He coached and mentored many generations of youth. He loved watching college football and hockey. He was preceded in death by his parents, Bill and Jackie Collier; sister, Mary Kate Collier; and brother, Shannon Collier.

He is survived by his brother, John "Heart-Attack" Collier of Big Stone Gap; nephews, Tommy (Karissa) Collier, of Louisville KY; Jerry (Misty) Collier of Wise, VA; and great nephew, Jordan Collier, of Louisville, KY.

His Celebration of Life service will be held June 2, 2018, at the Appalachia Pentecostal Church at 3 pm. officiated by Brother Tony Nunley, Brother Roy Smith and Brother Grayson Cothron. The family will receive friends from 1 to 3 pm before services. In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Appalachia Little League.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 2. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Appalachia Pentecostal Church  
Appalachia, VA 24216

## Service

JUN 2. 3:00 PM (ET)

Appalachia Pentecostal Church  
Appalachia, VA 24216

# Tribute Wall

MM

“ *Michael Morelock lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier*



Michael Morelock - June 02, 2018 at 08:24 AM

CM

“ *Carmella McColgan lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier*



Carmella McColgan - June 01, 2018 at 06:26 PM

SS

“ *Steven Swiney lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier*



Steven Swiney - June 01, 2018 at 03:34 PM

GM

“ *Rusty was always helpful to my Mom in Andover.No matter how bad he felt3*



Gary McGee - May 31, 2018 at 11:57 PM

GM

“ Gary McGee lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier



Gary McGee - May 31, 2018 at 11:46 PM

Tami Young

“ God has gained a wonderful kind soul in Rusty. Reat in peace my friend. You will truly be missed.



Tami Young - May 30, 2018 at 08:29 PM

LL

“ Linda Lucas sent a virtual gift in memory of Rusty Collier



Linda Lucas - May 30, 2018 at 02:24 PM

KH

“ Kathy Honeycutt lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier



kathy honeycutt - May 30, 2018 at 01:39 PM

KH

*I wish we all had your gentle soul ...*

**kathy honeycutt** - May 30, 2018 at 01:40 PM

TT

“ *Tom Trent lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier*



**Tom Trent** - May 30, 2018 at 08:43 AM

GB

“ *Glenda Swiney Bolinskey lit a candle in memory of Rusty Collier*



**Glenda Swiney Bolinskey** - May 29, 2018 at 10:24 PM