



## James Roben "Ben" Kramer Sr.

November 23, 1934 - August 22, 2020

Due to unforeseen circumstances, services for James Roben "Ben" Kramer, Sr. have been postponed and will be rescheduled to a later date.

James Roben "Ben" Kramer, Sr., 85, of St. Albans passed away on Saturday, August 22, 2020 at Riverside Health and Rehabilitation, St. Albans.

He was born in Perkasio, PA., to the late William and Paulyne Mickley Kramer. He was also preceded in death by his daughter, Lisa Marie Kramer; son, Kenneth Scott Kramer; sister, Orchys Rupp and brother, William Ralph Kramer, Jr.

Ben was a retired mechanical engineer from Dominion Resources Charlottesville, VA. He also worked in Naval Research and Development under the Department of Defense for 23 years.

He attended Albright College and transferred to Drexel University, Philadelphia, where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Surviving are his wife of nearly 60 years, Lynda Greer Kramer, daughter, Deanna Kramer (Ruby Block); son, James Kramer (Sandra Ware); sister, Jean Keller; grandchildren, James Brandon Kramer, David Fitch, Todd Fitch,

Karisa Fitch and 8 great grandchildren.

Memorial service will be held at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, September 26, 2020 at Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, St. Albans with Pastor Kerry Bart officiating.

Friends may call from 3 to 4:00 p.m. prior to the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers the family has ask that donations be made to Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, In Memory of James R. Kramer, Sr., 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans, WV 25177.

You may visit Ben's tribute page at [BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com](http://BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com) to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Kramer family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **26.** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home  
409 Sixth Avenue  
Saint Albans, WV 25177  
(304) 727-4325

## Memorial Service

SEP **26.** 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

RG

“ A sad time for us all.. My Uncle Ben was a kind and generous man who always greeted me with a hearty sincere hug and the same when I departed. He was blessed with all the character and Integrity that I can only aspire to possess. I will always remember him with great fondness and so many precious memories  
Bob

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**Robert Greer** - September 19, 2020 at 12:06 PM

DG

“ So sad to hear of my Uncle Ben passing. Never a person more fun and relaxing to be around. I sincerely hope that we will meet again. RIP “Sir” Ben. Our prayers are with your family that they will find The joy in your life to be greater than the sorrow of your passing.

*David and Brenda Greer*

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**David and Brenda Greer** - August 30, 2020 at 12:32 PM

JG

*My memories of Ben dating Lynda and them taking me with them always remained fondly. Bens marimba that he would play for us when we would visit as kids influenced my love for music. The family visits to Moorefield sharing his special party structures and hospitality were epic. The stories Dad would share about their mountain retreats were great. He will be near the front of the line welcoming Ben to the next life I'm sure. My love to my Aunt Lynda and the kids as they mourn the loss of Ben.*

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**John M Greer** - August 30, 2020 at 01:27 PM

DW

“ So many good times in Moorefield and our trip to New Orleans was an adventure not to be forgotten. Ben was a gentle spirit.

*Dianne Winter*



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**Dianne Winter** - August 29, 2020 at 07:48 PM

ZC

“ David and I are sorry to hear of Bens passing.. Your in our thoughts and hearts. Much love to you all.

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**Zach Cardwell** - August 26, 2020 at 01:51 AM

RF

“ Our hearts are heavy as we learn of Ben's passing. We worked with Ben at the Mount Storm Power Station. We rode with Ben while working at the power station. We had fun at Ben and Lynda's house in Moorefield, WV. Ben was such an amazing man, an intelligent man and more importantly funny and fun to be with. David and I loved him so much. Fly high and rest in peach our friend.  
*David and Ramona Fatkin*

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**Ramona Fatkin** - August 26, 2020 at 12:53 AM

BH

“ Bonnie Hitt purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of James Roben "Ben" Kramer Sr..



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**Bonnie Hitt** - August 25, 2020 at 09:54 PM

DC

“ Ben was always so full of life and fun to be around. His wonderful sense of humor will not be forgotten. RIP Ben!

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**Dian Collins** - August 25, 2020 at 01:15 PM

DT

“ My most recent memory is when Ben and Linda visited my son Michael when he was going through a rough time. That was so appreciated, kind and thoughtful. That is who he was. RIP Ben.

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**Drema Thompson** - August 25, 2020 at 07:25 AM