



Jeffrey A. Gantner

November 22, 1958 - March 7, 2011

Jeffrey A. Gantner, 52, of Belle Vernon, went to be with the Lord on Monday, March 7, 2011 in his home. A son of the late Edward and Gladys Boone Gantner, he was born in N. Charleroi on November 22, 1958. A resident of Belle Vernon for the past 27 years, he was employed as a truck driver for Windward Petroleum Company of Youngwood and was a track official for the Lucas Oil Pro Pulling Team. Survivors include his wife of 26 years, Debbie Bennett Gantner, two sons and one daughter-in-law, Thomas and Kristina Gantner of South Park and Scott Gantner of Belle Vernon, his mother-in-law, Hannah Bennett of Belle Vernon, three brothers, Kenneth Gantner of Perryopolis, Alvin Gantner, and his wife Faith, and Greg Gantner, and his wife Cheryl, all of Star Junction, and three grandchildren, Zachary, Logan and Tyler Gantner. Friends will be received 7 to 9 P.M. Wednesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Thursday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, (724-929-5300). www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com. Funeral services will be in the funeral home Friday at 10:00 A.M. with Rev. David Zona officiating.

Tribute Wall

TF

“ I will always remember Gantner giving my brother Jeff grief... it was all in fun & was entertaining how feisty he could be :) You will never be forgotten, God Bless & may you rest in peace.

The Overmyer Family - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ I am deeply sorry for the loss of Jeff! He was a great guy and I enjoyed working with him and getting to know him on the pulling circuit. I will be praying for healing for your family over the next several weeks. RIP Jeff, the Pulling World will miss you.
Miles Krieger

Miles Krieger - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ I'm so sorry to hear about the passing of Jeff. You & your family are in my thoughts & prayers.

Max Homer - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ We are sorry to hear about Jeffs' passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family. We will sadly missed on the track .

Dave & Darla Sullivan (Sullivan Pulling Team) - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Debbie & Family, My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. My heart sunk when I heard the news, but he has given me soooooooooooooo many memories to cherish. He has helped me when I was on the farm in Smithton and he always called me boss. He made me laugh and that was most important. Even after I divorced he called me every year to wish me happy new year. I know our lives get busy and we loose touch but memories we will always have. If there is anything I can do for you please call me Love Ya and be strong.*

Janice Strohm - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *I was an understudy of Jeff as a tractor pulling official. He was a great mentor for me as I have always respected his knowledge. Not only has tractor pulling lost a good man the world has lost a good person. My deepest sympathy to all of his family, God Bless!*

Mike Gum - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *Prayers & Love to you all, Jeff was such an amazing man, his humor and kindness will be remembered by us always. Also his patience in helping Jared with his car all the time, he will be forever cherished by us and never forgotten. God Bless, Laura & Jared Adametz*

Laura Adametz & Jared Adametz - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *So sorry for your loss. I was really shocked to see this in paper. Our prayers go out to Debbie and family. I have a lot of good memories with Jeff, RIP*

Chuck and Sylvia Lynch - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I pull with Jake Zaring and the Dixie Chopper-Fatheadz Mod 4wd team. It was a sincere pleasure to work with Jeff on the PPL Circuit. He will be missed by all.

Jim Hilburn - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers

The Cramer Family - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ My thoughts are with your family in this time of profound loss.

Jessica Tuck - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ ALL MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS. ALWAYS LOOK TO THE HEAVENS, HES LOOKING DOWN UPON US. xoxo

Samantha Mutich - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Our deepest sympathy n prayers to the family. Many good porch memories.

Andrew and Delana bell - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ We are so sorry for your loss! Jeff is a great man and always showed great kindness to us on and off the track. He will be missed this summer and always..... I remember the summer of 2008 when we brought out a new tractor on the PPL circuit, We were having trouble and Jeff was very encouraging and happy for us when we finally won! He is with the Lord! The Gantner family will be in our prayers!

Scott and Kara Tedder - January 01, 1900 at 12:00 AM