



## William Franklin Barr

June 24, 1940 - August 6, 2025

William Franklin Barr, 85, of Rostraver Twp., passed away on Wednesday, August 6, 2025 in Jefferson Hospital. A son of the late Boyd E. and Aldene (Odel) Barr, he was born in Waynesburg on June 24, 1940.

Formerly of Speers, William resided in Rostraver for the past 39 years. He was a former member of Bethany Methodist Church in Nettle Hill, Greene County and the Christian Center Church in Rostraver. A United States Army Veteran, William served four years stateside before serving in Korea. He was a member of the National American Legion and the Teamsters Union. William had been employed by Gal Construction for 35 years as a heavy equipment truck driver before his retirement.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Velma Jo (Lewandowsky) Barr, two daughters, Dani Patterson of Rostraver and Rochelle Fredrick of Brownsville; six grandchildren, Sasha, Darrell, Shala, Shadday, Shawna, and Sade, and many great grandchildren.

Friends will be received on Friday from 1 P.M. to 4 P.M. in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc 700 Broad Avenue Belle Vernon, 724-929-5300. [www.FergusonFuneralHomeandCrematory.com](http://www.FergusonFuneralHomeandCrematory.com). A funeral service will begin at 4 P.M. with Pastor Sandy Fitzgibbons officiating.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 8. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc.  
700 Broad Avenue  
Belle Vernon, PA 15012  
(724) 929-5300

## Funeral Service

AUG 8. 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jeannetta Darlene Sims and girls lit a candle  
in memory of William Barr* ”



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**Jeannetta Darlene Sims and girls** - August 11, 2025 at 01:37 PM