



Ray C. Davis

August 20, 1928 - March 11, 2026

Ray C. Davis, 97, of Dornsife, passed away on March 11, 2026, at the Gatehouse Inpatient Hospice, Williamsport. He was born in Ashland on August 20, 1928, a son of Katie and Belton Davis. Ray was employed as a farmer, a coal miner in the winter of 1968, a custodian at Line Mountain School District and was Boyer's Meats first employee in 1952.

Ray was well known for his knowledge of local history and family genealogy. He loved to tell stories and lived on the family farm for over 96 years.

Ray is survived by his brother, Guy (Deb) Davis; sister, Anna Byerly; thirteen nieces and nephews; several great nieces and nephews and Dolly's three daughters. He was preceded in death his by father, Belton Davis; mother, Katie Fetter; brothers, Leon Davis, Harold Davis, Lawrence Davis and his companion, Dolly Brosius.

A visitation will be held on Friday, 8th of May, 2026 from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM at Grace Community Church, Herndon. A Celebration of Life service will follow at 11:00 AM. Interment will take place in the Salem Church Cemetery, Klingerstown.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Grace Community Church
1218 Route 225
Herndon, PA 17830

Memorial Service

MAY 8. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Ray was a special guy who loved to talk 😊 He was our neighbor for 20 something years. We got to know him best in the last couple years as he graciously allowed us to keep our daughters’ horse in his barn/pasture. Seeing him often when we went up to feed the horse gave us that opportunity to get to know him better. I learned a lot about our local history from him. He crawled into my heart and we will ever be grateful to have known him and for his kindness to us. Good neighbors are priceless. Sympathies to the family, some of whom we’ve gotten to meet and know because of Ray ❤️
Johnathan, Deanna and Nevaeh McLaughlin

Deanna McLaughlin - March 16 at 03:47 PM



“ We always enjoyed his stories!!! He was the local historian. He will be missed.
The Deiberts

Jackie Deibert - March 12 at 05:24 PM

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“ Ray was such a wonderful person to spend time with sharing stories and learning so much about our local community. He will be missed. We are so sorry for your loss. Gary, Linda, Tony, and Heather Leshner

Linda Leshner - March 12 at 04:08 PM