



KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY

March 22, 1938 - April 26, 2022

BAILEY, Kent L. affectionately known as "Beetle Bailey", age 84, of Middletown, Ohio passed away Tuesday, April 26, 2022 at his residence. He was born March 22, 1938 in Hazard, Kentucky but lived in Middletown most of his life. He graduated from Lemon-Monroe High School Class of 1956. Kent was employed in #2 maintenance and BOF Maintenance at AK Steel for 34 years, retiring in 1992. He enjoyed watching professional wrestling and NASCAR, especially Richard Petty #43, and attended the Daytona 500 for over 40 years. Preceding him in death were his parents, Lummie and Rosella (Phillips) Bailey; his wife Dolly M. Bailey in 1999; and one daughter Melanie A. Bailey. He is survived by three daughters, Vicki S. O'Daniel, Cindy S. (Doug) Tuttle and Christa M. (Chuck) Buchanan; nine grandchildren, Shannon, Tara, Ryan, Raynor, Brandy, Joshua, Justin, Bryant and Bradley; and many great grandchildren, extended family and friends. Visitation will be Friday, April 29, 2022 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown, followed by services at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Mick Salyer officiating. Interment will be at Woodhill Cemetery, Franklin, Ohio. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ Melanie, Sorry for your loss. had some goodtimes with your dad and mom. he will be missed !!

thomas h spade - April 29, 2022 at 08:44 AM



“ Erica Cooper purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY.



Erica Cooper - April 28, 2022 at 07:05 PM



“ Christa~ Not sure what else I can say that everyone else has already said, but please know you're in my thoughts. I know this is a hard time, but you are a strong woman. Know he loved you very much, as we all do. Love, Mandy Cooper



Mandy Cooper - April 28, 2022 at 02:24 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY.



April 28, 2022 at 02:01 PM



“ Christa ~The lessons he taught you, the love he gave and the way he cared... all of those things live on in you. He was a good man and I am glad to have met him. My heart goes out to you and your family. Wishing you peace and healing. Cindy Class



Cindy Class - April 28, 2022 at 01:46 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY.




April 28, 2022 at 01:01 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY.



April 28, 2022 at 11:47 AM

 Dennis
O'Daniel

“ Sorry for the loss of Kent - my prayers are with the family. I have some fond memories of him. He was a good man !

Dennis O'Daniel - April 27, 2022 at 08:32 PM

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“ Dennis R. O'Daniel lit a candle in memory of
KENT L. "BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY



Dennis R. O'Daniel - April 27, 2022 at 08:30 PM

LA

“ Laura lit a candle in memory of KENT L.
"BEETLE BAILEY" BAILEY



Laura - April 27, 2022 at 05:43 PM