



James Donald Usilton Sr.

September 9, 1941 - August 3, 2015

James Donald “Jimmy” Usilton, Sr. of Worton, MD, died on Monday, August 3, 2015, at Autumn Lake Health Care in Chestertown, MD. He was 73.

He was born in Ridgley and raised in Rock Hall by his grandparents Quill and Marcella Usilton. Jimmy moved to Centreville where he worked on his family’s farm. He then moved to Worton and worked with Starkey Farm Equipment. In 1960, he married Margaret Katherine Elizabeth Myers (Sis).

Mr. Usilton went to work with Crouch Motors as a mechanic for four years then took a position with Worton Creek Marina as a boat mechanic for an additional four years. He then worked with Rock Hall Marine Railway as a mechanic and overall fix everything guy for over 35 years. He retired to farming, his true passion.

Jimmy owned and operated Shady Maple Farm since the early 1990’s. He enjoyed crabbing, boating, fishing, antique tractor pulls, hunting, and spending time with his family. He was a member of St. James United Methodist Church in Worton.

In addition to his wife of 55 years, he is survived by his sons, Donnie Usilton of Worton, MD, Ronnie Usilton (Cheryl Leonard) of Worton, MD, and Robbie Usilton (wife: Tarlie) of Millington, MD; two sisters: Nancy Hammer of

Chestertown, MD, and Ann Leary of Rock Hall, MD; a brother: Billy Usilton of MI; a half-brother, Andy Faber of Millington, MD; a half-sister, Theresa Cleveland of FL; grandchildren, Colby, Brodie, Tanner, Britney, Brendon, Hayley, Alex, and William Usilton; and one great-granddaughter, Addelyn Usilton. He is also survived by his honorary daughter, Debbie, and honorary son, Randy Davidson, and his honorary grandchildren, Tanner and Mason Emore and Katie and Christopher Davidson, along with a close personal friend, Annette Stine, who was always there to lend a hand. He was predeceased by siblings, Orville, Luke, Alvin, Bobby, Charlotte, Barbara and Mildred.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 8, 2015, at 10:00 a.m., at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home, 130 Speer Road Chestertown, MD, where relatives and friends may call on Friday, August 7, 2015 from 6-8 p.m. Interment will be in St. James Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. James United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 156, Worton, MD 21678 or Compass Regional Hospice 255 Comet Drive Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

St. James Cemetery

Worton, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
(410) 778-0055
info@fhnfuneralhome.com

Service

AUG 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 06, 2015 at 10:52 AM



“ *James Donald Usilton Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *James Donald Usilton Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Jg lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



jg - August 23, 2015 at 08:51 PM

DW

“ Donna Hollingsworth And Sarah Welch lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Donna Hollingsworth and Sarah Welch - August 12, 2015 at 04:50 PM

CA

“ Cheryl Anderson lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Cheryl Anderson - August 10, 2015 at 11:34 AM

DT

“ Debbie Thomas lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Debbie Thomas - August 10, 2015 at 09:21 AM

MF

“ Marilyn Ford lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Marilyn Ford - August 09, 2015 at 09:54 PM

GW

“ Greg And Janie Welch lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Greg and Janie Welch - August 08, 2015 at 07:57 AM

HF

“ Heidi Frey lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Heidi Frey - August 08, 2015 at 06:52 AM

JG

“ Jeanne Geibel lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Jeanne Geibel - August 07, 2015 at 10:01 PM

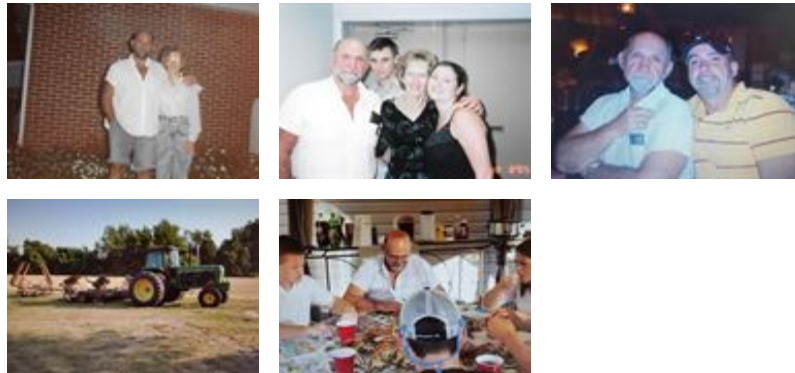
BF

“ Deepest condolences to Jimmy's entire family. So many great memories for the family and friends to treasure and give comfort. Your Love One is now at Peace and may that give His Loved Ones Peace. Doug & Bev Foreman & family

Bev Foreman - August 07, 2015 at 11:57 AM



“ 20 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 07, 2015 at 09:52 AM

NM

“ Sorry for the loss, families kinda drift apart and it's sad we have to come back for times like this.

Nancy Usilton Morris - August 07, 2015 at 06:24 AM

JE

“ *Jim And Mary Ann Edwards lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Jim and Mary Ann Edwards - August 06, 2015 at 04:00 PM

JE

Our sincere condolences to the Usilton family. Hope wonderful memories of your loved one will comfort you at this very sad time. We are so sorry for your loss. Jim and Mary Ann Edwards

Jim and Mary Ann Edwards - August 06, 2015 at 04:05 PM

DH

“ Denise Hepbron lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.



Denise Hepbron - August 06, 2015 at 01:37 PM

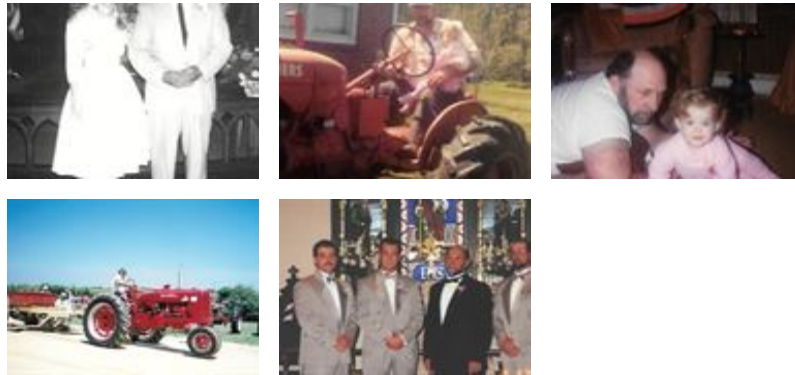
DH

To all of the family. So very sorry and thinking of you all !!

Denise Hepbron - August 06, 2015 at 01:37 PM



“ 171 files added to the album LifeTributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 06, 2015 at 10:25 AM

BC

“ Thinking of you. Jimmy was a nice cousin. Sorry for your loss.



Becky Usilton Chance

Becky Chance - August 06, 2015 at 09:34 AM

KD

“ *In memory of a great man, always loved seeing him out and about, we always talked about the weather or what was going on in the farming community*



Kurt Dill - August 05, 2015 at 09:16 PM

RD

“ *It is with very sad heart we feel his lost,our thoughts and prayers go out to Mom-mom Sis and entire family. Love Randy & Debbie*



Randy& Debbie Davidson - August 05, 2015 at 10:20 AM

LU

“ *Laurie Usilton lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Laurie Usilton - August 05, 2015 at 08:57 AM

LU

There is not enough space to write all of the many fond memories I have of Mr. jimmy "Pop". He was a good man and will be missed by many.

Laurie Usilton - August 05, 2015 at 09:00 AM

JN

“ *Joe And Sue Nickerson lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Joe and Sue Nickerson - August 05, 2015 at 07:42 AM

JN

Thoughts and prayers are with the family...

Joe and Sue Nickerson - August 05, 2015 at 07:43 AM

SM

Jimmy will be missed by all. I always enjoyed talking to him. He was a good man. Prayers to all of you.

Susanne Matthews - August 06, 2015 at 10:39 AM

EP

“ *Eddie Price lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



eddie price - August 05, 2015 at 07:28 AM

MC

“ *Mary Lou Christian lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Mary Lou Christian - August 05, 2015 at 07:27 AM

BS

“ *Bill & Stephanie Spencer lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Bill & Stephanie Spencer - August 04, 2015 at 11:05 PM

NZ

“ *Ms. Sis and family...Sending thoughts and prayers. Eddie Price and Nancy Ziolkowski*

Nancy Ziolkowski - August 04, 2015 at 05:42 PM

EP

“ *Elmer And Lola Price lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Elmer and Lola Price - August 04, 2015 at 05:11 PM

ET

“ *Eddie And Trish Taylor lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Eddie and Trish Taylor - August 04, 2015 at 04:23 PM



“ *Spring Has Sprung Mixed Basket was purchased for the family of James Donald Usilton Sr..*



August 04, 2015 at 03:54 PM



“ *Lit a candle for our family member, neighbor, and farmer. Kenny & Sis*

Elma G. Myers - August 04, 2015 at 03:07 PM



“ *Ken Myers lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Ken Myers - August 04, 2015 at 03:00 PM



We will miss you Uncle Jim. So sorry to hear of your lost.

Ken Myers - August 04, 2015 at 03:01 PM



“ *Frankie And Jane Dill lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Frankie and Jane Dill - August 04, 2015 at 12:54 PM

FD

Sis and Family thoughts and prayers to you and your family. So sorry to loose a fellow farmer.

Frankie and Jane Dill - August 04, 2015 at 12:56 PM

KD

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you!*



Katie DiSano - August 04, 2015 at 12:00 PM

MU

“ *Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Marie Usilton - August 04, 2015 at 11:31 AM

KM

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to all of the Usilton family.*
Kevin and Tracey Middleton



Kevin and Tracey Middleton - August 04, 2015 at 11:23 AM

GF

“ *GROWMARK FS-SUDLERSVILLE,MD lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



GROWMARK FS-SUDLERSVILLE,MD - August 04, 2015 at 10:22 AM

PC

“ *Sis and family,
So sorry to hear this-My thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Love, Peggy*

Peggy Clothier - August 04, 2015 at 08:42 AM



“ *Pam Teat lit a candle in memory of James Donald Usilton Sr.*



Pam Teat - August 04, 2015 at 08:08 AM