



## Ernest P. Riley Jr.

June 3, 1940 - September 9, 2023

Ernest “Ernie” P. Riley Jr., 83, of Amsterdam, passed away at home on Saturday, September 9, 2023 surrounded by his family.

A son of the late Ernest P. and Edith H. Riley, he was born on June 3, 1940 in Steubenville, Ohio.

Throughout his life, Ernie was an avid fisherman. He enjoyed collecting artifacts, was a diehard Cleveland Browns fan, and a member of the Amsterdam Church of God.

Preceding him in death, along with his parents, were his wife, Beverly “Rusty” Riley; son, Scott Alan Riley; brother, Bobby; and sisters, Betty and Doris. He is survived by one daughter, Lisa (Rich) Burchfield; two grandchildren, Alan (Danielle) Nitz, and Lexi (Dustin) Goodwin; three great grandchildren, Wyatt, Sophia, and Tanner; brother, Glenn Riley, and sister, Laura Greathouse of New Cumberland, W.V.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2023, at Dodds Funeral Home in Amsterdam with Rev. David Guess officiating. Burial will follow in Blue Ridge Cemetery in Hopedale, Ohio. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, September 12, 2023 from 1-3 p.m. and 5-7 p.m.



# Cemetery Details

## Blue Ridge Cemetery

Blue Ridge Rd. and Murray Rd.  
Hopedale, OH 43976

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 12. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Dodds Funeral Home -Amsterdam  
207 S Main Street  
Amsterdam, OH 43903  
(740) 543-3555  
<https://www.doddsfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

SEP 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

SEP **13**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



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September 12, 2023 at 02:02 AM



“ *Fields of Europe was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



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September 11, 2023 at 06:52 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



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September 11, 2023 at 05:22 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*

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September 11, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



September 11, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ *Springtime Wishes was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



September 11, 2023 at 03:52 PM



“ *Fields of Europe was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



September 11, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Riley Jr..*



September 11, 2023 at 12:42 PM