



## Albert L. Root, IV

March 1, 1968 - October 18, 2025

Albert L. Root, IV, 57, of Jonestown, passed away on Saturday, October 18, 2025, surrounded by his family and friends. Albert's journey on this earth was one marked by love, compassion, and unwavering kindness towards anyone who had the privilege of knowing him.

Born in Wellsboro on March 1, 1968, he was the son of Albert L. Root, III, of Wellsboro and the late Linda P. (Lark) Root. Albert graduated from Wellsboro High School with the Class of 1986. He did environmental work for over 20 years and worked as an auto mechanic at D.E Richard Garage for the past 15 years. He enjoyed cruising in his 1968 Plymouth Roadrunner and the many trips he took with his friends on his Harley. But most of all, the most fulfilled days of his life were shared with his pride and joy, his daughter Katelyn.

He is survived by his only daughter Katelyn A. Root and her husband Alex Achey of Myerstown; sister Lisa A. wife of Mark Hatz of Oxford, AL; Uncle Jim Campbell of Annville; and friends Bruce & Amy Williams and Brian Neidig who were like siblings to him.

A memorial service will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 30, 2025, at Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory, Jonestown. A visitation will start at 4:00 p.m. until the start of the service.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at Fredericksburg Fireman's Park, 2652 S. Pine Grove St., Jonestown from 12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. The family has asked for everyone to come wearing your favorite shirt, one that reminds you of your best times with Albert. If you have a classic car or motorcycle, bring it along, as nothing would make him smile more. Albert asked for everyone to gather in an upbeat and happy setting, one in which we all will remember him.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network at [pancan.org/donate](https://pancan.org/donate).

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

OCT 30. 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory  
5 Campmeeting Road  
Jonestown, PA 17038

## Memorial Service

OCT 30. 6:30 PM (ET)

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5 Campmeeting Road  
Jonestown, PA 17038

## Celebration of Life

NOV 1. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fredericksburg Fireman's Park  
2652 S. Pine Grove St.  
Jonestown, PA 17038

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Albert L. Root, IV*



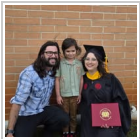
Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. - October 29, 2025 at 10:42 AM

DR

“ *Al i will always be thankful for your love and kindness. My car will miss you. Say hi to frank and Bob for me. Katie if I can do anything just ask*

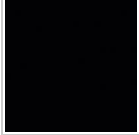


Dolly j. REPERT - November 01, 2025 at 09:27 PM



“ *I will always remember the kindness, joy, and laughter uncle Albert brought with him every where he went. His personality was infectious and shone through even on his darkest of days. The way he accepted me as family means the world to me and for that i am forever grateful. I hope he has found peace with grandma now that his suffering is at an end.*

JoAnna LaPoint - October 30, 2025 at 01:25 PM



“ I am honored and blessed to have known Albert, he was truly a blessing to everyone that had the honor to know him. His big smile and kind heart will be missed by so many. Kate, Albert, and Lisa, I am so sorry for your loss. May God be with you through this tough journey you are all on. Prayers, love, and hugs to you all. May you rest in peace Albert.



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**Moe Lazar** - October 30, 2025 at 08:02 AM



“ Connie Murphy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Albert L. Root, IV.



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**Connie Murphy** - October 29, 2025 at 06:12 PM



“ Connie Murphy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Albert L. Root, IV.

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**Connie Murphy** - October 29, 2025 at 06:12 PM



“ Lisa

*My heart aches with you during this time of loss of your brother. Your brother will never be forgotten and just know that you will see him again. Please know that I'm here for you in every way possible, holding you and your family close in prayer and love.*



*Rosalind Y Walker  
LTC(Ret), Army*

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**Rosalind Gathers-Walker** - October 27, 2025 at 03:24 PM

LR

“ Love, Julianne and Alex Russo purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Albert L. Root, IV.



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**Love, Julianne and Alex Russo** - October 26, 2025 at 09:54 AM

JS

“ Al thank you for your training and mentorship in molding me to work in the environmental equipment industry starting 30 years ago. I enjoyed working with you in addition to fun times out for wings and other gatherings after donating blood together. I remember you, your Mom and Katie coming to my place and walking to see the Harrisburg fireworks and our trip to Wyoming. I'll never forget jamming to WRVV the River while working at RE Wright. You used to say "over the river and through the woods". You used to Crank up the Radio when the "Cats in the Cradle" played saying that was your special song you and your Dad bonded to.

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**Jeff Sinski** - October 24, 2025 at 10:38 PM

AS

“ Amy S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Albert L. Root, IV.

Amy S. - October 24, 2025 at 07:04 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Albert L. Root, IV.



October 23, 2025 at 06:18 PM

HF

“ Harpers Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Albert L. Root, IV.

Harpers Family - October 23, 2025 at 06:18 PM

JR

“ I am so sorry Katie. We all knew how you both loved each other. It's hard I know.  
Dolly,jim, Sharon reppert



Jim reppert - October 23, 2025 at 05:12 PM

BW

“ I am honored to have known him for many years and enjoyed having him here in Alabama for Talladega races. I will miss those times of the year and seeing him. Great man who will not be forgotten.

*Bill Wright*

Bill Wright - October 22, 2025 at 12:04 PM

KR

“ Kathy Ramsey-Phelps lit a candle in memory of Albert L. Root, IV



Kathy Ramsey-Phelps - October 22, 2025 at 06:58 AM

JY

“ Jan And Fred Youmans lit a candle in memory of Albert L. Root, IV



Jan and Fred Youmans - October 22, 2025 at 12:45 AM



“ Deepest condolences to Katie and Al Root III! I will be forever grateful for Al helping to rescue my son and his friend after an accident in Lebanon several years ago. He was always willing to help out. Rest in peace, Lil' Al.

Marlene Doan - October 21, 2025 at 07:26 PM

TF

“ Terry Root and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Albert L. Root, IV.



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**Terry Root and family** - October 21, 2025 at 04:24 PM

TF

“ Terry Root and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Albert L. Root, IV.

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**Terry Root and family** - October 21, 2025 at 04:24 PM

BA

“ There are simply no words !!!  
We will see each other again one day...



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**Barb** - October 21, 2025 at 02:43 PM

CN

“ Cinda Heck Goff, Hickory NC lit a candle in memory of Albert L. Root, IV



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**Cinda Heck Goff, Hickory NC** - October 21, 2025 at 02:25 PM

MH

“ Albert was a great friend, a great father, and a great little brother. And I could not have asked for a better brother-in-law. He always had a big smile and a hearty laugh. Albert was always ready to help anyone, anywhere, anytime. He will be missed and not soon forgotten by the many people whose lives he touched. If they allow cars in heaven, he is right now tearing through the streets in his road runner, with his mom in the passenger seat, laughing and yelling more. You are gone way to soon.

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**Mark Hatz** - October 21, 2025 at 02:22 PM

AI

“ RIP MY LOVING SON, ALBERT. I WILL MISS OUR RIDING IN THE ROADRUNNER. Riding our Harleys to benefits or just out cruising. You have been, my mechanic, my best friend, you loved life, had the most friends I have ever seen. I will miss texts and cell phone calls. I will miss you for the rest of my life.



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**Albert Root III** - October 21, 2025 at 02:08 PM

SK

"Mopar AI" was my nickname for AI, I'm Brenda's Uncle, he even Accepted as a Chevy lover, Great guy, I'll be at the service just to irritate his buddies and make him smile 😊!!!

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**STEVE KNOLLES** - October 21, 2025 at 08:22 PM

LH

“ Little brother you be missed more than you can imagine. You were the brightest shining smile just like your momma any where you went. Everyone loved and cherished you by the voluminous amount of outpouring memories shared with us. You were the best brother, son and father I know. Your love of cars and Harleys was contagious. I can not believe you are gone. We had so much fun together from kids to adults. I will miss our long conversations while were driving places. Always made the time go by faster. I love you to infinity and beyond.



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**Lisa Hatz** - October 21, 2025 at 01:46 PM