



## STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR

January 19, 2024

Steven Allen Carper, Jr.

Steven Allen Carper, Jr., 63 of New Castle, went to be with the Lord on January 19, 2024, at his home. He is preceded in death by his son, Jesse Allen Carper; mother, Edith Dawn Carper; grandparents, Roy & Bea Carper and Lawrence & Beatrice Bostic.

He is survived by his loving wife Donna Mills Carper; father, Steve Carper, Sr.; brother, Robert "Bob" Carper (Michelle); sisters, Melissa Wrenn (Timmy) and Carolyn Harless (Joseph); many special nieces and nephews; special daughter, Brianna Herman; and special grandchild, Ripp Peters.

He retired from Roanoke County after over 30 years of service. Steve was the owner of Dominion Electrical Service, where he met many loyal customers. He loved bear hunting, farming and bluegrass music. He was in many bands over the years, including the Locust Mtn. Boys.

The family wants to thank Carilion Hospice, especially Megan. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to New Castle Fire Dept. and Rescue Squad. The family would also like to thank all the family and friends for helping us with the farm and dogs.

Funeral Services will be held 3:00 PM Tuesday, January 23, 2024 at Paitsel Funeral Home with Pastor Raymond Christian officiating. Interment will follow at Huffman Memorial Park. The family will receive friends Monday, January 22, 2024 at Paitsel Funeral Home 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

Arrangements by Paitsel Funeral Home. [www.paitselfh.com](http://www.paitselfh.com)



# Cemetery Details

## Huffman Memorial Park

Cumberland Gap Rd.  
NEW CASTLE, VA 24127

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 22. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Paitsel Funeral Home  
286 Main Street  
PO Box 326  
New Castle, VA 24127  
(540) 864-5142  
paitselfuneral@aol.com  
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## Interment

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JAN 23 (ET)

Huffman Memorial Park  
Cumberland Gap Rd.  
NEW CASTLE, VA 24127

# Tribute Wall

SA

“ *Sandra Abbott lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



Sandra Abbott - January 23, 2024 at 11:45 AM

SA

*Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers*

Sandra Abbott - January 23, 2024 at 11:46 AM

SM

“ *Donna and all of the family, he was a great person and always had smile on his face. Sending prayers to you all! May he rest in peace !*



Susie & Greg Mattox - January 23, 2024 at 09:45 AM

JM

“ *Jolie A McKinney lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



Jolie A McKinney - January 23, 2024 at 09:18 AM

TB

“ My condolences to Donna and all of the family. Steve was a terrific musician and even better friend. May he rest in peace.

Timothy Beard - January 22, 2024 at 10:32 PM

AB

“ My condolences to Steve's family and friends.



Alice Williams Butcher - January 22, 2024 at 10:17 PM

CB

“ Steve was one of the first friends I made when I moved to New Castle,he probably didn't even have his license that long We rode many back roads and trails,if there was a creek we were going through it didn't matter what he was driving we where going through the creek,we would get stuck and have to wait till it wasn't flooded anymore but nobody cared cause he kept us all laughing, he'd come and get me or I go hang out at Boomers with him,He was a good man and I'll always remember his laugh,he was a lot of fun and an amazing banjo player, he'd run the muck with you if there was any muck running to be done.My deepest sympathy to his wife Donna and family



Claudea Brown - January 22, 2024 at 03:58 PM

DA

“ A delight to know him and an honor to pick with him whenever I could. Coop was full of life and it was infectious! My condolences to Donna, and all his family and friends.

Dawna - January 22, 2024 at 03:07 PM

VM

“ Vance Moore lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



Vance Moore - January 22, 2024 at 11:36 AM

HD

“ Sending Our Condolences. Praying 🙏 for The Family & Friends. May God Give You Comfort, Peace and Strength for each day during this difficult time. Steve is Home, now. Rejoicing with his Jesus, Son, Jesse & All His Love Ones. R. I. P. Steve.



Hank & Carolyn Drewry - January 22, 2024 at 10:12 AM



“ What an awesome dude! Prayers for him and his family.

Tony McFaddin - January 21, 2024 at 04:56 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR.*



January 21, 2024 at 01:58 PM



“ *Barbara Cantrell lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



**Barbara Cantrell** - January 21, 2024 at 12:20 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR.*



January 21, 2024 at 09:01 AM



“ *Delmer And Connie Fuller lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



**Delmer and Connie Fuller** - January 21, 2024 at 08:10 AM

VH

“ Vandal Humphreys lit a candle in memory of  
STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



Vandal Humphreys - January 21, 2024 at 06:13 AM

PC

“ Peggy Myers Cook sent a virtual gift in memory  
of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



Peggy Myers Cook - January 20, 2024 at 05:04 PM

KW

“ Karen Wilson lit a candle in memory of  
STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



Karen Wilson - January 20, 2024 at 04:55 PM

KW

“ Karen Wilson lit a candle in memory of  
STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



Karen Wilson - January 20, 2024 at 04:50 PM

AD

“ *Every interaction with Cooper in the last 50 years ended with the same result, I would leave with with a smile on my face,I hope he had the same. He will be missed but not forgotten!*

Anthony Dillon - January 20, 2024 at 04:36 PM

MJ

“ *Mark Jones lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



Mark Jones - January 20, 2024 at 03:52 PM

DB

“ *Diana Bayne lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



Diana Bayne - January 20, 2024 at 02:48 PM

DJ

“ *Denny and Janice purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR.*



Denny and Janice - January 20, 2024 at 02:26 PM

KL

“ Karen Link lit a candle in memory of STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR



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Karen Link - January 20, 2024 at 01:28 PM

KL

“ I attended New Castle High School with Steve, but we weren't in the same class, so I didn't know him all that well back then. However, our paths crossed just a few years ago. My Mom had passed March 2020 & in June 2020 a tree fell through my house & took down my power pole. I was already not in a good place & didn't know who I could get to help me. Not to mention it had been raining nonstop with 2 feet of mud everywhere!! An employee of Craig Botetourt recommended I call Steve. I live on the opposite end of the county so I figured he wouldn't come out to help especially in that kind of weather. When I called, Steve was so nice & personable & said he would help. In no time @ all he rolled up in the pouring rain in his old truck with a big smile on his face. He probably never knew the relief I felt!! He fixed all of my power issues in no time flat & did an absolute awesome job. His work ethic was clear to see in his perfect workmanship. I called him later to thank him & I will never forget what he said to me. He said when he saw the emotional "shape" I was in that he HAD to help!! I said, but Steve you are battling cancer!! He immediately said that didn't matter!! I was brought to tears that day. I will NEVER forget his unconditional goodness toward me. My prayers are with his family at this time. Craig County has lost one of the "good" guys!!

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Karen Link - January 20, 2024 at 01:28 PM

JD

“ *Janice Damewood lit a candle in memory of  
STEVEN ALLEN CARPER JR*



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**Janice Damewood** - January 20, 2024 at 01:02 PM

JD

“ *Such a tremendous loss for a wonderful human being. Donna you  
are in my prayers.*

*Love,  
Janice Damewood*

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**Janice Damewood** - January 20, 2024 at 01:01 PM

BA

“ *To Steve's Family He was such a good person always full of fun and  
concern for others. He was a great banjo picker and loved playing,  
He and Jesse can be together again and play music with all of the  
musicians in HEAVEN. God Bless you.*

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**BETTY ANDERSON** - January 20, 2024 at 12:52 PM