Kenneth V. Lowry

August 1, 1963 – June 19, 2007

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"To be absent from the body, is to be present with the Lord" 2 Corinthians 5:8. Kenneth V. Lowry of Beckley beloved son of Frank Vernon and Edith Lucas Lowry went to haul gravel for Jesus Tuesday, June 19, 2007, at Raleigh General Hospital after a sudden illness.

Kenny was welcomed into this world on Aug. 1, 1963, in Hinton, the baby brother of Steve and Kathy.

Kenny grew up in Summers County. He began his work career with his Dad, followed by driving for Crooks Produce and Peerless Packing. He then worked in the logging industry followed by the opening of his own trucking business, Kenneth Lowry Trucking Inc. in Monroe County.

Kenny moved to Greenbrier County and owned/operated Eastern Greenbrier Trucking, Inc. In 2006, he moved to Raleigh County after having met the love of his life, Peggy.

Kenny was preceded to the heavenly homeland by his paternal grandparents, Samuel T. and Lola Frith Lowry; maternal grandparents, Edward and Emma Jones Lucas; cousin, David M. Lowry whom he loved as a brother; a very special niece, Cheri Lynn Lucas; and nephews, J.W. Ward and Thomas Wayne Huffman.

Kenny's memory will be cherished by his fiancée' Peggy Cantley, whom he loved more than life itself and her granddaughter, Brittany Leann Shelton who was Kenny's "very best friend;" parents, Frank V. and Edith Lowry; brothers, Steve and his wife, Becky, of Forest Hill, Jerry and his wife, Tammie, of Max Meadows, Va., and Randy of Hinton; sisters, Kathy Farley and husband, Joey, of Dorothy, Pam Ward, Vickie Cales and her husband, Chuck, of Hinton, Teresa and her husband, Gary, of Sandstone, and Drema Presley and her husband, Timmy, of Powley's Creek; nephews, Jay Holland of Forest Hill, Clay Holland of Hinton; greatnephews, Corey Holland of Forest Hill, Dylan Holland of North Carolina, Scott Lowry of Virginia, Kenneth Davis of Hinton, and George Treadway of Richmond, Va.; nieces, Carrie Lowry of Philippi, Jessie Woodrum of Hillsdale, Cassie and Heaven Cales of Hinton, and Crystal Bowling of Nimitz; great-niece, Samantha Holland of Forest Hill; and numerous family and friends.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 23, at 11 a.m. at Blue Ridge Funeral Home, Beckley, with Pastor Daymond Snuffer officiating. Kenny will be taken to "The Lowry Farm" to be buried in the Huffman Family Cemetery at Little Wolf Creek, Summers County.

Friends and family will serve as pallbearers.

Everyone can pay their respects and share their memories of Kenny Friday, June 22, from 6 to 9 p.m. at Blue Ridge Funeral Home, Beckley.

"Kenny, by the example of your life, you paved the way...we'll follow."