



## Rodger K. Francis

June 18, 2001 - May 10, 2023

Rodger K. Francis, 21, of Vanderbilt, died Wednesday May 10, 2023.

He was born June 18, 2001, in Jeannette, a son of John E. and Leeann (Painter) Francis of North Huntingdon.

Rodger was the shop supervisor/diesel mechanic for Student Transport and worked with the Elizabeth Forward School District. He was avidly pursuing all his credentials to advance in his job and he was a very hard worker. He was an avid hunter and archer and attended Liberty Baptist Church, Uniontown.

Rodger is survived by his wife Nicole R. Coldren; his siblings Justine (Simon) Loriston of Monessen, and John E. Francis, Logan C. Francis and Alexandra G. Francis all of North Huntingdon; his in-laws Pastor Gary and Karen Coldren; brother-in-law Derek Coldren; grandmother Janet G. Francis of Pleasant Hills; Nicole's grandparents; also numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. He is preceded in death by his grandparents Logan and Dorothy Painter and John Francis.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, May 15 at the William Snyder Funeral Home, 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200, where a funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday with Rev. Robert Weeber, officiating.

In lieu to flowers a contribution can be made to Liberty Baptist Church, 183 Oliver Rd., Uniontown, PA 15401.

For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 15. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
(724) 863-1200  
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

MAY 15. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
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## Funeral Ceremony

MAY 16. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
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<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rodger K. Francis*

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ *May god bless you and keep you during your time of need. Our sincerest sympathy to your family.*

*Garrett Reid & Miranda Miller*

**Garrett Reid** - May 15, 2023 at 09:50 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rodger K. Francis.*



May 15, 2023 at 09:28 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rodger K. Francis.*



May 14, 2023 at 07:50 PM

JC

“ John and Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. John Curyto ( BNY Mellon )



John Curyto - May 14, 2023 at 08:53 AM

GC

“ Gary and I could not have had a better son-in-law. We loved him as if he was our own. He made our little girl so happy. He was always willing to help anyone with anything. He loved everything about the outdoors, especially hunting. We miss you, Rodger. There is a huge hole in our hearts. You were greatly loved and will be missed forever ❤️



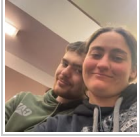
Gary and Karen Coldren - May 13, 2023 at 03:43 PM

MC

“ Murrysville Community Church purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rodger K. Francis.



Murrysville Community Church - May 13, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ I loved Rodger more than anything and I will continue to love him. I do not know everything he was feeling as he always guarded his emotions and protected me from everything he could. He loved me with such great love only God can provide love to last a lifetime. The Lord is good and he will work a miracle in this situation I believe that with all my heart!



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**Nicole Coldren** - May 13, 2023 at 06:38 AM



“ When I first met Roger I wasn't sure about him he was so young but having spending time with him and Nicole I found Roger to be very loving and caring for Nicole and very loving and caring towards others. We went through a rough patch last year and he was right there helping and just being there to talk and help anyway he could I will miss him and all the things he could have been. Rest in peace Roger and know you were loved

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**Roberta Wootten** - May 12, 2023 at 10:16 PM