



## Morgan Campbell

November 30, 2008

Falls Mills, Va. - Morgan Clay Campbell, 53, of Falls Mills, Va, passed away on November 30, 2008, at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Charleston, W.Va. in 1955, and was preceded in death by his mother, Anna Jayne Eskins Campbell; father, Elgin Mack Campbell, and brother-in-law, James B. Kuhn, III. Morgan is survived by his wife, Marguerite Denise Campbell, two children, Jennifer Kaye Campbell Owens and her husband Estel of Washington, Pa., and Sheri Diane Campbell of Falls Mills, and his sister, Deborah Ann Campbell Kuhn. Those of you whom knew this humble servant may not be aware that he was a "super hero," not only in his younger days, but until the very end. Morgan was blessed with a family and job that he loved dearly. He often commented about how lucky he was to do something he loved and receive payment too. He taught and coached in the Tazewell County School system for the past 19 years having been wooed away from the Mercer County School system by Coach Carlock. He was the head football coach for Graham Middle School and the Assistant Football Coach at Graham High School until 2007 when he became ill. Morgan was the Graham High School Head Baseball Coach, and worked for the Bluefield Orioles Baseball Club for over 19 years during the summer months. Morgan was a rare, gifted person with vision, strength, character, and love. He received multiple scholarships to play football, when he graduated from Princeton High School, but he chose baseball. He was a stand-out in his younger days at PHS as a football and baseball hero, and a wrestling and weight lifting

champion. He was a baseball star and was named to the All-State Team in his sophomore year at Patrick Henry Jr. College in Alabama where his jersey was retired. He is the only athlete from PHS to be entered in the Hall of Fame for two sports: football and baseball. Morgan was named as a Prep All American athlete in 1973-1974. After a knee injury and recovery at PHJC, he was offered a scholarship to play baseball at McNeese State University in Lake Charles, La, where he earned his B.S. and won the heart of his wife, Denise. Morgan was also named as a VHSCA All-Star Coach. He loved and cared deeply for his family, friends, students, and the athletes he coached through the years. Morgan will be deeply missed by all. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, December 4, 2008 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Bluefield, West Virginia with the Reverend Paul Wharton officiating. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. The Campbell family will receive friends and family at the Mercer Funeral Home in Bluefield from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 3, 2008. A Christian Wake service will be held at 8:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donation be made to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 1115, Dunbar, WV 25064-1115. Those wishing to share condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.mercerfuneralhome.com](http://www.mercerfuneralhome.com). The Campbell family is being served by Mercer Funeral Home in Bluefield, W.Va.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Morgan Campbell*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *I consider myself to be lucky to have known coach although it was only for a short time. He was truly a great man and touched the lives of everyone he had contact with. The walls of GHS will not be the same without him. Please know that your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

melissa linkous - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM



“ *Denise, Please know that you and your girls and Morgan`s sister are in my prayers. Remember,those who mourn will be comforted by God. Love, Susan*

Susan DeWitt - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM



“ *Sheri, Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. May the Lord wrap His loving arms around you and lead you through this most difficult time. But also know that your Dad is in such great hands now and feels no pain. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Peace be with you. Sharon Lowe*

Sharon Lowe - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

KS

“ As a parent of a former GHS baseball ball player I look back and smile and hold my heart in sorrow. Our prayers are with you and your family for this loss. Coach Campbell was always there for our youths in many ways even off the field. May he be a peace.

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**Kim Ascue Shaw** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

JS

“ Dearest family, this is Jeanne praying for all of you, knowing Morgan is in a better place no more pain, not more not knowing what tomorrow will bring, pain or healing?. Now he is at peace and God in Heaven will use Him to pray for his family and all the ones who touch his life. And may be!! God will use him to keep his angels in better formation. god is with you all I know love always there for all of you, Jeanne C. Skeen

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**jeanne C. Skeen** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

BG

“ Denise, Sorry for your loss. Please know he is in the love of our Lord. My prayers are still with you and your family. Love, beverly

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**beverly guthrie** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

BF

“ Dear Campbell Family, We are so sorry for your loss. If there is anything that we can do, please let us know. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Bob, Susan, Jessica, Jaxson and Jordan Belcher

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**Belcher Family** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

BG

“ Denise , I'm sorry for your loss. Please know he is free of pain and in the love of our Lord. My prayers continue for you and your family.

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**beverly guthrie** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

CD

“ Denise, I am so sorry for you and your girls loss. Please know that you all are in my thoughts and prayers. He is not suffering anymore. Love to you all Connie

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**Connie DeWitt** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM

SB

“ Hi Denise and Girls, We are so sorry for your loss. Morgan is with the Lord enjoying painless freedom. He is sorrowed though, he had to leave you all. He will be watching over all and hoping you think of the good times. He will be always in your hearts. He will be missed by all. God watch over all and his light shows that Morgan is doing well and is safe. Love and Blessings to all.

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**Sandra & Butch Bertrand** - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM