



## ADAM GENE BLANKENSHIP

November 14, 1995 - February 6, 2020

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Adam Gene Blankenship, 24, of War, passed away Thursday, February 6, 2020 at his residence, following a long illness. Born November 14, 1995 in Welch, he was the son of Jessica Leeanna Payne and Adam Gene Blankenship. He was raised by his grandparents, Betty Katherine Bowman and Cecil Bowman of War.

He was an Honor Graduate from River View High School. He loved Jesus and was a member of the Lighthouse Community Church in War.

In addition to his parents and grandparents he is survived by four brothers, Michael and Isaiah Friend both of Pennington, NC, George Friend of North Carolina and Dewayne Friend of Virginia; three sisters, Christina and Nevaeh Friend both of Pennington, NC and Allison Friend of Virginia; grandmother, Rosalee Adams of Raven, VA and Paw Paw Danny Adams of VA; three aunts, Yvonne Browning of Pineville, Michelle Hartwell and Samantha Lambert both of South Carolina; one uncle, Mark Payne of Tennessee; two great aunts, Beatrix Christian of Eckman and a special great aunt, Amy Collison of Coalwood who thought of him as a brother; a special cousin, Mellissa Cavins of South Carolina; and a cousin, Roy Kennedy of Kentucky.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday, February 11, 2020 at the Lighthouse Church in War at 1:00 PM with Reverends Ricky Muncy, Delena Muncy and Mary Payne, officiating. Burial will follow in the War Cove

Community Cemetery in War Cove.

Friends may call at the church Tuesday morning from 11 AM to 1 PM.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

The Douglas Mortuary in Welch is assisting the Blankenship family. Online condolences may be made to the family at [douglasmortuary.com](http://douglasmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## War Cove Community Cemetery

War Cove  
War, WV 24892

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 11. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Lighthouse Church  
Main St  
War, WV 24892

## Service

FEB 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Main St  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Adam was an angel on earth..... he taught all of us who knew him a little bit about love.... unconditional love.... I love you Adam you are and will be dearly missed....sorry for family loss im here for every one of you fly high i love you adam

Wanda Bolen - February 11, 2020 at 10:32 AM

WB

“ Knowing there are no words to fill the holes in your hearts and lives... Sincere sympathies for the family left behind... Praying your faith brings you peace, your memories bring you comfort and that you feel the love outpouring from your family and friends...



Windy Blevins-Tolliver - February 10, 2020 at 12:17 PM

WB

“ Windy Blevins-Tolliver lit a candle in memory of ADAM GENE BLANKENSHIP



Windy Blevins-Tolliver - February 10, 2020 at 12:14 PM

SK

“ Adam was a good kid I loved him he was good on bud sorry for ur loss but he's in gods presence and u will see him again I can't come to funeral I'm in school can't miss but y'all r in our prayers

sherry kirk - February 07, 2020 at 06:23 PM

ML

“ my mommy worked with Adam as his health care nurse and everyday after my sports conditioning i would come and visit him. he was the sweetest soul. i will never forget us watching wwe every Monday and you winking everytime I'd walk through the door. rest easy sweet Adam 💔

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**madison lester** - February 07, 2020 at 03:07 PM



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**Karen Tunnell** - February 07, 2020 at 04:51 PM

SR

“ Prayers for his family and especially his grandmother that raised him. Fly high with the Lord little Adam.

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**Sharon Rife** - February 07, 2020 at 03:05 PM



I have been out of McDowell County for several years. And I don't get back down that way very much. And it saddens me that I didn't get to see Adam Moore. He was a great kid.kat you did an amazing job miss you love ya and many prayers

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**Todd Casteel** - February 07, 2020 at 10:52 PM