



## Robert David English

November 17, 1935 - February 11, 2022

Robert David English, 86, of 1620 Melinda Drive, Altavista passed away Friday, February 11, 2022 at Centra Lynchburg General Hospital. He was the devoted husband of Doris Dinkle English for sixty-six years.

He was born November 17, 1935 in Toler, KY, a son of the late Marvin Baxter English and Josephine Curry English. He was a member of the West End Church of Christ and a retired postal carrier.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Royce English of Danville and Don English and his wife, Norma of Altavista; one daughter, Tammy Conner and her husband, Roger of Hurt; two sisters, Lorene Dalton and Carol Ann Moss both of Gretna; five grandchildren, Christopher English (Laura), Cory English (Angelica), Brooke Barksdale (Evan) Nicholas Conner (Samantha) and Holly Conner; and four great grandchildren, Christian English, Macy Barksdale, Zeke Barksdale, Zoey Barksdale.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Elmer English; a sister, Hilda Dalton; and three brothers-in-law, Dan Moss, Harold Dalton and Jack Dalton.

A graveside service will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 16, 2022 at Altavista Memorial Park by Larry Evans, Minister.

Robert will be available for viewing from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m., Tuesday at Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the Altavista Church of Christ, 1301 Avondale Drive, Altavista, VA 24517.

# Cemetery Details

## Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Viewing

FEB **15**. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

## Graveside Service

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Altavista Memorial Park  
642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Tribute Wall

DD

“ Dear English Family.  
I am sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. English. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during the loss of your Loved One.  
Sincerely,  
Dennis DeLappe

Dennis DeLappe - February 17, 2022 at 08:51 AM



“ 2 files added to the album Graveside Service



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - February 16, 2022 at 05:08 PM

RC

“ We're so sorry hearing of Mr. English passing.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all and may the precious memories give you comfort and strength for tomorrow and the days to come.



Ray and Kay Caldwell - February 15, 2022 at 10:38 AM

JW

“ Prayers for all of the family. David was such a nice man. We wish for the peace and comfort that comes only from The Lord in the days ahead.  
Michael and Jamie Worley

Jamie Worley - February 14, 2022 at 05:43 PM

JH

“ *Jamie Burgess Holt lit a candle in memory of Robert David English*



**Jamie Burgess Holt** - February 14, 2022 at 05:22 PM

SD

“ *Steve And Jean Dalton lit a candle in memory of Robert David English*



**Steve and Jean Dalton** - February 14, 2022 at 02:03 PM

BG

“ *Donnie and Norma - we are so sorry to hear of the passing of your father. Prayers for you at this time of bereavement. We are thinking of you.*



**Bill and Betty Gillespie** - February 14, 2022 at 01:44 PM

EL

“ *English Family, Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time of loss. Praying for peace and love during your grieving process.*



**English's LLC** - February 14, 2022 at 11:55 AM

LR

“ *Doris and Family,  
You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.  
I pray that your memories will bring you comfort in the days ahead.  
Love, Lisa Reid*

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**Lisa Reid** - February 14, 2022 at 11:16 AM

KH

“ *Keith & Mary Hall lit a candle in memory of  
Robert David English*



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**Keith & Mary Hall** - February 14, 2022 at 07:10 AM

DB

“ *Prayers to the Family and the Memories of  
times gone by.*



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**David Brooks** - February 13, 2022 at 07:26 PM

GH

“ *Prayers for Doris and family for passing of David and know he will  
be greatly missed.*

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**Glenn & Alice Hancock** - February 13, 2022 at 06:21 PM

BD

“ Royce, Donnie, and Tammy  
Sorry to hear of your Dads passing. Dawn and my thoughts and  
prayers are with you and the family.  
Bobby Doss

Bobby Doss - February 13, 2022 at 04:34 PM

TC

“ Doris, Tammy, Donnie, Royce and extended  
family...So sorry for your loss. David was  
deeply respected and loved by all that knew  
him.



THERESA CROUCH - February 13, 2022 at 08:48 AM

JL

“ James & Julia Lukin lit a candle in memory of  
Robert David English



James & Julia Lukin - February 13, 2022 at 08:22 AM

RK

“ Doris, Royce, Donnie, and Tammie, and  
Family,  
I'm so sorry for your loss. I will always  
remember David as the kindhearted man he  
was. You are in my thoughts and prayers



Regina Keesee - February 13, 2022 at 06:00 AM

JT

“ *Donnie*  
*Prayers for your family during this time. May God fill your families heart with joyful memories.*

*Jimmy&Lisa Thurman*

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**Jimmy&Lisa Thurman** - February 12, 2022 at 07:03 PM

CS

“ *Doris and Children*  
*You have my deepest sympathy .We always enjoyed and visit before Richard got sick*  
*You in my prayers*



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**Christine Schwitzerlett** - February 12, 2022 at 06:19 PM

RW

“ *Great guy to work with at Altavista Post Office. Sending prayers to the family. Roger and Connie Wilson*



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**Roger and Connie Wilson** - February 12, 2022 at 06:07 PM

RL

“ *Robbie M Lacks lit a candle in memory of Robert David English*



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**Robbie M Lacks** - February 12, 2022 at 05:46 PM

KW

“ *Kathy And Ray Walker lit a candle in memory of Robert David English*



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**Kathy and Ray Walker** - February 12, 2022 at 04:41 PM

PW

“ *David will be missed. He was kind and good to all. Family in our thoughts and prayers .*



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**Paula Walden** - February 12, 2022 at 04:12 PM

ME

“ *So sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts & prayers at this time.*



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**Mary Edmonds** - February 12, 2022 at 03:35 PM

GS

“ *Sending my thoughts and prayers to Doris and all the family.  
David was a good man!*



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**Geraldine Shelton** - February 12, 2022 at 02:08 PM

FL

“ Deepest sympathy for the English family.  
Praying for you in this time of sorrow.



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**Fran Lawhone** - February 12, 2022 at 01:53 PM

PP

“ David was such a nice person, always smiling. He always spoke, no matter where he saw you. My thought and prayers go out to the family in this time of sorrow.



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**pat Puckette** - February 12, 2022 at 01:37 PM

AP

“ Doris, Donnie, Tammy, Royce and Family : I am thinking of you all with a heart full of sympathy and prayer. ❤️ He was a good man and a good neighbor and raised a good family. ❤️



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**Anita Phillips** - February 12, 2022 at 01:23 PM

KN

“ Karen Farmer Newton lit a candle in memory of Robert David English



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**Karen Farmer Newton** - February 12, 2022 at 01:01 PM

PW

“ Keeping Doris and all in our thoughts and prayers. David will be missed. Will treasure the good old days with them.



Paula Walden - February 12, 2022 at 11:48 AM

WW

“ David was always so nice to all that knew him. Keeping Doris and family in prayers .



Wayne Walden - February 12, 2022 at 11:45 AM

PW

“ David will be missed. I remember the good times with he and Doris and all the kids at Aunt Lelias Farm. David was always kind and good to all. Love, Paula



Paula Walden - February 12, 2022 at 11:41 AM

RJ

“ Ronald And Linda Johnston sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert David English



Ronald and Linda Johnston - February 12, 2022 at 11:28 AM

KT

“ *Mr. English worked with my Dad for years at the Postal Service. Also long term neighbors of my husband family . Prayers to the family! Mr. English was always kind and considerate and I know how much my Dad respected him.*  
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**Kim Taylor** - February 12, 2022 at 11:15 AM

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“ *THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS FOR DORIS AND THE REST OF THE FAMILY. REMEMBER DAVID AT THE ALTAVISTA CHURCH OF CHRIST..HE WAS A GREAT CHRISTINA MAN.*



*ALICE FAYEKRANTZ KEESEE*

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**ALICE KRANTZ KEESEE** - February 12, 2022 at 11:08 AM