



Larry Allen Finch

February 2, 1963 - October 14, 2025

Larry Allen Finch of Mulberry passed away at the age of 62 in Lakeland, Florida on October 14, 2025. He was born in Ripley, West Virginia to Clyde F. Finch and Erma Jones Finch. Larry lived in Mulberry for over fifty years, raising his family and making friends with many along the way.

He loved drag races, fishing, hunting, bee keeping and had a knack for finding arrowheads, a true relic of Florida History.

Though his days of uncovering hidden treasures are over, his greatest discoveries were not just the points he found, but the stories and friendships he forged along the way. No matter where he was in life, he never met a stranger. His kind spirit and curious soul will be greatly Missed by all of his loved ones.

Larry is survived by his sons, Steven Finch, Travis Finch (Megan); daughters, Stacy Finch Johnson (Casper), Katie Finch; sister, Brenda Fletcher (Eddie) and brother, Dennis Watkins.

A graveside committal service to honor the life of Larry will take place at Fitzgerald Cemetery on Tuesday, October 21, 2025 at 9:00am. The family invites all who knew Larry to attend.

Cemetery Details

Fitzgerald Cemetery

5326 Jay Street
Lakeland, FL 33813

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT **21**. 9:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry Allen Finch*

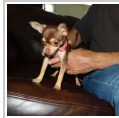


Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - October 20, 2025 at 07:53 PM

KF

The video says its down, could you try to fix it please?

Katie F - October 30, 2025 at 11:09 PM



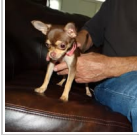
Katie, I hope the video is available soon. I have been watching for it too. Aunt Brenda

Brenda Fletcher - February 02 at 06:40 PM

SJ

“ *Thank you all for all of your great memories of our dad. He loved all of you*

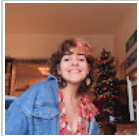
Stacy Johnson - October 29, 2025 at 07:01 PM



“ I have heard the the term bigger than life. Larry is that, he is bigger than life and it makes thinking he is gone impossible. No matter what he was always ready to help us. Eddie and I know this, he would say "I'll be right there". When I had covid and the prescription medication made me sicker he brought me something that worked and without making me sicker. He is bigger than life and one of a kind and will always be in our memories and our hearts.

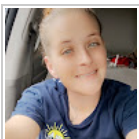
Rest easy Brother, you have earned it.

Brenda Fletcher - October 21, 2025 at 08:44 PM



“ Larry, I miss you already. You were always the guy to call when we had a question about animals. You gave me a tip that saved a stray dog I found 4 years ago, I made a video about your tips for other people to save their animals too and all these years later people still comment that he saved their dogs. I grew up just around the block from you and you were just always there and it already feels strange to not see you outside waving us down to chat.

Elijah Pierce - October 21, 2025 at 03:14 PM



“ Larry you will truly be missed and I will always love you and it's hard to believe your gone but I know your no longer in pain . And the memories I share with you will always be held close to my heart . Fly high Larry cocoa from Lisa G

Crystal Melendez - October 21, 2025 at 11:42 AM



“ Love you dad, I've had so much fun spending weekends with you like boating and fishing and all sorts of trips. You were the most friendly and fun dad anyone could have asked for, we all miss you and love you so much, I hope you are in peace and maybe hanging out with memaw. Love you and miss you forever, Katie F.

Katie F - October 21, 2025 at 12:50 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Brenda Fletcher - October 19, 2025 at 09:39 PM



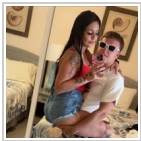
This is Daisy one of Larry's loved fur babies. She will miss him.

Brenda Fletcher - October 19, 2025 at 09:46 PM



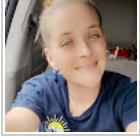
“ We were married had kids divorced and continued sharing space in this world for the last 38 years. You got on my last nerve daily!!!! But God's plan was for us to have 2 Amazing children and be done lol. Don't know why but I'm thankful to GOD and to you for giving me the greatest gift there is. You are leaving this world 4 beautiful amazing children and nobody knows what that will lead to in the future but God does. That makes your life important and you Loved. I think that's what most all strive for in life.
I pray for peace for you and for your children.
Goodbye

Marcy Odom - October 19, 2025 at 01:22 PM



“ I would love to share a funny memory, one day I was at uncle Larry house and I remember he told me to go look in his bathroom I was maybe 7 or 8 years old I went down the hall and open the door and there was a DEER in his bathtub he told me he had dinner for couple months! I can still picture the deers eyes looking at me! You will be truly missed! Rest easy uncle Larry ❤️👍

Tiffany Marie - October 18, 2025 at 12:35 AM



“ I can't say I have memories with you because I don't but one thing I do know is that you will be truly missed . I will never forget everytime I seen you in the store you always asked me about my aunt Tina and Steven and always told me the story behind your tattoo and I will cherish the small talks we had and I know your momma is up there in heaven with open arms waiting for you . Just watch over your kids here and I know their hearts wasn't ready for you to leave but you will always be remembered. I am sending condolences from the Glausier family ! Fly high Larry

Crystal Melendez - October 17, 2025 at 11:48 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Larry Allen Finch.



October 17, 2025 at 08:58 PM



“ Uncle Larry you will truly be missed. I know you had welcoming arms to heaven.i love you.

Michelle Cross - October 17, 2025 at 08:56 PM



“ Uncle Larry you were my dad's little brother but you were more like a big brother to me. You saved me from drowning in Grandma Gerry's pool I remember yelling at you pulled my hair you said, I saved your life. You told me stories of you and my dad growing up and stories of Grandpa Finch who I feel like I met. Thank you for always keeping me connected with our family in Florida . You gave me memories and family to treasure. I hope you know how much you were loved and be missed.

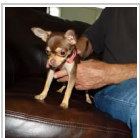
Kathryn Spires - October 17, 2025 at 08:49 PM



“ Eddie & Brenda and all the Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Larry Allen Finch.



Eddie & Brenda and all the Family - October 17, 2025 at 06:38 PM



“ Little Brother, there are no words for how much you are loved or how badly you will be missed. It is really hard to know you aren't here. You will always live in our hearts and memories. May heaven be beautiful for you. I know Mom and your Dad were there to welcome you home.
Eddie and Brenda

Brenda Fletcher - October 17, 2025 at 06:11 PM