Ted Harriman, formerly of Flemington, W.Va., served the forest industry for 19 years. He was born in Preston County in 1960 and was educated in the Preston County school system. He graduated from West Virginia University (WVU) in 1983 with a degree in Forest Resource Management. Mr. Harriman served in various professional forestry positions for Georgia-Pacific, Columbia Forest Products and Weyerhaeuser Corporation, including land management forester, procurement forester and raw materials specialist. Mr. Harriman served on the West Virginia Forestry Association Board of Directors and devoted many hours to the Association's Logger Safety Initiative. He also worked to advance the mission of the West Virginia Forest Industries Camp and to honor his memory, the Camp has been renamed the “Ted Harriman Forest Industries Camp.”

He was also deeply involved in the development of the “Log-a-Load for Kids” program where he provided leadership to the annual log auction fund raiser. This activity has recently been named the “Ted Harriman Memorial Log Auction.”

Mr. Harriman worked with suppliers to support many causes including activities at Fort New Salem, rebuilding the historic Philippi Bridge after the fire and Camp Mahoneon Boy Scout Camp in Upshur County.

Though he was taken from this earth at an untimely age, his contributions to society will be felt for decades to come.