



Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr.

June 27, 1948 - March 21, 2026

Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt, Jr. departed this life on Saturday, March 21, 2026, at the Ben Atchley Tennessee State Veterans' Home in Knoxville, TN. He was born to the late Adie Pruitt, Sr. and Marjorie Lamaster Pruitt.

Adie attended Tanner and Cocke County High School, after graduation he served in the United States Army. At the end of military service he attended Tennessee State University and was employed by TVA for many years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and brother Billy D. Pruitt.

He leaves to cherish his memories, sons; Steven (Valerie) Hampton of Michigan, Markos Pruitt and daughter Nicole Pruitt both from Knoxville, TN. Grandchildren; Tavian and Zakiyah Garner, and Danielle Daniels and Jordyn Hampton. Brothers; James (Gloria), Larry, Herman, Carl, Todd and Tyrone Pruitt; sister Yvette Pruitt all from Newport, TN; also several nieces and nephews; and a host of other relatives and friend.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm Saturday, March 28, 2026 with the funeral service following at 6:00 pm In Manes Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial will be held at 10:00 am, Tuesday, March 31, 2026 in the East Tn State Veterans Cemetery, with Military Honors.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at: www.manefuneralhome.com.

Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

MAR 28. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Funeral service

MAR 28. 6:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Burial

MAR 31. 10:00 AM (ET)

East Tn State Veterans Cemetery
2200 E. Governor John Sevier Hwy
Knoxville, TN 37920

Tribute Wall

TM

“ *The King Family of Detroit, Michiga purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr..*



The King Family of Detroit, Michiga - March 27 at 06:40 PM

SO

“ *I am sorry to read that Adie has passed away. I have known him 55 years. He was a true gentleman, very soft spoken and kind to everyone. I remember when he went to the military and how proud he was to serve our country. When he worked at TVA I would run into him from time to time. It was always a pleasure to talk with him. Adie Pruitt was a fine man that loved his family, his country, and made a difference in this world. Rest in peace my friend. Many prayers for this family. I am so sorry for your loss.*



Susie O'Dell - March 27 at 01:39 PM

CD

Sorry for your loss. May God comfort you in your hours of grief and sorrow

Charles Davis - March 27 at 03:52 PM

CH

“ Curtis and Patricia Hankins purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr..



Curtis and Patricia Hankins - March 26 at 08:57 AM

MS

“ Rest easy uncle duke. You will be missed.



Michael (Square) Swaggerty - March 26 at 02:49 AM

YF

“ Your KCHD Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr..



Your KCHD Family - March 25 at 08:49 PM

YF

“ Your KCHD Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr..

Your KCHD Family - March 25 at 08:49 PM

SH

“ Love you from Shawn Haney



shawn Haney - March 25 at 08:39 PM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - March 25 at 08:21 PM

DF

“ Sorry for your loss, a life well lived...

Daniel Ray Fancher - March 25 at 05:43 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Adie (Duke) Swain Pruitt Jr..



March 25 at 04:15 PM