



## Albert Luther Dockery

August 4, 1929 - July 9, 2012

Albert Luther Dockery, age 82 of Del Rio, went to be with the Lord, Monday, July 9, 2012

He was a great daddy, papaw, great-papaw, brother and friend.

This quiet country plowboy left this world surrounded by his loving family. As an avid farmer and cattleman he will be remembered for lending a helping hand to many who knew him. His mathematical and mechanical abilities were not hindered by his lack of formal education. He served many years as Fire Warden and Crew Leader with the U. S. Forestry Service. He also was employed at Bush Brothers and Legacy Furniture.

He delighted in the humor of his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He attended Del Rio First Church of God.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Gelena Hill Dockery; parents, Fred and Grace (Messer) Dockery and sister, Zona Craig.

He is survived by his daughters and sons-in-law, Helen and Rex Bailey of Mansfield, Ohio, Thelma and Frank Wilhelm of Newport, Charolette and Don Fox of Del Rio, Linda and Jake Wood of Newport and Valarie and Dennis Bean of Knoxville; grandchildren, Lee Ann and Chad Swanger, and Gerald Fox all of Del Rio, Jason Wood of Newport and Meagan and Tom Ingenthron of Sevierville; great-grandchildren, Bethany and Ava Swanger of Del Rio, Jaleeana Wood of Newport and Ariel and Sean Ingenthron of Sevierville; sister, Edith Reece of Dandridge; sister-in-law, Corrina Messer of Newport; special friend Selma McGaha of Newport; also several, cousins, nieces and

nephews.

Funeral services will be held 8:00 pm Thursday, July 12, 2012 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Bobby Morrison officiating.

Burial will be held at 11:00 am Friday, July 13, 2012 in Union Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5-8 pm Thursday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral services.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to, Del Rio Church of God Building Fund, c/o Bill Finchum, 1059 Blue Mill Road, Del Rio, TN 37727, Gideon's International. P. O. Box 1217, Newport, TN 37822 or Amedisys Home Health and Hospice, 1423 West Morris Blvd, Suite C, Morristown, TN 37813.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com).

Manes Funeral Home in charge.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Albert Luther Dockery*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *I never knew Luther personally, but I have met him and heard his name mentioned many time among my family members and friends, all with deep respect for a good man. I went to school with Linda and Valarie, two nicer young ladies I have never met. May God*

**Brian Dockery** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



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**Brian Dockery** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Luther was a dear friend he would take me to Knoxville to my heart doctor when I was smaller my Dad and mom thought so much of him Leon who has gone to be with the lord and my mom who is still living he will be missed by so many people and he was such a s*

**Lucille Woody Jenkins Billy Jenkins** - July 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *At a time when words are hard to find...May you find comfort in God's unchanging Word and His steadfast Love. With Deepest Sympathy Lifting you in Prayer, Lula Ellison Ozmun*

**Lula Ellison Ozmun** - July 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Our prayers and love to the entire Dockery Family. You all were a great influence in my decision to become a pastor. I am thankful for your Dad's life and the special place he held in so many hearts. God bless you all!*

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**Bruce Hamilton** - July 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *DEAR VALARIE AND FAMILY, I AM SO VERY SORRY FOR YOU. I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU ARE GOING THROUGH AND IT WILL NOT BE EASY, BUT YOU KNOW HOW TO FIND ME. I WILL BE THERE FOR YOU AND ANY OF YOUR FAMILY THAT MAY NEED ME. LOVE, JANIE AND JC HOLT*

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**JANIE HOLT** - July 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *I am so sorry for your loss.*

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**Robin Seay** - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this sad time.*

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**Cheryl Fouts** - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Our deepest sympathy. Gayla Brogan and Joe McNabb*

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**Gayla Brogan** - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Albert Luther Dockery*

James Pete and Judy Moore - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PI

“ *I am saddened by Luther's passing, but proud to have known him as a young forester and firefighter for the U.S. Forest Service; honored to have learned from him, and thankful to be his friend. My deepest sympathies to Luther's family during this difficul*

Pete Irvine - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ *So sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers. Love Preston and Kay Cureton*

Kay Cureton - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. We Love you all like family, if there is anything we can do please let us know. We will be praying for you.*

Ronnie & Becky Grigsby - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Luther was a good and compassionate man. They dont make em like that anymore. I hope you understand why we cant be with you all. Love and sympathy- Ernest and Gail Sawyer*

gail sawyer - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ Paul & I are sorry for your loss. May you be lifted in spirit by knowing we care. Love Gail & Paul Metcalf

Gail Metcalf - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ such a sweet person going to miss him

Phyllis Combs - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We are so terribly sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

The Nilges Family - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ Our deepest sympathies.

Tim & Stella Lunsford - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VM

“ My Deepest sympathies.

Vickie Lunsford Maner - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ Albert Luther Dockery

Wiley Morgan - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.YOUR FAMILY WILL BE IN MY PRAYERS. BETTY COFFEY

BETTY COFFEY - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with each and everyone of you. May God Bless you and ease your pain in this difficult time.*

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**Gilda Carden** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ *In my thoughts and prayers.*

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**wanda mason** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *so sorry to hear of your loss of your dear loved one. they dont make em like that anymore. rest in peace dear brother!*

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**gail sawyer** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Albert Luther Dockery*

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**joann Mooneyham & family** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Thank you so much for allowing me the privilege of participating in his care these last few weeks. The love and devotion that your family shares and the care that you gave your dad is a wonderful testimony of the man he was a*

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**Cyndie Lawson** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VD

“ *I am sorry to hear of Luther's passing. It is my prayer that each of you can take comfort in knowing that he is safe in the arms of Jesus now. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Vanessa Dennis** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts. If there is anything we can do please let us know.

George & Sharon Miller - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KB

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KATHY AND O.B. BARNETT - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ Albert Luther Dockery

Earl and Kathy Woody - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM