



## Chester R Ramsey

June 19, 1933 - November 1, 2024

Chester R. Ramsey, a beloved husband, father, and grandfather, passed away peacefully on November 1, 2024, in his hometown of Newport, Tennessee. Born on June 19, 1933, Chester lived a life rich with love and creativity that touched the hearts of all who knew him.

Chester was an Army veteran who proudly served in the esteemed 82nd Airborne Division. His commitment to service reflected his strong character and dedication to his country. After returning home from military duty, he built a fulfilling career at Sunoco Products in Newport where he retired after many years of hard work.

Beyond his professional achievements lay Chester's true passion: art. He found joy in painting nature scenes that captured the beauty around him. His artwork not only adorned the walls of family homes but also inspired those fortunate enough to witness his talent firsthand. Nature was more than just a subject for Chester; it was an expression of his spirit—a way for him to connect deeply with the world around him.

Family meant everything to Chester. He is survived by his loving wife Marilyn; sons Steve and Garry; sister Shirley; grandchildren Brandon and Lara; as well as great-grandchildren Logan and Monnie—each one holding a special place in his heart. He cherished every moment spent with them—whether sharing stories or teaching them about art—and they will carry forward his legacy through their own lives.

Chester's passing leaves behind cherished memories shared with loved ones

including those who preceded him: son Larry; parents Chester A. Ramsey, Grace Lewis and Step-mother Hazel Ramsey; brothers Burnett and Charles; along with sister Jean Callison—all whom he missed dearly throughout life. The family invites friends to join them for visitation from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM on Monday November 4th at Manes Funeral Home Chapel followed by a service celebrating Chester's remarkable life at 2:00 PM. Burial will take place afterward at Union Cemetery in Newport where he will rest among familiar grounds that held so much meaning for him.

In this time of sorrow mixed with gratitude for having known such an extraordinary man as Chester R. Ramsey—the family encourages everyone whose lives were touched by him to share their fondest memories online via guest register available at [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements are entrusted to Manes Funeral Home in Newport TN—a fitting tribute for someone whose presence brought warmth into countless lives throughout our community..

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

Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 4. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Inc.  
363 East Main Street  
Newport, TN 37821  
(423) 623-6952  
manesfuneralhome@bellsouth.net  
<https://www.manesfuneralhome.com/index.cfm>

## Funeral service

NOV 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

## Burial

NOV 4. 2:30 PM (ET)

Union Cemetery Inc  
420 Mineral St  
Newport, TN 37821-3900  
(423) 623-6918

# Tribute Wall

SS

“ Prayers for all th family!

Sharon Styles - November 09, 2024 at 11:47 AM

BM

“ So sorry to hear , prayers for the family

Bobby and Diane Maddron - November 09, 2024 at 05:40 AM

DG

“ Debra A Gann lit a candle in memory of  
Chester Ramsey



Debra A Gann - November 05, 2024 at 12:08 PM

DG

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Chester Ramsey



Debbie Gass - November 03, 2024 at 03:40 PM

DG

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Chester Ramsey



Debra A Gann - November 02, 2024 at 09:19 AM

DS

“ May God rest his soul !



Dawn Scott - November 01, 2024 at 08:15 PM

TW

“ Teresa Williams



Teresa Williams - November 01, 2024 at 06:14 PM

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Chester Ramsey



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