



Earl Don Holt

November 8, 1943 - April 2, 2026

Earl Don Holt, age 82, of Parrottsville, passed away, Thursday, April 2, 2026. He retired from Northfork and Southern Railroad.

He was an active member of his church and loved the Lord and his family.

He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley Holt; parents, Mack and Bertha Holt; brother Harold Holt and Bill Holt; great-granddaughter Alexis Holt.

He is survived by his sons, Donny (Shannon) Holt, of Newport, Mark (Vonda) Holt of Hot Springs, NC; daughter, April (Wayne) Rader, of Parrottsville, grandchildren, Justin, Dustin, Marky, Luke, and Mack Holt, Jacob Rader, Lyne Partin, Gwyne Rader and Marissa Holt; great-grandchildren, Paisley Rader, Skyla Rader, Jace Gilbert, Lane Rader, Hank Holt and Asher Holt; great-great-grandchildren, Lily and Aliyha Holt; sisters, Charlene Gunter and Mary Chandler both of Hot Springs, NC, also other family and friends.

The family will receive friends from 5- 7 pm Monday, April 6, 2026, with the funeral service following at 7:00 pm in Manes Funeral Home Chapel.

Entombment will be held 11:00 am Tuesday, April 7, 2026 in Resthaven Memorial Mausoleum.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at:

www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

APR 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral service

APR 6. 7:00 PM (ET)

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363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Entombment

APR 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Resthaven Memorial Mausoleum
2642 US 25 W
Dandridge, TN 37725

Tribute Wall

WT

“ Sending prayers to Lyne, Jeremiah and the rest of your family. I'm so sorry for your loss.

Wendy Turner - April 07 at 12:07 PM

MO

“ Praying for you all!
Isaac, Morgan, Chandler, and Judson Ottinger

Morgan Ottinger - April 07 at 08:35 AM

GH

“ Don was an excellent and most respected Railroader, it was a Blessing to be called his Friend.

Grover S Honeycutt - April 06 at 01:33 PM

GH

“ Grover Honeycutt purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Earl Don Holt.



Grover Honeycutt - April 05 at 08:25 PM

DG

“ Praying for God's comfort and strength now and the days to come.
Jeff and Darlene Gorrell

Darlene Gorrell - April 05 at 03:33 PM

MF

“ April and family so sorry for your loss prayers for you and your family



Melissa & Randy Fine - April 04 at 07:27 AM

TD

“ So sorry to hear of Don's passing. My thoughts and prayers going out to all family and friends that knew and loved Don.



Tiffany Dobbins - April 03 at 08:41 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Earl Don Holt.



April 03 at 08:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Earl Don Holt.

April 03 at 08:34 PM

KW

“ I’m so sorry! Don will always be one of the most amazing men that I have ever known. I’m grateful to have you all as my family. I love you all so much. Continued prayers for comfort and peace.

Kathy Wilson - April 03 at 07:19 PM

BO

“ So sorry for your loss may God comfort your heart's in the days ahead 🙏
Jeff an Barbara Ottinger

Barbara Ottinger - April 03 at 06:31 PM

PS

“ So sorry to hear of Don’s death. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family

Pauls sane - April 03 at 06:04 PM