



## Gary Fletcher Ford

August 15, 1949 - September 9, 2018

Gary Fletcher Ford, age 69 of Newport, passed away, Sunday, September 9, 2018.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John Fletcher and Audra Carlisle Ford; and sister, Becky Ford.

He is survived by his wife, Ella Ford of Newport; daughter, Molly Ford (Gary Ealy); granddaughter, Pyper; sister, Alice Miller of Newport; aunt, Mary Branam of Newport; uncle, Donald Ford of Georgia; nieces, Cheyenne Miller and Christian Miller both of Newport; beloved dog, Peanut; and many cousins and friends.

There will be a gathering of friends on Tuesday, September 11, 2018 from 5:00 pm-7:00 pm at Manes Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Alzheimer's Tennessee, in care of Alexa Austin, Manes Funeral Home, 363 East Main Street, Newport, TN 37821.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ Gary Fletcher Ford

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ IÆm so sorry for your loss and I am sorry I didnÆt get to come I was in the hospital at Vanderbilt and my thoughts and prayers are with you all!

Mitch Coakley - September 26, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ YOU ARE IN MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Betty Harrison - September 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ I am truly sorry for your loss. I hope you find comfort in the scripture at Acts 24: 15. This is what our God promises for us all. And we can look forward to what is written at Psalm 37: 9-11 and 29.

April - September 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for the news. I just saw it or I would have been there last night.

Dan Jenkins - September 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Ella we're sorry for your loss. Gary was a wonderful person.

Bryce & Sherry Strange - September 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Molly, Praying for you and your Family as you make your journey through grief.

Chaplain David Collins - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ In memory of my sweet, funny friend...It was my privilege and pleasure to work with Gary and Ella in Newport. Although life took me in a different direction and I moved away, our friendship endured the passing of time and the miles between us. I am espe

Tresa McDowell Jones - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Ella, I am so sorry to hear about Gary. May God comfort you and Molly and all of his family and friends now and in the difficult days ahead. I am sending my love and remembering our good times growing up together! You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Becky Petrey Ragsdale - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ Fletch was my Tuesday night pizza buddy. When I was younger he would always bring me pizza and a Yoo-hoo to my grandparents and hang with me. He gave me a duck call and a card with money in it for making good grades at school.... áFletch was my buddy and

Garett Ricker - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Prayer for the family

Debbie & Herbie Keller - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ So sorry prayers

Chip Thomas - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God give you comfort at this time of loss..

Marilyn Austin - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Gary was a such a nice guy

Bryne and Jennifer Hill - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Alice, I'm so sorry to hear about your brother. Many prayers go up for you today and in the following days as well. Much love, Trayce

Trayce Smith - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Our hearts break for you and your family. Sending love and prayers your way.

Joe & Brooke Boggs - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Gary Ford was a good friend. We will miss him and his smiling face.

Marty Bailey - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Prayers!

Louise and Jimmy Hux - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Molly and family, I am praying for you all. So sorry for your loss.*

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**Morgan Askew** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ *Ella , molly , and Alice sorry to hear about Gary. My thought and prayers are with you.*

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**Tura Lawson** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ *Alice I am so sorry to hear about Gary I know how special brothers are. My thoughts & Prayers are with you & your family my dear friend. Love you*

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**audrey owenby** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ *Prayers for the Family.*

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**Eloise Wiley** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Ella and Molly, So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you both.*

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**Ben & Jill Butler** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *So sorry for your loss*

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**Amy France** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ So sorry for your loss

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**Jerry Roberts** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Alice, I am so sorry for your loss. You and the girls are in my prayers

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**Lacey Trentham** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ Ella Lee and family: I am so so sorry to hear about Gary. Everybody that knew him has stories to tell. If wealth was measured with friends he would have been the wealthiest person I know. He was funny and always laughing and making memories for every

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**Susie O'Dell** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Thoughts and prayers for this family!! Gary will be greatly missed by so many. Such a sweet man!!

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**Latisa Beason** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Praying for the family

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**mansfield mcmahan** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ Fletch always bring pizza when I was little, me and him used to have dinner together on Tuesdays. And ask anyone he knew where to eat, fletch was a great man. My condolences go out to his amazing family

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**Garett ricker** - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ So very sorry for your loss Ella. I will keep you and your family in my prayers.

Pat Hodge - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ My friend and neighbor from childhood, until this day. We shared a lot of great times through the years and I will miss his great stories of fishing the many streams that he had the opportunity to visit. May you be blessed as you blest others with your ti

Hugh Hartsell - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ So sorry to hear about Gary. We played together as kids and went to land auctions with his dad on Saturdays. My deepest sympathy.

ROGER GREENE - September 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ So very sorry for your Loss. May God Bless

Starr (Kelley) Mantooth - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ My deepest sympathy to GaryÆs family.á

Steve shaver - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Many caring thoughts are with you at this moment.

Dale and Nancy Raines - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Ella and Molly, we are so sorry to hear about Gary. We have such great memories of Gary and his stories. Both of you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Micah and Kerri DeVault - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Ella and family, IÆm so very sorry for your loss. Gary was a friend to many and IÆm grateful to have known him.á

Mary Wilson - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ Gary was fun to be around.

Richard Owens - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Sorry to hear about Gary. Your family will be in our prayers.

Jerry & Alieen Huff - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Brad and I send our sincere condolences to all the family at this sad time. áGary was a dear friend and classmate who will be missed by all who knew him.

Linda Sprouse Britton - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ Ella and family, we are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers now and in the days ahead.

Parker & Nanette Wilds - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *What a wonderful friend and classmate Gary was--so many happy memories! Thinking of and praying for all of you! Tommy & Karen*

Tommy & Karen Smith - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Thinking of Molly and the whole family. Love and prayers.*

Carrie Webb Wilson - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ *May God wrap his loving arms around you during this period My thoughts and prayers are with each of you.á*

Bill Justus - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ *Prayers that God comforts your hearts.*

Patty Presnell - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ *Ella and family so sorry of your loss. Gary was a sweet and gentle man. He will be missed by many. May God be with you and Molly during this loss and give you strength??????*

Evelyn Rhodes - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ *Dearest Ella and Family - I just heard the news about Gary. Please know you and your entire family are in our continual thoughts and prayers. It saddens our hearts to know that such a giving, caring individual will no longer be among us to talk*

Cynthia McDowell Thacker - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ We are so sorry for your loss . May God bless all of you and keep you safe .

Terry & Bonnie Davis - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I have many wonderful and fond memories of this sweet man! You are in my prayers!

Becky Boggan - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ So Sorry God Bless.

LDandAlice Crum - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ We are so very sorry to hear about Gary. He will be missed. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Lisa Giles, Jennifer Giles - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Sorry for your loss.....many childhood memories of Gary and our Lincoln Avenue shenanigans

Ray Fancher - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ Fletch was a true friend for many years, not only does his passing leave a void in the life of his family, but also in the life of his many many friends. I have never met anyone who did not like Fletch.

Gary S. & Dorothy J. Kyker - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *In deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one, my thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

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**Sherrie Dillard** - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *So very sorry...*

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**Debbie Murr** - September 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM