



## Jerry Wayne Parks

March 28, 1941 - May 15, 2019

Jerry Wayne Parks, age 78, passed away on his beloved farm in Parrottsville, May 15, 2019.

Jerry was born March 28, 1941 and graduated from Parrottsville High School in 1959. He married the love of his life, Barbara Miller, March 17, 1972.

Jerry is preceded in death by their daughter, Cynthia Matahsha Parks, his father and mother, David Jesse McAfee and Ruth Kropff Park, sister, Anna Carolyn Jarnigan, and brother Bobby "Earl" Parks. He is survived by his wife, Barbara (Miller) Parks. They share three daughters and sons-in-law, Nikki and Randall Clabo, of Seymour, Shandi and Bradley Whittenburg, of Greeneville, and Heather and Ralph Sauceman, of Parrottsville. Jerry's biggest pride and joy were his seven grandchildren, Destanee Redden, Nadalynn Sauceman, Draven Fine, Jesse Sauceman, Ryleigh Whittenburg, Jud Wayne Sauceman, and Rhett Sauceman. Destanee and husband, Tanner Redden are expecting Jerry's first great-grandchild in June. Jerry is also survived by a brother, Billy (Alice) Park, of Parrottsville, and a sister, Virginia (Jim) Long, of Morristown, and several nieces and nephews. Jerry was loved and will be greatly missed by many special friends. Some of his closest were Arnold and Jenny Worley, Paula Bearden, Charlie Cobble, Fred and Carolyn Gammons, Edna and the late Burl Ottinger.

Jerry has been an active member in the farming/dairy community of Cocke Co. In 1994, he began poultry farming and continued it throughout the remainder of his life. Jerry served as a member of the Co-Op board and Farm

Credit Board in the past, and has been a member of the Cocke County Soil Conservation District since 2013, where he has served as Chairman since 2015.

Pallbearers will be: Arnold Worley, Charlie Cobble, Fred Gammons, Ralph Sauceman, Bradley Whittenburg, and Randall Clabo.

Funeral services will be held 7:00 pm Saturday, May 18, 2019 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel. Entombment will be held 11:00 am Sunday, May 19, 2019 in Resthaven Memorial Mausoleum.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Saturday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral service.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry Wayne Parks*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *I can't believe Jerry has passed. All of us that was a part of his life like Fred Ronald, myself and others. Jerry's smile and his laughter was contagious. You guys are in my prayers.*

**Jerry Turner** - May 21, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss..Barbara, prayers for you during such a difficult time.á*

**Faye Brooks** - May 20, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I know how close you girls have always been to your dad. He will be greatly missed in our community. Please let us know if you need anything. I love all of you and will be praying for you and your mom.á*

**Kristy Hill** - May 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kathy is áMorris áAnd Gerry GillespieÆs daughter.á I áalways enjoyed talking with Jerry when he had the farm. á In the later years when we were in Tennessee I would always make it a point to go by the chicken house one morning ájust to visit with him.á I w*

**Larry and Kathy Humphrey** - May 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *Sorry for your loss*

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**Carolyn Gray Arwood** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ *Our Sincere Condolences to all the family. Matthew 5:4*

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**Bud & Linda Dawson** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Barbara, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family in this time of sorrow.*

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**Linda(Gregg) Franklin** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

WP

“ *So very sorry for your loss. Praying for all the family.*

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**WT (Buster) & Judy Park** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Prayers!*

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**Louise and Jimmy Hux** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family.*

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**Kim Brown** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Thoughts and prayer to the family, Gerry will be missed.*

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**David and Kathy Buckner** - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ We are so sorry to hear of JerryÆs passing. I just saw it in the paper or we would have been there. We thought the world of him and will miss him greatly. We will be praying for you and your family. With deepest sympathy, Barbara& William

William & Barbara Lancaster - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Our deepest sympathy to all the family. Jerry will certainly be missed!

Bettye S Carver - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Barbara so sorry for your loss. Prayers for you and your family.

Rosalind Gibson - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

NF

“ Parrottsville has lost another great citizen. My prayers go out to you.

Nora Franklin - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Prayers to the Parks family. I hate to hear of Jerry's passing. He always had a friendly word and asked about my kids everytime we ran into each other around his farm or at football games. We argued a few times too. Lol.

Matt Choate - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. áYou are in our thoughts and prayers. á á Lowell and Peggy McCarter

Peggy McCarter - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Prayers for your family.

Teddy and Chastity Dyke - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

WF

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. Jerry was a fine man.á

Willie Fullington - May 18, 2019 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ I am praying for you Shandi, Barbara, Nikki, & Heather and all the Parks family. I was blessed to grow up with Shandi and this amazing family. They are one of the best. Jerry will be missed so much. Shandi was such a daddyÆs girl. áOne thing for sure,

Kara Ford - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ Dear Barbara and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Jerry was so special to so many. He led Larry and I to the property in Parrottsville that we purchased in 1980 and lived on for 30 years. He was always there to instruct and guide so many times in o

Ann Kropff - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Prayers are being lifted up for your family. He was a wonderful person and will be greatly missed.

Robert, Peggy, & Robbie Ottinger - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ So sorry for your loss.

TRACY, KIM & BRYCE CLICK - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Jerry was a great man and truly loved and was proud of his family. áHe loved his farm and I enjoyed talking with him about farming, growing chickens, and raising beef cattle. áI pray God's blessings and comfort for each of you

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**Roger Woolsey** - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Barbara, Jack and I are so saddened to learn of Jerry's death. He was always so friendly and nice to everyone. He is certain to be missed by you, your daughters, and grandchildren but you retain your memories of him which will help ease the grief. Cond

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**Jack & Judy (Cureton) Harrison** - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ We are sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family.

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**Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman** - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MY

“ To this very special family,á We pray God will comfort your hearts during this very difficult time. Your Daddy was a special man who, no doubt, adored his children and grandchildren. You could see it all over his face every time he was you. I pray you w

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**Misty Youngblood** - May 17, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Shandi so sorry for the loss of your father. I know he was a special man and will be greatly missed by everyone. Sorry I won't be able to get to the funeral home, however you and your family will be in my prayers.

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**DONNA GREGG** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

EG

“ Barbara and family. The Soil Conservation District Board members and I were devastated to learn of Jerry's passing. He will be sorely missed as our Chairman, but mostly as our friend. I know Jerry enjoyed his time on the Board because he enjoyed helping f

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**Eva Goodin** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ My sympathy to all. May God bless.

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**Marilyn Calyer-neece** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ prayers for the family

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**Delmar Williamson** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Your family is in my prayers.á

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**Sandy Palmer Bradshaw** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

WH

“ Shandi and family- May God bless you and comfort you in your time of sorrow. We extend our deepest sympathy to you and your family.

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**Wesley, Michelle, Gabrielle, & Victoria Holt** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM

ZT

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family, spoke with Jerry several months ago at Food City, it was easy to tell he loved those grandkids, Barbara you all are in my prayers,Zan

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**Zan Taylor** - May 16, 2019 at 12:00 AM