



## Joe Sawyer

September 20, 1939 - August 7, 2020

Joe Sawyer age 80, of Newport, passed away Friday, August 7, 2020.

He was a member of Fugate Freewill Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Martha Sawyer, brothers, Claude, Jim and Ralph Sawyer, sisters, Helen Carmack and Opal Combs.

He is survived by his wife Elizabeth Sawyer of Newport, brother, Charles (Carol) Sawyer of Del Rio, sisters, Kate Ricker and Vinnie (Joe) Ball all of Hot Springs, special nephew, Tyler Ball, also several nieces, nephews, other family and friends.

Graveside services will be held at 11:00 am Monday, August 10, 2020, with Rev. Winford French and Rev. Joe Moore officiating.

Friends and family may drop by and sign the guest register at Manes Funeral Home from 10:00 am – 5:00 pm Sunday, August 9, 2020, or online at: [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com).

Per CDC guidelines please practice safe social distancing and masks are highly recommended.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Drop By and Sign Register Book

AUG **9**. 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Inc.  
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Newport, TN 37821  
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<https://www.manesfuneralhome.com/index.cfm>

## Graveside Service

AUG **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Cemetery  
Newport, TN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joe Sawyer*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *So sorry for you loss Liz. Let me know if I can help you.*

**Connie Hembree** - August 11, 2020 at 05:36 PM



“ *Dear Liz we are so sorry for your loss. Joe was a good man. Remember if he has found a strawberry patch no one will be there to take his bucket of good strawberries. We love you and if we can do anything just give us a call.*

**Jewelene and Jim Travis** - August 10, 2020 at 07:36 PM



“ *Liz, Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. You and Joe were always a pleasure to be around and I appreciate your friendship. Let me know if you need anything and stay in touch!*



**Mechelle Robinson** - August 10, 2020 at 01:14 PM



“ *Liz, Please know you are in my prayers. Very sorry for you loss.*

*Patti Briggs*

**Patti** - August 10, 2020 at 10:46 AM

PM

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss.*

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**Pat Moss** - August 10, 2020 at 09:03 AM

FB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Joe was a good man who loved you dearly.  
Love you  
Wilma Sprouse*

*So sorry for your loss. It is so hard losing a husband. My prayers  
are with you. Love you  
.. Faye Brooks*

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**Faye Brooks** - August 09, 2020 at 11:03 PM

AK

*Hi Liz  
I was so surprise to hear the passing of Joe. Joe and you have been  
so good to my brother , Mike Lewis. I pray for strength and comfort for  
you during this sad time. May God s surround you with His loving arms.  
With sympathy  
Ann Knott ( Mike Lewis sister)*

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**Ann Knitt** - August 11, 2020 at 10:33 AM

RD

“ *So sorry for your loss. Know that you are in our thoughts and  
prayers. Ronnie and Phyllis Douglas*

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**Ronnie & Phyllis Douglas** - August 09, 2020 at 08:04 PM

MH

“ So sorry for your lost. our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



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**Marc and Kathy Hance** - August 09, 2020 at 05:49 PM

JL

“ Joe will be missed on Rankin Hill. Jeff and Kathy Lewis

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**jeff lewis** - August 09, 2020 at 03:58 PM

RS

“ Sorry for your loss

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**Roger Shorter** - August 09, 2020 at 01:52 PM

TG

“ Sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family.

*Monroe and Shirley Grigsby*



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**Tim Grigsby** - August 09, 2020 at 01:03 PM

GI

“ We were so sorry to hear about Joe. Dean always enjoyed talking with him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Dean and Glenda

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**glenda iery** - August 08, 2020 at 11:06 PM

RF

“ Liz, we’re so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Randall and Connie Frisbee - August 08, 2020 at 09:43 PM



Pamela Ellison

“ Pamela Ellison lit a candle in memory of Joe Sawyer



Pamela Ellison - August 08, 2020 at 09:26 PM



Pamela Ellison

“ so sorry for your loss Liz you and the family are in my prayers and thoughts you and joe was a very special couple and you could not find one as sweet and kind as joe was. may god give you comfort in this time and remember he is well and not in any pain now and he will always be in your heart everyday. i love you all Pam Ellison (Chester and Sue daughter). i love you all/

Pamela Ellison - August 08, 2020 at 09:26 PM

KC

“ Sorry to the family for your loss.

Kathleen Campbell - August 08, 2020 at 04:41 PM

TF

“ Sorry to hear about Joe he will surely be missed prayers for you Elizabeth I miss seeing you !

Love and prayers ,

Tammy ( from the chiropractor )

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**Tammy Ford** - August 08, 2020 at 03:22 PM

BB

“ Your family is in our prayers

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**Bill and Beulah** - August 08, 2020 at 10:35 AM

SF

“ So sorry Liz. Our prayers are with you and your family.

Sherry and Len Frisbee

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**Sherry and Len Frisbee** - August 08, 2020 at 10:04 AM

RC

“ Will miss you Uncle

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**Rena Crumb** - August 07, 2020 at 08:57 PM

RC

“ Rena Crumb lit a candle in memory of Joe Sawyer



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**Rena Crumb** - August 07, 2020 at 08:56 PM

LG

“ *Rip Buck Gregg and family*

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**Lisa Gregg** - August 07, 2020 at 05:33 PM

RG

“ *Liz so sorry to here about Joe prayers going  
your way*



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**Rhonda Gossett Greer** - August 07, 2020 at 01:44 PM