



Larry Willis Kuykendall

February 27, 1950 - May 15, 2026

Larry Willis Kuykendall, age 76 of Newport, went to be with the Lord on Friday, May 15, 2026.

He was preceded in death by his parents Fred and Pauline Kuykendall; sisters Joan and Jean Shetley; and father-in-law and mother-in-law Jimbo and Winkie Clevenger.

He is survived by his brother Jimmy Kuykendall; loving wife of 55 years Brenda Kuykendall; daughter Jamie (JT) Knight, Bill McMahan; grandchildren Tyler (Erica) McMahan, Taylor (Joseph) Campbell all of Newport, and Austin (Courtney) Stone of Jackson, FL; great-grandchildren Azlinn McMahan, Miles McMahan, Kai and Honey Campbell, Delilah Stone; sisters-in-love Shelly Stone and Frankie (Sonny) Heiges; and special friends Van (Frances) Ford, Roger Seay, Chuck (Ginger) Raines, Mike Stone, and Alvin Shelton.

The family will receive friends from 12 noon – 2 p.m., Tuesday, May 2026 at Manes Funeral Home. Graveside Service will follow at the Jimbo Clevenger Family Cemetery, 456 Giles Mountain Rd, Newport, TN with Mike Nelson officiating.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

MAY 19. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Graveside Service

MAY 19. 2:00 PM (est)

Jimbo Clevenger Family Cemetery
456 Giles Mountain Rd
Newport, TN 37821

Tribute Wall



“ *Manes Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry Willis Kuykendall*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - May 18 at 11:49 AM

JO

I am so sorry for your loss. Larry was one of a kind that's for sure. He was always laughing and smiling not to mention always willing to help with a prank. He will sure be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. Love you always. Judy Ohle

Judy Ogle - May 21 at 01:25 PM

BS

“ *Brenda and family, we're so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. God bless each of you with comfort and peace. We love you, Sherry and Bryce*

Bryce & Sherry Strange - May 19 at 02:49 PM


JC

“ *Julie Cummings lit a candle in memory of Larry Kuykendall*



Julie Cummings - May 19 at 10:57 AM

TB

“ Larry was a good coworker, and friend too me. Prayers for the family.


Tony Blazer - May 19 at 09:58 AM

DB

“ Praying for comfort for you.

Dwayne Breeden - May 19 at 05:33 AM

RN

“ Larry and Brenda have always been the cutest couple. They made special memories together that some may never have. I can't imagine what it will feel like to not see him when seeing B. Don't worry about Brenda she will be well taken care of!!! I love you Larry now and forever!!!

Robin Nelson - May 18 at 05:32 PM

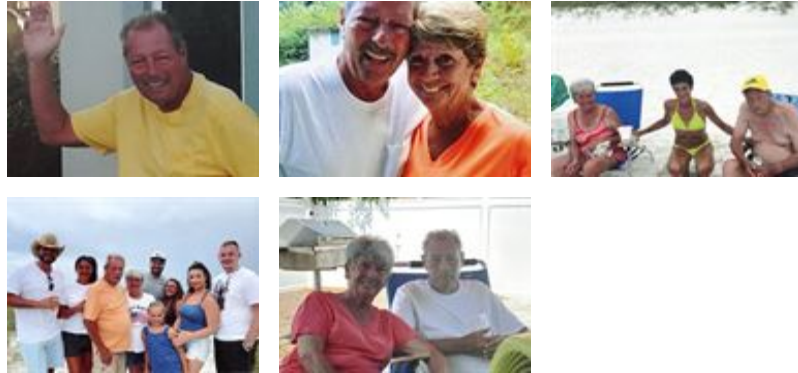
DB

“ Sorry for your loss, I know Big L will be missed a lot, was always good and nice to me, we see you again one day up there in heaven, your friend Hubb

Danny Barnett - May 18 at 12:36 PM



“ 154 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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“ *Larry and Brenda were like a mom and dad to me not a mother and father in law I love them more than they will ever know*

bill mcmahan - May 18 at 09:59 AM



“ *Prayers for family*

JE talbert - May 18 at 03:25 AM



“ *Prayers for the entire Family....Donna. And Ronnie Ottinger*

Donna Ottinger - May 17 at 10:38 PM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - May 17 at 01:33 PM

Pat
Evans
Larry
Stephenson

“ Brenda, so sorry to hear about Lattys passing.
Love and prayers for you all.



Pat Evans Larry Stephenson - May 16 at 06:35 PM

EC

“ I am so sorry to hear this. Randy was his friend.

Elizabeth Clevenget - May 16 at 06:19 PM

GW

“ My sincere condolences... Prayers



Glenda Willis - May 16 at 06:02 PM

BE

“ *Brenda, Austin, and Joseph,*

We are praying for you and your family during this difficult time. May God bring peace and comfort in your time of need.

Benjamin Evans - May 16 at 01:23 PM

CB

“ *Our prayers & condolences are with Brenda, Jamie & all his other family & friends for his loss. We are very sorry* ❤️🙏

Connie & Marsha Ball - May 16 at 01:11 PM

NS

“ *Larry was a very special person. He taught me a lot when I started working at sonoco all those years ago. May God's love give you peace in the difficult days ahead.*

Nora L Self - May 16 at 12:48 PM