



Rev. Ransom Hall

June 2, 1930 - March 6, 2022

Rev. Ransom C. Hall age 91 of Newport went home to be with the Lord Sunday morning March 6, 2022 at his home. Ransom loved the outdoors farming and hunting, but Ransom was most known for his love for the Lord, he pastored Calvary, Shady Grove, Pleasant Grove, and was pastor at Pigeon Valley Baptist Church at the time of his death.

He was preceded in death by his parents Samuel and Cora Hall, wives Grace Hall and Betty Ford Hall, and brothers and sisters.

He is survived by his daughters Audrey Miller (William), Sheila Simpson (David), Noveline Sneed (Jerry), and Treva Shropshire (Jimmy), brother Alford Hall, sisters Ellen Bailey and Mary Raines, eight grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, 4 great-great grandchildren, step-children Debbie Shults (Dean), Trudy Arrowood (Jimmy), and Wayne Ford (Jayne), and 4 step-grandchildren.

The family would like to say a special "Thank You" to Emily and Jennifer McGaha and to Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice.

Graveside Service will be at 11:00 am, Wednesday, March 9, 2022 in Union Cemetery with Rev. Fred Cagle and Rev. Mike Hensley officiating.

Family and friends may drop by throughout the day on Monday March 7, 2022 and Tuesday March 8, 2022 and sign the guest register.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Cemetery
Newport, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. Ransom Hall*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *He was a true man of God. He did wonderful work here for the Lord. I remember him as my pastor at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church. He truly loved the Lord and the Lord loved him.*

Patricia Norwood Purkey - March 11, 2022 at 10:29 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Lora Bailey Rodgers - March 11, 2022 at 07:38 AM



“ *The Cothran family (Chunk, Betty, Vernon, Sangchun, Nora, Adam and Rachael) send our condolences. Ransom will be missed by all. His generosity, friendship and counsel in times of need was boundless. Rest in Peace.*

Vernon Cothran - March 11, 2022 at 07:32 AM

DS

“ *Delores Scarborough lit a candle in memory of Rev. Ransom Hall*



Delores Scarborough - March 10, 2022 at 06:59 PM

LR

“ *Ransom Hall was my uncle, my mother Ellen Hall Bailey's brother. I am so incredibly grateful to have him and the rest of his family as my kin! From the time I was 6 months old my Mother took me and my siblings down to the Hall Reunion in August (and them before I was born). Uncle Ransom would lead most of the singing and his voice will always be remembered by us all; to me and many others he was the matriarch of the Hall Reunion. Uncle Ransom was a jolly, silly man and so much fun! But most of all he was a true man of God. He didn't just preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ, he lived it... in church, in his home, as he worked in his fields, as he helped those in need; he daily practiced what he preached and talking about the Lord was as natural for him as breathing. When I was a little girl I told him when I grow up I wanted him to be the preacher performing the ceremony, and he said he would, and he sure did... He came up to Illinois and fulfilled his promise. I have so many wonderful memories of spending time with him and his family growing up. I loved him very much, I'll miss him greatly, and it is a true honor to be his niece ❤️*

Even though there will now be such a void with his presence being absent from us all, I know he has finished the fight and won the race!! He is now with Jesus, and what a glorious Sunday morning on March 6th, 2022! As he crossed through Heaven's gates!! What a Reunion for him to gather with the Lord and all of his loved ones that have gone on before him!!

Lora Bailey Rodgers - March 10, 2022 at 04:23 PM

JF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family. God Bless.
Jerry Hall and Family

Jerry Hall and family - March 10, 2022 at 10:58 AM

 Lynn
Allen

“ Our dear Uncle Ransom. We can only imagine the church service you attended last Sunday when you went to be with the Lord. We can hear you singing out loud with all your might like you did so many times up at Bell Hill. We will miss getting to see you and visit with you in this life. You are a true example of a man of God and impacted so many lives with your ministry. Thanks for being so good to our mother and family through the years. Like all of us, she is sad that you have passed but happy that you are free from all suffering and pain. We love you so much.

Sam and Thea Bailey

Lynn Allen - March 09, 2022 at 04:43 PM

BC

“ Ransom was a lifetime friend and former pastor. Whenever we needed him, he was always there to help or to console. Audrey, Sheila, Noveline and Treva, we pray for peace and comfort during this difficult time. He certainly was loved.

*Barbara J. and Herbert Cureton
Anna Kate James
Dennis L. James*

Barbara J. Cureton - March 09, 2022 at 11:14 AM

EB

“ He's my brother. Thanks for the beautiful childhood we had together. I love him to death. He was a protective brother. Thank the good Lord for him. I miss him so much. I know one day I'll be with him. He will sure be missed. A lot of memories. He worked awful hard. One of our favorite times was going possum hunting with the neighbor's dog. We climbed a lot of those hills together. I remember the cat we accidently killed while fighting over it. We hid it under the floor but dad smelled it and found out about it. It's a wonder we didn't get ate up by copperheads or fall in some old sink hole but the Lord watched out for us. We never got lost. We were just part of the mountains I suppose. One time Ransom held onto the tail of a steer while I rode it. It tried to buck me off but I stayed on. We got sprayed by a skunk at night one time while we were walking home from church. We loved to sing and play the guitar together. I love you Ransom!

Ellen (Hall) Bailey - March 09, 2022 at 10:40 AM



“ I wish I could be there. Lots of love to Treva and family. I can almost hear the Lord say Well done. Please call on me for anything. Donna Wright

Donna Wright - March 09, 2022 at 10:07 AM

MM

“ Ransom will always be remembered as a nice and caring person, I remember picking tomatoes for him and grace and riding on the back of the tomato picker in my younger days. Sorry for the loss but he is on a better place.

Margaret maples - March 09, 2022 at 10:06 AM

JS

“ Loving memories of your sweet Daddy. He has been a true friend to our family. He visit our Ball family reunions several years until he was able. He grew up with the Ball family in the Old Fifteenth in Del Rio. Mom would share stories of the Hall family. He has out lived all that generation and he spoke at both our parents funeral so thankful we knew this great preacher man. Love to all you daddy girls for days ahead. A good & faithful servant of God.

Joyce shoemaker - March 09, 2022 at 09:14 AM

DW

“ Ransom was a friend and wonderful person and pastor. Our prayers and thoughts are with the family. May God's presence give you comfort.

Don & Barbara Welch

Don Barbara Welch - March 09, 2022 at 08:07 AM

LL

“ I'm so saddened to hear of the loss of Mr Ransom. He was such a blessing to so many people. I have some very fond memories of him. My mother always called him Handsome Ransom! When Ms Grace was alive, if he ran into my parents he would always say, Grace for Oscar and Grace for Ransom. He will be missed.

Lisa James Lowe - March 09, 2022 at 07:51 AM

RM

“ I will always think of how happy and full of life he was every time I saw him. My thoughts and prayers are with you

Randi McInville - March 09, 2022 at 07:35 AM

LA

“ Ransom will always hold a special place in my heart! Prayers for the family now and in the days to come.

Lisa Askew - March 09, 2022 at 05:33 AM

NS

“ I've known Ransom my entire life, he has been a very special person to my family. He will be missed.

Norma Hartsell Stuart - March 09, 2022 at 03:38 AM

BA

“ Ramson was a wonderful man and brought so much joy to others. I loved to hear him sing and know he is in heaven singing in the heavenly choir. Praying for peace and comfort for the family. Love to all, Belinda Hogan Alley and family



Belinda Alley - March 08, 2022 at 10:14 PM

CN

“ Praying for the family. He was a wonderful person. So many great memories of him being our pastor for many years.

Chad and Amy Norwood - March 08, 2022 at 09:41 PM

DA

“ Sending prayers and thoughts to Ransoms family

Darlene - March 08, 2022 at 09:34 PM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - March 08, 2022 at 08:52 PM

MA

“ So sorry for your loss.. Prayers and comfort for all the family.. God Bless.

Marilyn Austin - March 08, 2022 at 06:51 PM

GH

“ Ransom Hall was one of the guys that helped me grow up. I always looked forward to hunting trips with him. He will be missed.
Gary Hammonds

Gary Hammonds - March 08, 2022 at 06:45 PM

SC

“ A loving man and a great man of God. He may not have known some of "us" younger generation but he certainly knew our parents and grand parents. He was a sweet soul that will be deeply missed. Love, Cleo's (Seth and Lena's daughter) youngest daughter.



Stacey Cummins - March 08, 2022 at 06:00 PM

PW

“ Ransom was a close childhood friend of my mother, Stephane Coggins Banks and her family. She and Ransom frequently called each other to check up and reminisce. I know she will miss their visits by telephone. I personally so admired him for staying active and involved in his community as long as he was able. What a Godly man who will be greatly missed. Our condolences to his family.

Pamela Webster - March 08, 2022 at 01:53 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Ransom Hall.



March 08, 2022 at 10:11 AM

DG

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time 💕💕



Debbie Greene - March 08, 2022 at 09:07 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rev. Ransom Hall.



March 08, 2022 at 08:08 AM

JM

“ Johnny and I thought the world of Ransom. He was a wonderful man! We are praying for your family and sending much love.

Johnny & Betty Jo Miller - March 08, 2022 at 06:18 AM

BS

“ Ransom, you've always been around, and have always loved the Lord as long as I can remember. I know you're looking for Jesus and the Lord in that Heavenly Place. We will miss you, and all your good advice. You will be remembered! for all your good work! Betty Shelton

Trina McFalls

Jerry Garver

Carolyn Ellenburg

Betty Shelton - March 07, 2022 at 09:46 PM

RA

“ We were so sorry to hear of Ransom's passing. He was an ambassador for God that will truly be missed. Our deepest sympathy and prayers for the family

Randall and Marcia Arrowood

Randall and Marcia Arrowood - March 07, 2022 at 09:31 PM

ML

“ My memories are 60 years old, but Daddy's and Mother (Blaine and Myrtle Conard) took their children to hear Preacher Hall many times. I always loved hearing him.



Myrna Conard Livesay - March 07, 2022 at 08:58 PM

LS

“ My condolences to the family of Rev. Ransom Hall. His presence and purpose touched many lives for the better.



Lucas Swanger - March 07, 2022 at 08:55 PM

WJ

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you at this time. May the Lord bring you comfort. John and Wanda Johnson

Wanda Johnson - March 07, 2022 at 08:40 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Ransom Hall.



March 07, 2022 at 08:34 PM

Pat
Evans
Larry
Stephenson

“ Mr Hall was a great man of God--father--and friend to all who met him...My heart goes out to all the family..Much love and prayers.
Patty Evans Stephenson



Pat Evans Larry Stephenson - March 07, 2022 at 07:56 PM

TC

“ Thoughts and prayers for the family so sorry About your loss.
*FRANCES HAYNES HILL....TRACY CAMERON TOMMY
CAMERON*

Tracy cameron - March 07, 2022 at 07:28 PM

SG

“ *Shelia Hall Gregg lit a candle in memory of
Rev. Ransom Hall*



Shelia Hall Gregg - March 07, 2022 at 06:24 PM

SG

“ *He is with his father in heaven you will be missed Ransom Hall rest
in peace 🙏🙏🙏*

Shelia Hall Gregg - March 07, 2022 at 06:23 PM

CT

“ *Ransom was a true friend. Our thought and prayer are with you.*
George, Charlotte, Steve & Phyllis Tweed

Charlotte Tweed - March 07, 2022 at 06:13 PM

KG

“ *He was always smiling and made you feel loved and important*

Kaye Greene Gilbert - March 07, 2022 at 05:55 PM

SB

“ *Very sorry for your loss. He was a wonderful person and will be missed by so many.*

Susan Ball



Susan Ball - March 07, 2022 at 05:08 PM

GW

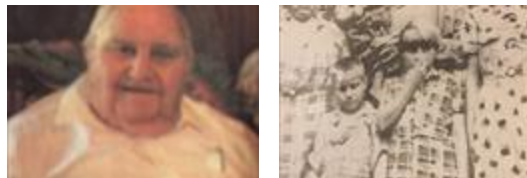
“ *Ransom was so loved and will be so missed. Ransom married me and my late husband Gary Allen. My mommy Gladys Willis had so many stories to tell about her and daddy when they were first married when Ransom stayed with them in Del Rio. My condolences to each family member you will miss him but he's in a better be land. Much love*



Glenda Willis - March 07, 2022 at 04:51 PM

NS

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Nancy Lafond Swanger - March 07, 2022 at 04:32 PM

TR

“ *The loss on this earth of Ransom will be felt deeply in the Christian communities here. But the joy in Heaven will be overwhelming when Ransom and all of his friends, family and acquaintances reunite there. He was charismatic, gracious and a gentleman. We bid goodbye today only to see him once again in another life. That is our goal. That promise is always kept.*

Tom Rosberg - March 07, 2022 at 03:50 PM

RF

“ *Ransom was a precious man that once you met him, you could never forget him.
I know that your family will miss him, but just think of the reunion he is having with his family and friends, but most of all his savior!!
Love and prayers,
Regina Freeman*

Regina freeman - March 07, 2022 at 02:41 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rev. Ransom Hall.*



March 07, 2022 at 01:28 PM

FG

“ *So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for all the family and friends 🙏🙏*

Frankie Gray - March 07, 2022 at 01:19 PM

JT

“ Ransom was the most loving, caring person I have ever known. He brought sunshine into your day any time you saw him. His love of God was so real. Seeing him was like a bright light. I have been thinking about his laughing and shouting and singing in Heaven. He sure will be missed but we will see him soon. Prayers for the family. ❤️

Jim and Jewelene Travis - March 07, 2022 at 12:47 PM

JM

“ Prayers for the family Tim and Joyce Raines and Don Raines



Joyce Mantooth - March 07, 2022 at 12:17 PM

JG

“ My memory that meant so much to me was having met Ransom Hall and being invited to sing with his group. On one occasion he was having a little difficulty with his voice and he asked me to continue leading the group should he need to stop singing momentarily. This led up to my very best memory of him when he told me that I was adopted into his beloved family of singers. My heart goes out to all who loved him. To me he was a great man of God.

J. L. Gardner - March 07, 2022 at 11:50 AM

PP

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Ransom's family and many friends. He was a good man and made the dim of our world brighter. He made a difference!

Pauline Proffitt - March 07, 2022 at 11:36 AM

TG

“ We are so sorry for your loss, may God help you all and comfort you during this difficult time.

Tim & Teresa Grooms

Tim & Teresa Grooms - March 07, 2022 at 10:12 AM

MC

“ My Uncle Ransom was the finest man I ever knew. He was a great listener a great adviser and a great all around man. He always told us how much he loved us and we loved him dearly. He will be missed.

mildred & Billy Cogdill - March 07, 2022 at 10:06 AM

LD

“ Sincere Condolences to all the family and loved ones!

Matthew 5:4

*Sincerely,
The Dawson Family*



Linda Dawson - March 07, 2022 at 10:03 AM

VW

“ *What a wonderful man, with a beautiful smile. A man whom i thought of as a wiseman, hand picked by God to be a servant for him here on earth for a while and to be a messenger and bring us the word of God. As Ransom often said that's what the good book says. Dearly loved by all, he will be truly missed, but how much the Lord has blessed us with Ransom telling us how we all should live by God's word. Love each other and live everyday giving God the praise. We loved Ransom with all our hearts. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Hoover & Vida Williamson and Family*



Vida Williamson - March 07, 2022 at 09:17 AM

SD

“ *In deepest sympathy for the loss of your father, your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

Sherrie Dillard - March 07, 2022 at 09:07 AM

SO

“ *Treva and all the family: I am so sorry that you have lost your precious daddy. It's so rough to give up the ones you love. You can rest assured that your dad is in heaven in a hugh mansion on a hilltop and walking streets of gold. He will be missed terribly. I am so sorry. God be with this family during this very difficult time. Rest In Peace my friend.* 🙏💔



Susie O'Dell - March 07, 2022 at 09:06 AM

RF

“ *He was a very good man*

Rick Ferguson - March 07, 2022 at 08:50 AM

GH

“ Treva and family I am so sorry for your loss your dad was a mighty man of God. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.

Steve and Gail Holder

Gail Holder - March 07, 2022 at 08:27 AM

AD

“ Our deepest condolences to the family. Ransom is a great loss to our county. Love and prayers.

David & Amy Dorsey

Amy Dorsey - March 07, 2022 at 08:16 AM

VP

“ Velmer Partin lit a candle in memory of Rev. Ransom Hall



Velmer partin - March 07, 2022 at 08:11 AM

LR

“ He loved the Lord and you definitely seen it if you were around him. Always smiling and doing for anyone in need. He will be missed. I am glad i had the privilege of knowing him. Prayers for family.



Lisa R. Raines - March 07, 2022 at 08:10 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Ransom Hall.*



March 07, 2022 at 08:07 AM



“ *I knew Ransom all my life. He was the very definition of a Good Man. He was a servant of God and now God has called him home.*

Terry Leatherwood - March 07, 2022 at 07:53 AM



“ *He help save a lot of people. His love of God was out there for all to see. He is now where he wants to be in God's arms. I am sorry for your loss.*

Betsy - March 07, 2022 at 07:30 AM



“ *Prayers for all of you.*



Amanda Forrester and family - March 07, 2022 at 07:14 AM

JC

“ Prayers for the family.
Jimmy Green and daughters Janie and Vicki



Janie Campbell - March 06, 2022 at 11:21 PM

LS

Ransom was a gentle loving man and had a heart of gold. Ransom would help anyone he could and will be deeply missed by everyone. Prayers for all the family.
Linda Self

Linda Self - March 07, 2022 at 08:26 PM

MC

“ Rev. Hall touched many people with his leadership and Music. May your beautiful memories bring comfort to you during this difficult time. Please accept our deepest sympathy and know that our prayers and thoughts are with you.

Sarah Hartsell
Mary Ann & Jay Chrisman

Mary Chrisman - March 06, 2022 at 08:55 PM

WW

I grew up listening to Rev Hall ,singing with my sweet Rebecca Glenn RIP you all will all sing together again I'd say if we listen we can hear them. Lol.

Wilma Webb - March 07, 2022 at 08:40 AM

FE

“ *When I visited Pigeon Valley years ago, he greeted me as I’ve been coming there for years. He was such a nice godly man. Sending prayers for the family. Love Felicia Evans*

Felicia Evans - March 06, 2022 at 08:09 PM

AB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I love you!*



Ann Ball - March 06, 2022 at 07:33 PM

PO

“ *I knew him since I was a kid. Prayers for the family. Paula Owenby*

Paula Owenby - March 06, 2022 at 07:18 PM

TJ

Praying for comfort and peace for your family during this time. Ransom was a wonderful man. Im happy to have known him. Tracey Hammond Jones

Tracey Jones - March 06, 2022 at 11:22 PM

TW

“ *Ransom was such a good man; always greet you with a smile . He will be missed . Our thoughts and prayers are with the Family.*

Tura Lawson and Eloise wiley - March 06, 2022 at 06:56 PM

DO

“Cocke County has lost a great treasure with the death of Ransom. I will remember his leadership in bringing our Music of the Mountains programs to fruition. Later he brought the Hall Family Singers to the Hartford Welcome Center and greeted hundreds of tourists arriving in Tennessee with his infectious smile and glorious songs. To sit across from him at the Rescue Squad Banquet was always a delight. Ransom, you truly brightened your corner. Our lives were truly enriched by our association with you. Take your place now with the Heavenly Hosts and lead them in song.

Duay and Kay O'Neil - March 06, 2022 at 05:46 PM

DH

“True man of God. My dad spoke highly of him. May God bless you all and give you strength for the upcoming days.

Debbie Ellison Hurst - March 06, 2022 at 05:30 PM

WK

“Bro. Ransom Hall was a man of many talents; one being a storyteller. I had the privilege of getting to know this beautiful man when Sheila asked me to accompany her on visit home. We had a wonderful day of riding the hills of Tennessee and listening to him tell his tales of long ago and people he knew. Some he had much respect for, some I'm not sure if he was making it up or just adding "color" to the story. Sunday we made our way to the Church. I don't remember the name, but I could feel the love of God pour down into it as I sat there and listened to him speak the Word. He made a huge impression on this ole country girl, one I will never forget. Thank you, Lord, for letting Bro. Ransom Hall be an angel in my path of life.

Wanda Kirk - March 06, 2022 at 05:01 PM

PC

“ Prayers for you all during this difficult time.
Preston and Kay Fox Cureton

Preston and Kay Cureton - March 06, 2022 at 04:21 PM

MJ

“ Our deepest condolences to the family of Ransom. You all are in
our thoughts and prayers.

Mike & Sandra Jenkins - March 06, 2022 at 04:16 PM