



Richard "Pappy" Fancher

November 6, 1942 - November 14, 2023

Richard "Pappy" Fancher, 81, of Newport, TN passed away peacefully on November 14, 2023, surrounded by his family and loved ones.

Pappy grew up in Newport, a town he loved and never left. He served in the United States Air Force for 4 years. He worked at Enka / BASF for 43 years and enjoyed fishing, golfing, racing, being on the lake, and flying. Most of all, he enjoyed spending time with his family. Pappy will be dearly missed and always remembered.

Pappy was preceded in death by his mother and father, Alex and Frances Fancher, and brother, Alex Fancher.

He is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Jan W. Fancher, sons, Gus (Shea) Fancher and Jake Fancher, grandchildren, Austin Fancher, Addison Fancher (Courtney Shultz), and Alleah Fancher (Seth Johnson), great grandson and little buddy, Rhett Fancher, sister Malinda (JD) Smith, sister in law, Gail Fancher, and many more loved ones.

Pappy requested a celebration of life be held in his honor as opposed to traditional funeral services. We request all of Pappy's loved ones to join us in celebrating his beautiful life at Smoky Mountain Golf Course on December 9, 2023 from 4 pm- 9 pm.

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

Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC 9. 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Smoky Mountain Golf Course
1220 Golf Course Road
Newport, TN 37821

Tribute Wall

DR

“ *Jan and family, so sorry for your loss. Love and prayers.*

Dale and Nancy Raines - December 10, 2023 at 02:15 AM

DB

“ *Jan & family, my prayers & sympathy to you in the passing of Richard .*



Dot Barnes - December 09, 2023 at 08:32 PM

WW

“ *Jan, I am so sorry for your loss, sending prayers*

Wilma Webb - December 09, 2023 at 01:48 PM

GF

“ *Jan, you are in my thoughts & prayers.
Hugs! Ginni Walker Foust*

ginni walker foust - December 09, 2023 at 12:11 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard "Pappy" Fancher.*



December 08, 2023 at 08:58 PM

JF

“ Josh Watson & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard "Pappy" Fancher.

Josh Watson & Family - December 08, 2023 at 08:58 PM

JK

“ Jan and family, I just read of Richard's passing. I am so sorry and I want to send my deepest sympathy to your family. Prayers for all of you now and in the coming days.

Janey Clevenger Kinser - December 08, 2023 at 09:51 AM

GG

“ Jan, We were so sorry to hear of Richard passing. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.
Geraldine and Bill George



Geraldine and Bill George - December 07, 2023 at 09:48 PM

GS

“ Sorry for your loss Jan prayers for you & family. Gail Samples



Gail samples - December 06, 2023 at 09:54 AM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - December 05, 2023 at 07:03 PM

WW

“ Jan & Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Wilma Webb(Billy)

Wilma Webb - December 05, 2023 at 03:16 PM



“ Jan, sending prayers and hugs your way Judy Fowler

Judy Fowler - December 05, 2023 at 12:30 PM

MC

“ Jan and family, our deepest condolences for your loss. May God bring peace and comfort for your broken hearts. Prayers for family and friends!

Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman

Mary Ann Chrisman - December 05, 2023 at 09:28 AM

LM

“ Jan and Family,
We want you to know of our sympathy and prayers!
Rob and Lisa Myers

Lisa Myers - December 05, 2023 at 01:52 AM

CB

“ I’m so sorry Jan, I just saw where Richard passed away. Praying for you all

Connie & Marsha Ball - December 04, 2023 at 06:54 PM

JR

“ Jan, I am so sorry for the loss of your beloved husband. May God give you peace and comfort during this most difficult time. Love June Holt Russell



June Holt Russell - December 04, 2023 at 03:11 PM

SC

“ Jan, im so sorry to hear about Richard. My sympathies to you and your family. You are in my prayers.

Sheila Coggins - December 04, 2023 at 02:40 PM

BB

“ Jan, you are on my heart and in our prayers. May you find comfort in your many memories, and God grant you peace. Love you! Becky and Charlie Boggan

Becky Boggan - December 04, 2023 at 01:57 PM

LR

“ So sorry to hear me and boys loved being your neighbor Linda Carpenter

Linda Roberts - December 04, 2023 at 01:37 PM

LG

“ *Jan and family, I am so very sorry for your loss. Sending prayers and love to everyone.*

Lisa Giles - December 04, 2023 at 08:50 AM

AD

“ *JAN, I can't come up with Words to express my heartfelt sympathy to you and your sons during your hour of Grievance. My Prayers and Thoughts with much Love.*

Adell S. Davis - December 03, 2023 at 09:54 PM

LD

“ *You all know we love you all, and please know that you are in our hearts and prayers, especially during this heartbreaking time. We'll miss Richard too, and we'll celebrate his life with you on Dec. 9th.*



Matthew 5:4

*With Love,
Bud & Linda*

Linda Dawson - December 02, 2023 at 03:57 PM

SB

“ *Jan and family,*

I am so sorry to hear of Richard's passing. Thoughts and prayers for your family.

Susan Ball

Susan Ball - December 02, 2023 at 01:20 PM

MC

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for the family and friends..now and in the days to come. May God bring peace and comfort to you all.

Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman

Mary Ann Chrisman - November 29, 2023 at 01:33 PM

KL

“ Jan I am so so sorry for your loss. Richard was a good man. Prays for you and your family

Kathy Long - November 29, 2023 at 11:34 AM

RS

“ I am sorry, Jan.

Ray Snader - November 29, 2023 at 10:01 AM

LW

So Jan for your loss.Prayers for all of the families.

Lana& Charlie Williamson - November 29, 2023 at 02:17 PM

SW

Sending prayers love and hugs to you all

Sandy Strange Walton - December 04, 2023 at 04:00 AM

DP

Jan and family, we're so sorry for your loss.

David and Sandie Popiel

David and Sandie Popiel - December 06, 2023 at 08:04 PM

BC

Our deepest sympathy Jan. Jay and I are keeping you, Gus, Jake, Shea, Alleah, Austin, Addison, Courtney & Rhett in our prayers for the Lord to comfort you and give you peace as only He can. We love you and your family dear friend.

Betty & Jay Carver - December 08, 2023 at 07:29 PM