



## William "Bill" Eugene Lewis

November 5, 1935 - February 16, 2017

William "Bill" Eugene Lewis, age 81, of Newport, passed away Thursday, February 16, 2017.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, former Vice Mayor and City Alderman, and currently served on the Newport Utility Board. He was the founder of Little League Football in Cocke County and was a T.S.S.A.A for 40 years.

He was preceded in death by his sons, Chris and Chuck Lewis; parents, Payton and Bonnie Lewis; eleven brothers and sisters.

He is survived by his wife, Jackie Lewis, brothers-in-law, Mickey (Vickie) Powers, Eugene Martin; and sister-in-law, Gaynell Proffitt, all of Newport; several nieces and nephews and other family and friends.

In lieu of flowers family request donation be made to the First United Methodist Church, 212 Washington Ave., Newport, TN 37821.. Funeral service will be held 7:00 p.m. Saturday, February 18, 2017, in the First United Methodist Church, with Rev. Marta Coburn and Rev. Dr. James Bennington officiating.

Burial will be held 2:00 pm Sunday, February 19, 2017 in Union Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm- 7:00 -m Saturday at the First United Methodist Church prior to the funeral service.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.



# Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *I'll be praying for you in a time of grief.*

**Julie H Kyker** - March 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'll be praying for you in a time of grief.*

**Julie H Kyker** - March 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry for loss*

**Cj Ball** - February 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

**Janey Clevenger Kinser** - February 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of Bill Lewis's passing, as he was a true blessing to so many of Cocke County's youth by giving them a chance to participate in sports while growing up. I remember Bill well as he played baseball with my brother Richard, and my brother-i*

**Kenneth Maloy** - February 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

WE

“ So sorry for your loss Bill was very special and we sure will miss seeing him at the bank. May God give you the peace and comfort you need at this time, as no one else can. You are in our thoughts and prayers Wayne and Joyce

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**Wayne and Joyce Ellison** - February 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

WF

“ We are saddened to learn that youÆre mourning the loss of your dear love one. However, it saddens our God even more. No doubt, you have many fond memories which will resurface from time to time. And because you do have memories, certainly shows that almig

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**Williams Family** - February 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ William "Bill" Eugene Lewis

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**Jeff & Julie Kyker** - February 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM

VM

“ I will miss my friend and grasscutters coach as I do his son, my friend, Chris. May his family have joyful memories to assuage their loss.

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**Vearl Marshall** - February 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ So sorry for your loss.

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**Roger Greene & Buck Greene** - February 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

IS

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Imogene Stuart - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Don and Ella Mae Large - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Gary S. & Dorothy J. Kyker - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

mansfield mcmahan - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RW

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Rocky Worex - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ *We are sorry and our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Woody and Tura Lawson - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. He not only helped the youth in our county but the elderly as well. He served on the board and helped provide funding for the Office on Aging and Senior Center in the 80's an 90's.*

Linnie Denton - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

John and Kimberly Vick - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *So sorry for your loss bill was a good man and a good neighbor our prayers and thoughts are with the family. God Bless,*

LD & ALICE CRUM - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

YF

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Yvonne Fleming - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ *I'm going to miss him so much. I will have you in my thoughts and prayers*

Phyllis Combs - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

EE

“ *We are sorry for your loss.*

Earl & Ila Ruth Edmonds - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JC

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Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Jackie, Keeping you in our hearts and prayers. We are so very sorry for your loss. Love you. Sincerely, Linda

**Bud & Linda Dawson** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ Sorry for your loss.

**Peggy W. Lane** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Our love and prayers are being poured out to you Aunt Jackie. We dearly loved Uncle Bill & he will be greatly missed! I'm so thankful for our visits with you both & loved hearing all the stories about his childhood & stories about dad. I know that he's enj

**Linda & Al Brown** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Jackie So sorry for your loss. Our prayers will be with you.

**Sherry & Len Frisbee** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ We are so sorry to hear of Bill's passing.

**Lib and Randy Clevenger** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ William "Bill" Eugene Lewis

**Angie Gentry** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

gd williams - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LW

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Lana & Charlie Williamson - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BH

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Betty Harrison - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *I am so sorry for your loss.*

Cindy Pace - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Louise and Jimmy Hux - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *William "Bill" Eugene Lewis*

Mike & Charlotte McCarter - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

FE

“ *We are so very sorry to hear about this loss. Bill was a good man and friend to everybody. He will be missed.*

Fletcher and Penny Ervin - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ So sorry for your loss. Prsyers for your family. With deepest sympathy, Cindy wise and family

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**Cindy Wise** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ So very sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Janie Holt** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM