



William "Farley" Ball

September 2, 1945 - December 17, 2019

William Farley Ball, age 74 of Greeneville, passed away Tuesday Morning, December 17, 2019 at Greeneville Community Hospital East. He was an Army Veteran and served in the Vietnam War where he was recognized with a Purple Heart Medal. He was a member of Newport Lodge #234, McKee Lodge #144, Valley of Knoxville Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, and Disabled American Veterans. He was preceded in death by his parents Worley and Rose Ball; brother William Ball, Everett Ball, and Charles Ball; sisters Sarah Ball and Cora James; and father-in-law James Shults. He is survived by his loving wife DeAnn Shults Ball; daughters Kimberly Ball and Kristy (Bryan) Southerland; grandsons William Lee (Michelle) Henderson and Dalton Henderson; sister Francis (GB) Rollins; sister-in-law Dorothy Ball; mother-in-law Alice Shults; sister-in-law Patricia (David) Barr; and several nieces, nephews, and many dear friends. His wife would like to thank Amedisys Hospice of Greeneville and Sentinel Home Care for their exceptional and loving care. The family will receive friends from 4:00 pm-6:00 pm Friday, December 20, 2019 in the Manes Funeral Home West Chapel. Masonic Service lodge # 234 will be at 6:00 pm on Friday follow by the funeral service in the Manes Funeral Home West Chapel with Rev. Bill Murr officiating. Burial will be at 9:30 am Thursday, December 26, 2019 in the East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery. Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home West Chapel
Newport, TN 37821

Funeral service

DEC **20**. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Newport, TN 37821

Burial

DEC **26**. 9:30 AM (ET)

East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery
2200 E Governor John Sevier Hwy
Knoxville, TN 37920

Tribute Wall



“ *William "Farley" Ball*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Farley was a wonderful friend, one of a kind. Never could get anything on him cause he always had a quick comeback that couldn't be beat. He was a great worker and I enjoyed working with him for 35 yrs. Never will forget the door I was going to put on the rental house, After a mishap I put one on. I will miss him.
Sincerely, Ed Knight*

Eddie Knight - December 21, 2019 at 10:12 AM



“ *May you Rest In Peace my friend. Prayers going out to the family.
Heaven gained a wonderful man.*

Angie Wampler

Angie Wampler - December 21, 2019 at 12:42 AM



“ *Tonight as I travel to Newport to say my goodbye's to you, Farley; I am reminded of what a caring man you were. You and your family have become a permanent part of my heart and I will never forget you or your generosity.*



Nellie Shelton - December 20, 2019 at 04:34 PM

GC

“ A very good friend and Lodge Brother. Will be greatly missed. Gene Creech, London, KY



Gene Creech - December 20, 2019 at 02:03 PM

BW

“ Sorry for your loss! Thoughts and prayers coming your way.

Brian and Sonya West

Brian and Sonya West - December 20, 2019 at 10:41 AM

KD

“ Kim & Kristy, I am so very sorry for your loss. Family are those we surround ourselves with and love. I'm glad you have each other to lean on. Thinking of you today, Kristen

Kristen Dibble - December 20, 2019 at 07:57 AM

LL

“ My Uncle Farley was the first to come see me when I was born. He watched me walked down the aisle when I got married. I am so glad that I have the memories of him. He was a wonderful man. I am sorry for the loss to my cousins.

Lynsey Lefevers - December 19, 2019 at 10:47 AM

LW

“ *A unique individual. We share something over the years. I will try to look out for his daughters and my nieces.*



Leland waddell - December 18, 2019 at 04:34 PM

SF

“ *Dearest Deann - only wonderful memories of William in my mind. So sorry for your loss. Susie Ford*

Susie Ford - December 18, 2019 at 01:08 PM

PP

I grew up with Farley. We had such great times playing in the woods and ball and he was like a brother to me and my brothers. So sorry for your loss. He was a great person. Pat Norwood Purkey.

Pat Norwood Purkey - December 18, 2019 at 06:08 PM

GD

Sorry to here of your lost, I worked with Farley for years and we rode motorcycles together. George W. Denton

George W Denton - December 20, 2019 at 06:16 PM

NO

Dearest Kim, An Kristy I am sooo sorry for your loss . May God send comfort an peace for the both of you ... I love you both with all my heart ... sincerely Nugget

Nugget Owenby - December 20, 2019 at 07:25 PM

RL

Sorry to here of your lost, I worked with Farley for years and we rode motorcycles together. Randall Linholm

Randall Linholm - December 21, 2019 at 03:07 AM