



William Raymond Southerland

November 10, 1941 - October 28, 2025

William Raymond Southerland, age 83, passed away Tuesday, October 28, 2025, at his home surrounded by his family.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John Elbert and Eula Ester Hux Southerland; children, Lawrence, Steven and Carolyn Ball; and his brother Royal Edgar Southerland.

He is survived by his loving wife of 48 years, Dean Southerland; sons, Raymond "Ronnie" Southerland; Michael (Missy) Southerland; daughters, Lisa (John) Preston, Amy (Andy) Austin; Raymond loved all his grandchildren with all his heart: grandchildren, Kevin (Malorie) Gregg, II, Taylor Gregg, Alexa Austin, Paige (Justin) Stokley, and Hayley Preston; great-grandchildren, Ryleigh Stokley, Hunter Shults, Elijah Gregg, Weston Shults, Dustyn John Stokley and Bently Derrick; brother, Robert (Wanda) Southerland; sister, Retha "Darlene" Gervin; sister-in-law, Rebecca "Becky" Southerland; special cousin, Jerry Davis; also other family and friends.

The family would like to Thank Smoky Mountain home health and hospice for the love and compassion while caring for Raymond; and a special Thank You to Gracie and Chesnee.

The family will receive friends from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm Saturday, November 1, 2025 with the funeral service following at 1:00 pm in Manes Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial will follow in Union Cemetery.

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

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Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

NOV 1. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral service

NOV 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Burial

NOV 1 (ET)

Union Cemetery
Newport, TN

Tribute Wall

AC

“ I am ray's daughter I'm reaching out for family my name is ashleigh clark I was told this was my grandfather I didn't know him I was hoping someone could tell me more about him



Ashleigh Clark - April 01 at 04:53 PM

MW

“ Deepest Sympathy to all family members and friends!! He was one of the Best Neighbors ever and we will all miss him tremendously!! Prayers for All that were Blessed to know him!!



Marie Wood - November 01, 2025 at 03:04 PM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of William Raymond Southerland.



October 31, 2025 at 12:41 PM

JR

“ June Holt Russell lit a candle in memory of William Southerland



June Holt Russell - October 30, 2025 at 06:09 PM

FE

“ *Robert and Wanda*
We are so sorry to hear about your loss. We're praying for God's comfort during this time. Love you all. Mike, Felicia, McKenzie and Bella Evans

Felicia Evans - October 30, 2025 at 04:00 PM

TL

“ *Dean ; so sorry to hear about your husband . We all met as neighbors in broad acres. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time .*

Tura wiley Lawson - October 30, 2025 at 03:06 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Raymond Southerland.*



October 30, 2025 at 12:18 PM

TF

“ *May God's loving Presence comfort you, His perfect peace restore you, and His promise of eternal life sustain you during this time of loss.*

With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Jabo & Tammy Francis
Smoky Mountain Home Health & Hospice

Tammy Francis - October 30, 2025 at 10:34 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William Raymond Southerland.*



October 30, 2025 at 09:59 AM



“ *Our Deepest Sympathy
Doug and Joyce Shoemaker*

Shoemaker - October 30, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ *Our prayers for your loss*

Connie & Marsha Ball - October 29, 2025 at 10:33 PM



“ *Marilyn Shelton-Jones lit a candle in memory of William Southerland*



Marilyn Shelton-Jones - October 29, 2025 at 08:15 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss. Spanky and Barbara Holt*

Barbara Holt - October 29, 2025 at 07:32 PM

CI

“ So sorry for your families great loss. Prayers for peace and comfort for the family
Our deepest condolences
Don, Cindy Wise and family

cindy - October 29, 2025 at 06:27 PM

KY

“ Karen Yates lit a candle in memory of William Southerland



Karen Yates - October 29, 2025 at 01:59 PM

SO

“ My heart is so broken for this precious family. I loved Raymond very much. Raymond was always nice and kind to me. I enjoyed being with all the family at the parties for birthdays and holidays. I have many happy memories of Raymond, and so many pictures to remember over the 28 1/2 years I have known him. He loved his family unconditionally and they truly loved him. Raymond will be so missed by his friends and friends he leaves behind. Many liquid prayers for all of you. I pray that God will comfort you and give you strength in the days ahead. And Jerry.... Thank you for the months you were there to help with Raymond. The love and care you have shown is amazing. Rest in peace Raymond. You will never be forgotten. 💔 Dean, Amy, Andy, Alexa, Lisa, John, Taylor, Robert.....I love you. You took excellent care of Raymond. 🙏🥹



Susie O'Dell - October 29, 2025 at 11:50 AM