



## Hooper Fiddler

September 15, 1915 - July 13, 2007

Jewell Hooper Fiddler was born in Henderson County on September 15, 1915 to Fred and Lucy Fiddler. He died at Briarwood Community Living Center in Lexington on Friday at the age of 91 years and 10 months. His beloved wife Inez preceded him in death in the year 2000 after a marriage of 65 years.

He is survived by one daughter, Sarah Derryberry and her husband Leonard of Wildersville, two granddaughters: Francene Burton, Ramona Moore and her husband Tony of Lexington; one grandson, David Derryberry and his wife Alexis of Smyrna. He also leaves three great grandchildren: Sarah Elizabeth Burton Small, Evan Burton and Adam Moore; and one great great grandchild, Stephen Gage Small. Siblings predeceasing him are sisters Velta Stephens and Agnes Bradfield and brothers: Clifford, Ray, Roby and Hulon.

Mr. Fiddler worked as a farmer, Milan Arsenal guard and then in the grocery business 55 years until his retirement. He was known and loved by many families in the area. He was especially known for his love of children, some of whom took their first steps on the check-out counter at the store. He never lost his desire to work and serve others even as his health declined. He will be dearly missed by those whose lives he touched.

His funeral service will be held in the Chapel of Pafford Funeral Home on Monday, July 16 at 11:00 AM and will be conducted by Travis Fiddler and P. J.

Hardy with the burial following in Lexington Cemetery. Pallbearers will be David Lynn Derryberry, Evan Burton, Adam Moore, Charles Fiddler, Fred Stephens and Jerry Scott.

The family suggest that memorials in his honor be made to the Broad Street Church of Christ Building Fund at 131 North Broad Street, Lexington, TN 38351. He loved his church family and worshiped with them in Lexington over sixty years.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **14.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN.  
71 Monroe Avenue  
Lexington, TN 38351  
(731) 968-2544  
info@paffordfuneralhome.com  
<http://www.paffordfuneralhome.com>

## Visitation

JUL **15.** 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN.  
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Lexington, TN 38351  
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## Visitation

JUL **16.** 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Service

JUL 16. 11:00 AM (CT)

Chapel of Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN.  
71 Monroe Avenue  
Lexington, TN

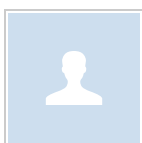
# Tribute Wall



“ Sarah, I have fond memories of your Father from growing up around him at church and in town. He and your Mother were great people. My Mother and Dad thought a lot of them both. Mother is here in Alaska with me and sends her love and prayers also.##imported-begin##Betty (Melton) Carrington##imported-end##

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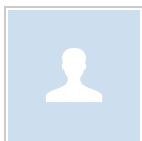
July 19, 2007 at 04:26 AM



“ My sincere sympathy to the family. Although I have lived in the Lexington area only three years, I knew Mr. Hooper from my volunteer work at the Heritage Place. He was loved and respected by everyone there, and will be missed. A fine Christian gentleman.##imported-begin##Sally Kurek##imported-end##

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July 16, 2007 at 07:32 AM



“ Dear Sarah~I was saddened to hear of your dear father's passing. He was a dear friend to me as a child, and I am so glad I got to spend some time with him when both he and Mom were at Heritage Place. My heart goes out to you.

Love

Patti##imported-begin##Patti Teague Wilson##imported-end##

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July 15, 2007 at 10:29 PM



“ We wanted to tell you that your family is in our thoughts and prayers.  
We love you all very much!##imported-begin##Amanda and Donna##imported-end##

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