



Lyman E. Townsend

May 9, 1927 - July 31, 2015

Funeral services for Lyman E. Townsend, age 88, are scheduled for 11:00 AM Monday, August 3 in the chapel of Pafford Funeral Home with Rev. Dr. Doug Norfleet officiating. Interment will follow at Lexington Cemetery.

Mr. Townsend, son of the late Dorsey and Ettie Mincey Townsend, died Friday, July 31, 2015 in Jackson. A lifelong resident of Lexington, member of the First United Methodist Church and retired owner of Townsend Plumbing and Electric he enjoyed many hobbies: fishing, hunting, restoring Model A cars, was a long time pilot and enjoyed flying.

Survivors include his sons: Lynn (Elaine) Townsend of Lexington and David (Tammy) Townsend of Collierville, 8 grandchildren: Shelly (Grady) Sanderson, Justin (Candy), Sarah, Brad, Clay, Katie, James and Carly Townsend; 3 great grandchildren: Kelly and Kinley Sanderson and Ashley McKenzie; a great great grandchild, Aubrey Smith; two sisters: Imogene Frye and Loy Lewis; Daughter in law, Terry Townsend; Brother in laws, Willard Stanfill and John Mathews. Mr. Townsend was preceded in death by his wife, Wilma Sue Threadgill Townsend, son, Barry Neal Townsend; great grandchild, Brittney Sanderson, his sister, Lillie "Nancy" Stanfill and his brother Lonnie "Jeff" Townsend.

Cemetery Details

Lexington Cemetery

Natchez Trace Drive
Lexington, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 2. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN
71 Monroe Ave.
Lexington, TN

Visitation

AUG 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN.
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Lexington, TN 38351
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Chapel Service

AUG 3. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Lyman E. Townsend*



Pafford Funeral Home - August 02, 2015 at 12:44 PM

BC

“ *Lynn, I am so sorry to hear of Barry and your Dad passing. Memories of living next door when we were kids and our Mothers working together, flooded back. I remember so many times talking over the fence to your Dad. As the years passed He would always make a point of coming to that fence to greet me, when I was home. He was a man of few words, but made each one count. Even in the time when he could not say words, he still came to that fence and greeted me, with a smile and a nod. May he rest in peace with your beautiful Mother and Barry. May God send you comfort and healing is this time of great family loss.*

Betty(Melton) Carrington

Betty (Melton) Carrington - August 09, 2015 at 03:29 PM

JT

“ *Husty, We are deeply saddened to hear of your passing and so soon after Barry. You leave us with too many memories over the years to recount but they certainly start with your infectious laugh. We cherished your trips to our home but you sure made it difficult with our trying to find Mellow Yellow in CT or finding the one and only ice cream that you would eat...Breyer's was it? I missed our fishing trips with you on the Tenn river long after leaving Lexington and would always lose my breath when leaving Perryville Marina and entering the 'big' river. We truly treasured the joy you brought into so many people's lives and our thoughts and smiles will always be with you.... Jerry and Rosemary*

Jerry Townsend - August 04, 2015 at 12:39 PM

RS

“ *Praying for this precious family in your loss!*



Rhonda Sanders - August 03, 2015 at 09:27 AM



“ *91 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Pafford Funeral Home - August 02, 2015 at 12:38 PM

SL

“ Sarah F. Lewis lit a candle in memory of Lyman E. Townsend



Sarah F. Lewis - August 01, 2015 at 03:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lyman E. Townsend.



August 01, 2015 at 02:55 PM

LG

“ Larry And Faye Gestring lit a candle in memory of Lyman E. Townsend



Larry and Faye Gestring - August 01, 2015 at 02:41 PM

IF

“ Imogene Townsend Frye lit a candle in memory of Lyman E. Townsend



Imogene Townsend Frye - August 01, 2015 at 02:10 PM



I love your Lyman and miss you so very much. Fred loved you like a brother.

Imogene Frye - January 22, 2016 at 02:34 PM