



## Marie Blankenship

May 19, 1928 - September 27, 2017

Funeral services for Mrs. Marie Blankenship, age 89, are scheduled for 1 PM, Friday, September 29, 2017 in the chapel of Pafford Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Lexington Cemetery. Mrs. Blankenship passed away early Wednesday in Lexington. She was born May 19, 1928 in Henderson County to the late Samuel Harrison Tomlin and Maggie Mae Hart Tomlin. She was a homemaker and enjoyed yard sales and gardening. She loved her grandchildren and was a wonderful mother. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Ora Belton Blankenship; her sister, Jewell Quinn; and a special friend, Rubel Hamm. Survivors include her son, Thomas J. (Kelli) Blankenship of Lexington; her daughter, Carolyn (Tim) Maness of Darden; eight grandchildren, Jeremy (Luchita) Blankenship of Jackson, Jason (Samantha) Blankenship, April (David) Harrod, Jerid Blankenship, Megan (Jason) Wood, Brandon Maness, and Jacob (Kelsey) Maness all of Lexington, and Cooper Maness of Darden; eleven great grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild. The family would like to say a special thank you to her Lexington Manor family that loved and cared for her. Visitation will be Thursday from 5-9 PM and on Friday, 11 AM until 1 PM.

Pafford Funeral Home

731-968-2544

[www.paffordfuneralhome.com](http://www.paffordfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Lexington Cemetery

Natchez Trace Drive  
Lexington, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 28. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

SEP 29. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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

## Chapel Service

SEP 29. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Marie Blankenship*



**Pafford Funeral Home** - September 28, 2017 at 01:08 PM

CS

“ *Carolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



**Carolyn Smith** - October 08, 2017 at 01:53 PM

CS

*So sorry to hear about Ms Marie. I visited her at Lexington Healthcare when my Mom was there. I always told her I was her distant cousin, My granddad Jim was her Dad Sam's brother. She will be missed.*

**Carolyn Smith** - October 08, 2017 at 01:56 PM

JB

“ *Jeannie Bridges lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



**Jeannie Bridges** - September 29, 2017 at 11:37 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Marie Blankenship.*

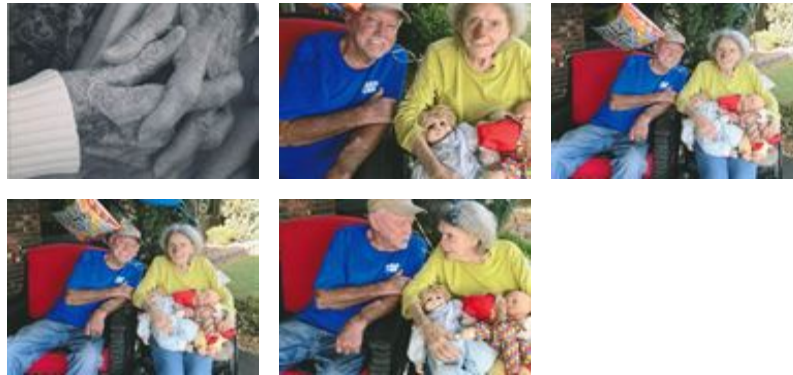


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September 28, 2017 at 04:33 PM



“ *78 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Pafford Funeral Home** - September 28, 2017 at 12:03 PM



“ *Marie is Gods special angel now no more pain Rest In Peace my special best friend love you Thomas and Carolyn and your family*

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**gemia bostic** - September 28, 2017 at 08:49 AM



*Love y'all too sorry forgot to tell y'all*

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**gemia bostic** - September 28, 2017 at 02:30 PM



“ Angie Sanderson lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship



Angie Sanderson - September 28, 2017 at 04:10 AM



“ Janice Houston lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship



Janice Houston - September 28, 2017 at 03:01 AM



“ Tony & Rexanna Blankenship Tomlin lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship

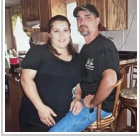


Tony & Rexanna Blankenship Tomlin - September 27, 2017 at 10:55 PM

TO

*I will always remember how much she loved me & my two brothers growing up, years & miles apart never stopped my love for her, fly high our beautiful Angel for I know my Big Daddy is waiting for you with arms wide open, I love ❤️ y'all Thomas & Carolyn, always have always will, Donna Rexanna Blankenship Tomlin*

Tony - September 27, 2017 at 11:13 PM



“ *Mary Sego lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



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**Mary Sego** - September 27, 2017 at 10:41 PM



“ *Kelley Greear lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



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**Kelley Greear** - September 27, 2017 at 10:11 PM



“ *Tony N Redonna Overman lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



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**Tony N Redonna Overman** - September 27, 2017 at 09:14 PM



“ *Gemia Bostic lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



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**gemia bostic** - September 27, 2017 at 07:00 PM

GB

*Marie was like my best friend loved her a lot but I know she is not hurting anymore will see her again someday love you Thomas and Carolyn and your family*

**gemia bostic** - September 28, 2017 at 08:46 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Marie Blankenship.*



September 27, 2017 at 04:53 PM

AM

“ *Allan Maness lit a candle in memory of Marie Blankenship*



**Allan Maness** - September 27, 2017 at 02:52 PM