



Mr. Merrel Austin

December 30, 1948 - July 31, 2018

Funeral services for Mr. Merrel Austin, age 69, are scheduled for 3:30 PM, Thursday, August 2, 2018 in the chapel of Pafford Funeral Home in Scotts Hill. Interment will follow in Cedar Grove Baptist Cemetery. Mr. Austin passed away Tuesday in Jackson. He was born December 30, 1948 in Henderson County to the late Paul and Opal Smith Austin. He was a retired bus driver and a member of Scotts Hill Baptist Church. He loved spending time with his family, friends, and trail riding. Survivors include his wife of 46 years, Mrs. Susan Kennedy Austin; his son, Brian Austin (Codi); three brothers, Charles Austin, Harold Austin (Wanda), and James Austin (Ginny); one sister, Peggy Brasher (Roy); one grandson, Ty Austin; and two special friends, Dwayne White and Ray "Hootie" McCay. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be sent to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Grove Baptist Cemetery

Scotts Hill, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 4:30 PM - 10:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN
Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN

Visitation

AUG 2. 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN
Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN

Chapel Service

AUG 2. 3:30 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN
Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Pafford Funeral Home - August 01, 2018 at 12:42 PM

BW

“ *Merrill and I became close friends during our high school days at Sardis High school
He always wore a smile and we enjoyed spending time together;
enjoyed many laughs together
I graduated in 66; his class year was 67
I was born on Jan. 48, he in Dec. 48
I moved away in 75 but would run into him when back home to visit
Last couple of times I ran into him at corner market at 22 & 22A
Merrill still wore that smile he had in high school and I always
cherished the visits we shared
I am saddened to hear that he is gone, he will be missed. I will miss
my friend and that smile
May God Bless his wife and family*

Bob N Wallace - August 04, 2018 at 09:57 PM

RM

“ *SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT MERREL HE WAS A MIGHTY
GOOD MAN AND A LONG TIME FRIEND HE WILL BE MISSED
BY EVERYONE WHO HAS KNOWN HIM*

ROY MOONEY - August 03, 2018 at 08:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Merrel Austin.*



August 02, 2018 at 12:55 PM



“ *Crystal Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Crystal Harris - August 02, 2018 at 10:27 AM



“ *Vivian And Noel Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Vivian and Noel Blankenship - August 01, 2018 at 09:46 PM



“ *heard a lot of good things about Mr. Austin and he has a fine family*

Joe Melton - August 01, 2018 at 05:30 PM

TB

“ *Tonya Broadway lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Tonya Broadway - August 01, 2018 at 05:14 PM

KM

“ *Kristi McNeill lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Kristi McNeill - August 01, 2018 at 03:15 PM



“ *Bobby & Sandra Maness*



Sandra Maness - August 01, 2018 at 02:51 PM

DB

“ *Danny&Shelia Beecham lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Danny&Shelia Beecham - August 01, 2018 at 02:01 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Merrel Austin.*



August 01, 2018 at 01:42 PM



“ *Shirley Harmon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrel Austin*



Shirley Harmon - August 01, 2018 at 01:38 PM



“ *51 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Pafford Funeral Home - August 01, 2018 at 11:37 AM



Prayers to the family.

Debbie Miller - August 01, 2018 at 05:24 PM