



## Mr. Ranny Joe Morris

September 27, 1938 - January 9, 2025

Mr. Ranny Joe Morris, age 86, passed away early Thursday, January 9, 2025, in Lexington. He was born September 27, 1938 in Henderson County to the late Raymond and Ludell Johnson Morris and lived in the Laster Community his whole life. He married Cornelia Ann Tignor in 1960 and they were married for 62 years. He began his career as a Barber in Henderson, TN, and then decided to buy and run the Food Basket at the corner of Hwy 22 and 22A. He went on to get his Broker's license and began selling real estate for Mr. A. G. and Maydene Hayes. He later got a job with the State of Tennessee buying right-of-ways. He loved to hunt and fish, his favorite was duck hunting. He was a long-time member and Deacon at Unity Baptist Church, and often drove the church van to pick up children for services. He was an avid UT Vols fan. Mr. Morris was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Cornelia Morris and his sister, Mrs. Brenda Brown.

Survivors include his two sons, Mark Morris (Debbie) and Stephen Morris (Kelly); two grandchildren, Andrew Morris (Audrey) and Ashley Breeden; and one brother-in-law, Wayne Brown.

Funeral services are scheduled for Saturday, February 8, 2025 at Unity Baptist Church. Interment will follow in Unity Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Saturday, February 8, at Pafford Funeral Home from 10 AM – 1:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Gideons International.



# Cemetery Details

## Unity Baptist Church Cemetery

Jacks Creek, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 8. 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM (CT)

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

## Church Service

FEB 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

Unity Baptist Church  
Jacks Creek, TN

# Tribute Wall



“ Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Ranny Joe Morris



Pafford Funeral Home - February 05, 2025 at 04:58 PM



“ Rex & Debbie Smith purchased the Country Basket et Blooms for the family of Mr. Ranny Joe Morris.



Rex & Debbie Smith - February 07, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ 107 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pafford Funeral Home - February 05, 2025 at 04:47 PM

KR

“ *Kathy Holmes Renfroe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ranny Joe Morris*



Kathy Holmes Renfroe - February 03, 2025 at 05:46 AM

JL

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Praying that God will see you through the days ahead and ease your broken hearts.*

Jamie Lindsey - January 15, 2025 at 04:40 PM

RE

“ *Prayers for the Morris Family!*

Randy & Susie Elvington - January 14, 2025 at 03:23 PM



“ *Mary Sego lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ranny Joe Morris*



Mary Sego - January 14, 2025 at 12:27 PM

RF

*Sending prayers for family!*

Ruth Flett - January 14, 2025 at 08:09 PM

DM

*I am so sorry about the loss of your Daddy Steve...it is always hard to lose your Hero...God Bless you and your family...continued prayers my friend...*

*Dan & Darla Moore*

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**Daniel Moore** - January 15, 2025 at 01:38 PM