



Curtis Hoover Flanary

November 24, 1928 - March 10, 2015

Curtis Hoover Flanary, 86, was born November 24, 1928 and joined his Heavenly Father on March 10, 2015.

A native of Pennington Gap, VA, Mr. Flanary was a dairy farmer and had been named Virginia Farmer of the Year. He had served as Sherriff of Lee County, VA and also worked as a professional reader to Federal Judge Glenn Williams.

He was a long time member of Jonesville First United Methodist Church before moving to New Tazewell UMC. He was also a charter member of Cedar Hill Country Club and a lifelong Tennessee Vols and Cincinnati Reds fan. An avid reader, he often read as many as 8 books per week.

Mr. Flanary was preceded in death by his parents, U.G. and Ollie Turner Flanary, brothers, Devon and William Flanary, and sisters, June Rector and Maxine Weir. He was also preceded in death by his beautiful first wife and mother of his children, Nelle Rose Flanary, and by an infant son, Charles R. Flanary.

He is survived by Betty Flanary, his soul mate of 34 years, who enjoyed traveling extensively, farming and following UT Sports.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Carol Jones and husband Robert, Leslie Gilliam and husband Richard and Alison McCabe and husband Logan; one son, George Flanary and wife Teresa; two step-children who he loved as his own, Beth Milam and husband John and Jack Belcher and wife Jacqui; one brother, Jack Flanary and wife Eulalah; eight grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and a special aunt, Helen Howard.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Saturday, March 14, at Jonesville First United Methodist Church. The funeral service will begin at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Layne Pennington officiating. Interment will follow in the Flanary Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Matthew Gill, Turner Jones, Baxter Gilliam, Adam and Chase Milam and Joe W. Teague Jr.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to Jonesville First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 280, Jonesville, VA 24263.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **14**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Jonesville First United Methodist Church
Church Street
Jonesville, VA 24263

Funeral service

MAR **14**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Church Street
Jonesville, VA 24263

Tribute Wall



“ *Curtis Hoover Flanary*

October 05, 2023 at 07:31 PM



“ *The community and world have suffered a great loss. But our loss is Heaven's gain. Heartfelt sympathy for everyone during this difficult time.*

*Eunice and Mary Ruth Laster
Stickleyville, Lee County, VA*

Mary Ruth Laster - March 22, 2015 at 07:36 AM



“ *My dear cousins, I have a memory of a badminton game on the farm in Kyles Ford. Curt was playing with us while the Jennings girls were in the kitchen cooking and laughing. Our dog, Brownie, was snatching the birdie out of the air and off the ground.*

Curt said, you kids play and I will hold the dog." I am sure we thought that was a good idea! Nell always brought mother something special and mother always had something for her. Those two were close as sisters. I have often wondered where they swam as they always seemed to have pictures made as beauties in gorgeous swimsuits. We are so sorry to miss the service but send our love with extended arms of comfort and hugs.

Aunt Rachel and Cousin Jackie



Jackie Sisson - March 16, 2015 at 04:53 PM

SE

“ so sorry betty prayers remember him well

shirley evans - March 14, 2015 at 12:35 PM



“ Wandaleen Adams lit a candle in memory of Curtis Hoover Flanary



Wandaleen Adams - March 14, 2015 at 11:58 AM

PM

“ Betty, Beth, Jack and family - I am so very sorry for your loss. My prayers to you and your family.

Love,

Pam Morgan
Johnson City, TN

Pam Morgan - March 13, 2015 at 08:07 PM

JS

“ Carol so sorry for you and your families loss praying for comfort and strength Jimmy and Barbara Stanfill



Jimmy and Barbara Stanfill - March 13, 2015 at 07:13 PM

DM

“ *My sympathy and condolences to the family during this sad time. I wish you strength and comfort.*

Dave Merritt

Dave Merritt - March 13, 2015 at 06:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Curtis Hoover Flanary.*



March 13, 2015 at 05:49 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Curtis Hoover Flanary.*



March 13, 2015 at 05:47 PM

PR

“ *Betty, Know that we will be thinking of you. Jim shared some stories from his childhood and how good to him Curt always was when he would visit.*

*Love and prayers,
Jimmie and Peggy Rector*

Peggy Rector - March 13, 2015 at 05:07 PM

MF

Betty, though I did not know mu Uncle Curt very well my mother always told me he watched over my Dad, Bill Flanary and for that I will be forever grateful. Rest in peace Uncle Curt my prayers are that you are with our Heavenly Father and feel no more pain. Deepest condolences Betty.

Mark Flanary

mark flanary - July 09, 2015 at 01:14 AM

PS

“ Please know my thoughts and prayers are with all of you. God bless.

Patty Sheppard

Patricia Sheppard - March 13, 2015 at 12:57 PM

SS

“ Please know that you are all in the prayers of the St. Anne Catholic School family. May your hearts soon feel God's peace.



St. Anne School - March 13, 2015 at 12:46 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Curtis Hoover Flanary.



March 13, 2015 at 10:49 AM

SS

“ *Simeon and Laura Sutton purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Curtis Hoover Flanary.*



Simeon and Laura Sutton - March 13, 2015 at 09:18 AM

BH

“ *Leslie, sorry to hear about the passing of your dad, our thoughts are with you and Richard. Bill, Robin, Chris and Caitlin Hatcher.*

bill hatcher - March 13, 2015 at 06:31 AM

MF

“ *Betty, we are so sorry for your loss. Curtis was a kind and generous man. We cherish the times we had to visit with him. Just know our thoughts are with you and your family. Mary Ruth and Raymond Flanary*

mary flanary - March 12, 2015 at 10:17 PM

BC

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Curt's passing. I cherish the time I spent chatting with him this Fall. Please know that my heart and prayers are with the family during this very sad time..*

*In Loving Memory,
Betty Hines Crusenberry*

betty crusenberry - March 12, 2015 at 09:00 PM

VS

“ Beth,
Words are insufficient to express how sorry I was to hear of your precious stepfathers passing. I did not know him so I do not have a memory to share. I can only speculate that he was an amazing, loving and caring father to you because you are such a special, amazing and sweet person that I have grown to love. My prayer is for God's comfort for you and your family.
In Christian sympathy and love,
Virginia Smothers

Virginia Smothers - March 12, 2015 at 03:03 PM

KM

“ Kim & Max Milam purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Curtis Hoover Flanary.



Kim & Max Milam - March 12, 2015 at 12:04 PM

WT

“ So sorry to hear of Curt's passing. I enjoyed working with him at Powell Mountain Coal, he was a fine man. I treasure the many childhood memories we all shared growing up in Jonesville and attending school together. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time of loss. Sincerely, Wayde Travis

Wayde Travis - March 12, 2015 at 07:49 AM

WE

“ *The Zeta Tau Kappa Alumnae Association of LMU sends our love and sincere sympathy to our Sister Betty and their family. Those of us who cannot be there in person will be there in spirit. Wanda Eubank for ZTKAA*

Wanda Eubank - March 12, 2015 at 05:54 AM



“ *Mr and Mrs JD Myers would like to send our deepest sorrow for the loss of a true love one our cousin was a very sincere gentlemen family member our prays for the family*

Mary Myers - March 11, 2015 at 07:40 PM

PS

BETTY, SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. Heavens Gain, will be praying for you

Polly Snodgrass - March 12, 2015 at 05:27 AM

JD

Betty and Beth, I am so sorry for this most painful time in your life. I am praying that you will feel God's arms wrapped around you and give you strength. Curtis was such a good husband and father. I love you both.

Joan DeVoti

JOAN DEVOTI - March 12, 2015 at 08:46 AM

NM

Curt Flanary was a true gentleman, unassuming and humble and to all who knew him, he was highly respected. .Curt contributed to his home land, Lee County before he retired. Curt lived and supported Lee County for many years as a family man, a farmer and as a Sheriff. Curt was family man and his priority was his family first. Curt's wife, Betty and their blended family/children will certainly miss this amazing man. I salute Curt Flanary for your service to Lee County. Thank you, Sir.

Novessa McCoy - March 12, 2015 at 10:38 PM

GC

Dear Carol, George, Leslie, Allison & Families,

I have so many fond memories when we were growing up at the Flanary dairy farm. I loved being around the family. Happy times. Curt was such a comfortable person to be around and a had wonderful sense of humor. I am truly sorry for your loss. I am keeping you all in my prayers.

*All my love,
Glenna Chance*

Glenna Chance - March 13, 2015 at 11:48 AM

JK

Betty, you have been in my thoughts & prayers. I am so sorry for your loss. Curt was a very special person.

David & Judy King

Judy King - March 15, 2015 at 06:55 PM