



## Deward Houston Sexton

November 22, 1934 - December 18, 2022

Deward Houston Sexton, 88, was born on November 22, 1934 in the Wolfenbarger community of Hancock County, TN and went to be with his Lord and Savior on Sunday, December 18, 2022 in Big Stone Gap, VA.

He spent his entire life as a farmer. He instilled a strong work ethic and a love for the Lord in his children, which they greatly appreciated.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Millard Clayton Sexton and Della Lee Jones Sexton, two brothers, Shirley and Paul, and four sisters, Myrtle, Mary, Hassie, and Fannie.

Deward is survived by his four children, Tony Sexton and wife Nola, of Jonesville, Perry Sexton and Tina, of Tazewell, TN, Denna Howard and husband Robert, of Jonesville and Theresa Budinger and husband Paul, of Tazewell, TN; sister, Martha Hornsby, of Rose Hill, VA; the mother of his children, Dorothy Hilton, of Pennington Gap, VA; 17 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren, 1 great-great grandchild and a host of nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends from 11 until 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 21, at Robinette Funeral Home in Rose Hill. The funeral service will begin at 1:00 p.m. with Junior Sexton officiating.

Graveside services will follow in the Click Cemetery, located on Southern

Hollow Road in the Mullberry Gap community of Sneedville, TN.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Bri Sexton, for always loving "Daddy", and the staffs of Heritage Hall, Lonesome Pine Hospital, and Caris Hospice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Rose Hill)  
207 DeRoyal Industries Drive  
P.O. Box 388  
Rose Hill, VA 24281  
(276) 445-5101

## Funeral Service

DEC **21**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Rose Hill)  
207 DeRoyal Industries Drive  
P.O. Box 388  
Rose Hill, VA 24281  
(276) 445-5101

## Graveside service

DEC **21** (ET)

Click Cemetery  
Southern Hollow Road  
Sneedville, TN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Deward Houston Sexton*

October 05, 2023 at 07:31 PM

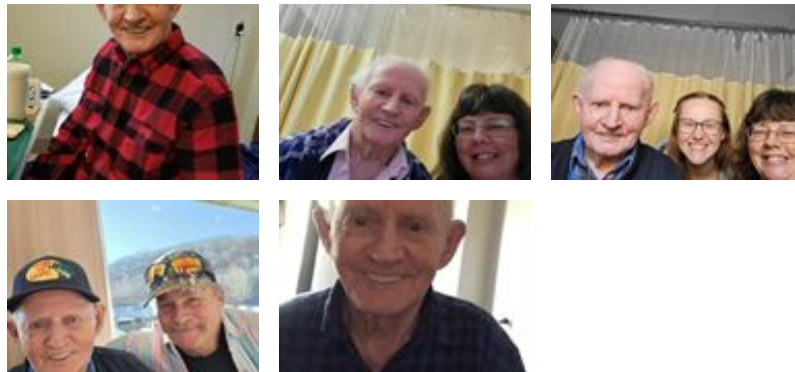


“ *I met Mr. Sexton when my dad Darrell brought me hunting on his property in Hancock county! He was a hoot & we always stopped to talk to him when we went to lunch & left for the day. Prayers for his family! Rip Mr. Sexton.*

heather beeler - December 22, 2022 at 04:16 AM



“ *51 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Robinette Funeral Homes - December 21, 2022 at 09:50 AM



“ *Thinking of you during this sad time. I know your strong faith will pull you through and give you comfort in the days ahead. Sending you our sincere sympathy. Larry and Doris Presley*

Doris Larry Presley - December 21, 2022 at 12:17 AM

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“ *Thinking of you during this sad time. Praying God will give you peace and comfort.*

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**Tresia Barber** - December 20, 2022 at 11:41 AM

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“ *Robin W. Napier lit a candle in memory of Deward Houston Sexton*



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**Robin W. Napier** - December 19, 2022 at 11:10 AM