



Narvel Tinsley

September 18, 1949 - February 9, 2026

Narvel Tinsley, Jr, 76, of Kyles Ford, TN fought a courageous battle against pancreatic cancer and passed away at 4:15am on February 9, 2026.

Narvel was born on Sept 18, 1949 to Narvel Tinsley, Sr. and Louise Tinsley in Louisville, KY.

He was an avid outdoorsman and survivalist. He enjoyed spending his time doing lawn care, gardening, fishing, kayaking, and anything else as long as he was outdoors. He was smart, caring, loving, thoughtful, funny, and wanted to spend every moment of every day at Danyale's side. He was the center of attention wherever he went, as he kept everyone laughing.

Narvel professed his faith in Jesus, and is now at home with Him. His favorite song was "The Old Rugged Cross" and one of his favorite bible passages was Psalm 23.

In addition to his parents, Narvel is preceded in death by his sister Barbara Ann Tinsley, two sons, Narvel Jerome "John" Tinsley Sr, and Seaundre K. "Mookie" Horsley, and a daughter, LaTonya Lafavers.

Narvel is survived by his wife Danyale Denise Tinsley; four daughters, Gloria (Phillip) Mucker, Alishia Tinsley, Whitney (Chad) Vincent, and Maddie (Josh)

McAdams; son, Ethan (fiancé, Savannah) Wade; two brothers, William Michael Tinsley and Jerome Earl Tinsley; 19 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews, and a very special and devoted caregiver, Phyllis Cely.

Narvel's wish was that a simple graveside service be held at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, February 9, 2026, in the Tinsley Haven of Rest Cemetery, located on his beloved property in Kyles Ford, TN.

Pallbearers will be Ethan Wade, Chad Vincent and Josh McAdams.

In lieu of flowers, the family would ask you to plant a tree or some beautiful flowers in Narvel's memory.

Online condolences may be sent by visiting, www.RobinetteFuneralHomes.com. Robinette Funeral Home of Jonesville is serving the Tinsley family.

Previous Events

Graveside service

FEB 9. 4:00 PM (ET)

Tinsley's Haven of Rest
Willis Chapel Road
Kyles Ford, TN 37765

Tribute Wall

EB

“ My deepest condolences to you and your beloved family.
I have wonderful memories of Narvel Tinsley!
I know how much he enjoyed fishing and being outdoors!
May the memories of Narvel Tinsley bring you comfort and sweet memories!

Elizabeth Braden - March 09 at 09:09 PM

NL

“ Danyale sorry for your loss just saw that Narvell passed away Nellie and Johnny

Nellie Lambert - February 20 at 04:49 PM

SA

“ Thinking of you all at this time. I sure will miss his humor! It was a pleasure getting to meet and know Narvel, Danyale, and "Ma" these last several weeks. Wlth Love, Samantha - Ballard Hospice

Samantha - February 10 at 09:42 PM

RP

“ Rebecca P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Narvel Tinsley.

Rebecca P. - February 10 at 05:43 AM

CM

“ Goodbye my sweet cousin. You were loved, and will be truly missed. The family is rejoicing seeing you again along with our Lord and savior Jesus the Christ. Until we meet again your favorite cousin as you always refer to me. I love you, Carolyn Maxwell.

Carolyn Maxwell - February 09 at 06:49 PM

CT

“ He was a very nice person and he loved his family. He's home with the Lord now RIP.you will be missed love, your cousin Carolyn Tinsley

Carolyn Tinsley - February 09 at 03:00 PM

EW

“ We took a few hiking trips out in Kentucky one at chain rock then the other we took another one to the pinnacle he always found something fun to do and taught me many things we shared a lot of fun times and laughs made many memories he will always be on my mind

Ethan wade - February 09 at 12:37 PM