



Alford Morris

May 24, 1939 - January 29, 2022

Alford Hawkins Morris, age 82, of Springfield, passed away Saturday, January 29, 2022 at his home. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, February 1, 2022 at 2pm in the chapel of the Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with Brother Randy Hester officiating. Burial will follow in the Hopewell Baptist Church Cemetery with his grandsons serving as pallbearers.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Monday, January 31, 2022 from 4-8pm and again on Tuesday from 10am until the hour of service at 2pm.

Mr. Morris was born May 24, 1939 in Robertson County to the late J.C. and Cecil Johnson Morris. He was a cowboy, a logger, a construction worker, a farmer, and whatever he needed to be at the time. He was the roughest, toughest man you would meet, but the softest, sweetest person you could ever know, even playing Santa at times. He was “Papaw” to his favorites, “Daddy” to his next, and “Uncle Alford” or “Mr. Alford” to most. He always seemed to be happy, laughing and smiling every time you saw him and will truly be missed by everyone who knew him.

In addition to his parents Mr. Morris is preceded in death by his daughters, Beverly Jane Morris and Tammy Annette Morris, his brother, James Wayne Morris, his sister, Faye Hall, his daughter-in-law, Tonya Morris, and his son-in-law, Paul Roark.

Mr. Morris is survived by the mother of his children, Sammie Reid Morris; his children, Melinda Roark, Timothy "Bubba" Morris, Susan and husband, Delvin Hester, and Dennis and wife, Jill Morris; sisters, Johnnie Hand and Abbigail and husband, Billy Jackson; 15 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-

509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Cemetery

Springfield, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
509 Walnut St.
Springfield, TN 37172
(615) 384-1000
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Visitation

FEB 1. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
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Springfield, TN 37172
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Funeral Service

FEB 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gloria Woodard lit a candle in memory of Alford Morris*



Gloria Woodard - February 01, 2022 at 12:09 PM



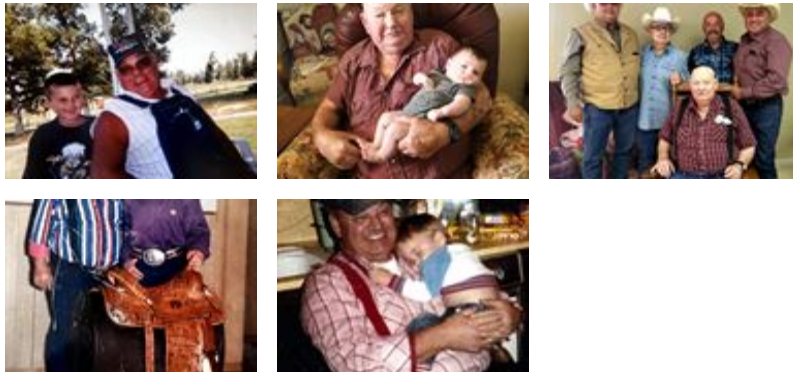
“ *Betsy Hollingsworth lit a candle in memory of Alford Morris*



Betsy Hollingsworth - January 31, 2022 at 03:01 PM



“ *56 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Austin & Bell Funeral Home - January 31, 2022 at 01:32 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Alford Morris.*



January 31, 2022 at 11:06 AM



“ *He used to come to the house and shoe my dads horses back in the day..he was a good man*

Kenny - January 30, 2022 at 05:20 PM



“ *Rodney Boyd lit a candle in memory of Alford Morris*



Rodney Boyd - January 30, 2022 at 02:51 PM



“ *For as long as I knew him, whenever I was around him, he always knew,without me saying a word, when I needed a hug, to laugh, or to cry on his shoulder. He was a man with a loving heart. I may not have been kin to him but he will always be "Uncle Alford" to me. He will be missed but never forgotten. My love, thoughts, and prayers to each and everyone of the family. Rhonda Smith Miller and Butch Miller*

Rhonda and Butch Miller - January 30, 2022 at 02:36 PM

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So sorry to hear about Alford. I always enjoyed seeing him. I send my condolences to all of the family. God bless you at this sad time.

Mary Ruth Trumphour - January 31, 2022 at 04:22 PM