



John Sims Cox

October 8, 1934 - November 19, 2015

John Sims Cox, age 81, of Springfield, passed away Thursday, November 19, 2015 at The Residence at Alive Hospice in Nashville. Funeral services will be held Monday, November 23, 2015 at 2pm in the chapel of the Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with Brother Billy Bowers and Homer Wright officiating. Burial will follow in the Elmwood Cemetery with Ricky Holman, John Michael Clinard, Jerry Rippy, Phillip Dickens, Timothy Cox and John Michael Cox serving as pallbearers.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Saturday, November 21, 2015 from 4-8pm, on Sunday, November 22, 2015 from 4-8pm and on Monday, November 23, 2015 from 12Noon until the hour of service at 2pm.

Mr. Cox was born October 8, 1934 in Robertson County to the late George and Liddy Mae Kiger Cox. He was a farmer, veteran of the U.S. Army and was a member of the General Baptist Church.

In addition to his parents Mr. Cox is preceded in death by his brothers, Luster Cox, Herbert Cox, Richard Cox, Clarence Cox, J.C. Cox, Sr. and George Cox, Jr. and his 3 infant sisters. He is survived by his wife, Betty Rippy Cox; daughter, Vickie (Jerry) Rippy of Atoka, TN; grandchildren, John Michael Clinard, Travis Cole Rippy, Jessica Rittenberry, Madison Rittenberry and Brianna Rittenberry; and great-grandchildren, Zachery Michael Clinard and

Riley Zane Clinard.

The family requests memorial contributions be made to Alive Hospice and may be sent in c/o Austin & Bell.

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

Elmwood Cemetery

1029 Richard Street
Springfield, TN 37172

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **21**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
509 Walnut St.
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Visitation

NOV **22**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
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Visitation

NOV **23**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

NOV **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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