



## Walter Herman Cress

May 5, 1934 - November 4, 2018

Walter Herman Cress, age 84 of Greenbrier passed away peacefully at Alive Hospice Madison Campus on Sunday, November 4, 2018. Arrangements entrusted to Austin & Bell Funeral Home, 2619 Hwy 41 S., Greenbrier, TN 37073.

The family will receive friends 4pm to 8pm on Thursday, November 8, 2018 and 10am to 11am on Friday, November 9, 2018 at Austin & Bell Funeral Home Greenbrier. The funeral Service will follow at 11am at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Hermitage Memorial Gardens with Rev. Brandon Pugh officiating.

He was born in Norton, VA on May 5, 1934 to the late Millard O. and Keokee Cress. He was also preceded in death by his late wife, Dorothy Cress and a daughter, Ginger Cress.

He was owner/operator of Ridgetop Plumbing Company.

He is survived by wife, Teresa Kelley Cress; son, Timothy Kelley; daughter, Tammy Hollis, brother, Tommy (Martha) Tipton and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren and nephews and nieces.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

In Lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Austin & Bell Funeral Home, 2619 Hwy 41 S., Greenbrier, TN 37073 to help with funeral expenses. Online condolences may be made at [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hermitage Memorial Gardens

Hermitage, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

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

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2619 Hwy 41 S  
Greenbrier, TN 37073  
(615) 643-4000  
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## Visitation

NOV 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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NOV 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

PG

“ *Some times you never know when or where you going to meet a real true friend in this world.  
I live in Texas and had came up to Nashville in 2007 to do a plumbing job at a Sams Club.  
To save a long story.  
I will never forget that i had only been in town 2-3 days and some how I was invited to his 73rd Bday party.*

*This is when i meet my true friend Mr Walter. After finishing job and coming back home to Texas we called each other on phone once a month if we could. I'm going to miss our talks on phone my friend. I will always checking the weather to let you know if it was going rain there 2days after it rained here.*

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**Paul and Melissa Gilbert** - November 08, 2018 at 11:56 PM

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“ *Walter was always kind to me and I will miss my friend Anthony Hopkins and the family at Nashville Winnelson co*

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**Anthony** - November 08, 2018 at 10:33 AM



“ *Walter you are one of a kind they will never be another, I love you and miss you already !!!*



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**Pamela Ramsey** - November 07, 2018 at 06:23 PM

PB

“ *Uncle Walter, your gonna be missed, tell mama daddy,Johnny, kimmy, aunt Dorothy and ginger, I love and miss them and lots of hugs because you were great at hugs! So many of my childhood memories were from coming to to play with my cousins ginger an Tammy BC y'all always had fun things to do, I loved you, and I know there's lots of broken hearts these days. I always thought you were a great man, you always made people around you feel good and happy so I know everyone is smiling in heaven now,, R.I.P. Now . To the rest of the family I'm so sorry for your loss!*



*Love always,  
Pam Edens Barrow&.Mike Barrow*

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**Pam Edens Barrow** - November 07, 2018 at 04:00 PM

JY

“ *Walter was one of the finest, most honest man you ever wanted to meet. When I first moved to Nashville Tn, Walter and I met, and became instant friends, and buddies. I have lost my best friend, and he can never be replaced. My deepest sympathy to his family, and wife Teresa. RIP my friend, you will never be forgotten...*

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**John and Barbara Yoder** - November 06, 2018 at 10:43 AM

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“ *Teresa Cress lit a candle in memory of Walter Herman Cress*



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**Teresa Cress** - November 06, 2018 at 12:05 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Walter Herman Cress.*



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November 05, 2018 at 07:55 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Walter Herman Cress.*



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November 05, 2018 at 07:41 PM



“ *John And Barbara Yoder lit a candle in memory of Walter Herman Cress*



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**John and Barbara Yoder** - November 05, 2018 at 06:04 PM