



Mr. Johnny Ray Woolfork

March 1, 1955 - January 13, 2022

Johnny Ray Woolfork was born on March 1, 1955, in Gibson County, Tennessee to the late Eugene and Mattie Lee Woolfork. He departed this life on Thursday, January 13, 2022.

At a very early age, he professed faith in Christ and united with Hudson Chapel C.M.E. Church in Medina, Tennessee where he was a lifelong member and there he served as the Chairman of the Board of Stewards.

Additionally, he valued education. He attended high school at Medina High School in Medina, TN. After graduating from high school, he attended The University of Tennessee in Martin, TN. There he obtained a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. Through his life, Johnny supported his daughter, granddaughter, and other nieces and nephews as they obtained higher education.

Johnny was a man of honor and respect. A true gentleman who cared about his family with his whole heart, and modeled what the love of Jesus Christ looks like. He was a devoted son, brother, father, and grandfather. Most importantly, he served in all aspects of life as God command him to do.

In early life, he was employed at the Milan Arsenal. As he advanced into a career, he served as a investigator for The Public Defenders Office in

Jackson, TN. In his final years, he worked for the corporation Berry Plastics in Jackson, Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Eugene and Mattie Lee Woolfork; three brothers: Donald Ray Woolfork, Thomas Woolfork and Charles Woolfork; and one sister: Catherine Woolfork.

Johnny leaves to cherish his memory his beloved daughter: Shantell Woolfork Johnson; two grandchildren: Asiauna J. Woolfork and Asyria Woolfork; siblings: David (Kathy)Woolfork and Diane Taylor; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Cemetery Details

Hudson Chapel Church Cemetery

330 Gown Street Extended
Medina, TN 38355

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **21**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

New Beginnings Church
176 Medina Highway
Milan, TN 38358

Service

JAN **22**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LC

“ *L Christopher lit a candle in memory of Johnny Woolfork*



L Christopher - September 23, 2025 at 11:40 PM



“ *Mr. Johnny Ray Woolfork*

January 28, 2023 at 12:37 PM

JB

“ *Johnny was always polite, kind, and thoughtful when he came into the Circuit Court Clerks Office to look up records. A quiet gentleman. So sorry for your loss. May he RIP.*

Judy Barnhill - January 22, 2022 at 11:28 AM

DE

“ *Our Deepest Condolences on the Passing of Johnny, He will truly be missed
Love Nathaniel and Dereese*

Dereese - January 20, 2022 at 09:56 PM

TR

“ *My Condolences to the Woolfork Family, Johnny was a very kind person.. may he now RIP*

Tina Robinson - January 20, 2022 at 09:26 PM

DS

“ Extending heartfelt condolences to the family. God is truly a Consoler in such a dark hour.

Donna Seymour - January 20, 2022 at 01:06 PM

DP

“ Our sincerest condolences to Diane Taylor and the entire Woolfork family. May God continue to give you the strength you need at this most difficult time. Love, Debra & Robert Price

Debra Price - January 19, 2022 at 02:54 PM

BD

“ #RestinHeaven Mr. Woolfork. Condolences to the family. Barbaralette Godwin-Davis...

Barbaralette Godwin Davis - January 17, 2022 at 02:05 PM

CD

“ My condolences to the family. I worked with Johnny at the District Public Defender office for 26 years and he was a fine Christian young man. My heart broke for him because of a bad situation which should have never happened to him. He is now with his Lord and Savior.
Mrs. Chris Dunn

Chris Dunn - January 16, 2022 at 07:49 PM

RB

Amen

Ricky Brown - January 19, 2022 at 08:44 AM



“ I worked with Johnny and his sister at Milan Army Ammunition Plant in Milan Tn.He and his sister was always upbeat and fun to be around.He had a kind of laugh that made you smile on the hard day at work.I will forever remember him as I knew him then.I just can't get a grip on what has happened in the past few yrs. My blessings go out to the family.May God hold you all in his arms. Superman-
terry Graves.

Terry Graves - January 16, 2022 at 01:41 PM

JA

“ I'm remembering how we used to play basketball every evening or so against Jacob and Joejr. I can't remember us ever beating them and how when I lived in Medina and Aubrielle would come visit as soon as she saw that white truck she would take off toward it looking for you, and when you bring her back or come to the house she would try and lock you in so you wouldn't leave. She love her some PawPaw. We miss you. I told you before and I say it again, Thanks for all your help, and all you did, and all the long talks....RIP

Jackie - January 16, 2022 at 03:11 AM

JH

My condolences to the family. May he Rest In Peace.

Jennie Hughes - January 18, 2022 at 11:58 AM

MG

God's blessings and prayers are extended to the entire family of Johnny Woolfork.

M. Faye Godwin/ Paul and Lucille Godwin Family

M. Faye Godwin - January 18, 2022 at 04:14 PM

JE

“ *Mr. Johnny was a wonderful man, he loved everyone and didn't mind helping someone if they was in need. You will be missed love.* ”

Jocelyn Emery - January 14, 2022 at 06:16 PM