



## Charles Lee Ballard

March 21, 1938 - August 25, 2016

Charles Lee Ballard, 78 of Rossville went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Thursday, August 25, 2016. He was a lifelong resident of the Chattanooga & North Georgia areas and was a member of Fort Oglethorpe Church of Christ. He was previously employed with U.S. Pipe for many years as a Machinist and was a Navy Veteran. Charles enjoyed mowing lawns and landscaping. He enjoyed playing golf and was an avid Tennessee Vols Football fan. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather that will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He was preceded in death by his parents, Gordon & Thelma Ballard and two sisters, Glenda Collins and Doris Assman.

Survivors include his loving wife of more than 55 years, Edna Cox Ballard of Rossville, GA; children, Carla & Rodney Smith of Trenton, GA, Amy Stanley of Rossville, GA and Josh Ballard of Chattanooga, TN; 2 sisters, Joyce & LeBron Hixon of Rossville, GA and Linda Jett of Hixson, TN; 3 grandchildren, Fallon Gant, Adam Gravitt and Branton Phillips; 8 great grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews and extended family & friends.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, August 28, 2016 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Bro. C.G. Griffith officiating. Entombment will follow in the Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park. The family will receive friends after 4 p.m. on Saturday and prior to the service on Sunday at the funeral home.

Online guestbook [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

# Cemetery Details

## Tennessee/Georgia Memorial Park

724 Hogan Rd.  
Rossville, GA 30741  
(706) 866-5533

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 27.** 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
555 West Cloud Springs Road  
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742  
(706) 866-5555  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I am sorry to hear of Charles passing,He was a wonderful example of a good man.I have good memories of him as a teenager. I pray for strength for the family. Love, Candi*



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