



## Joseph Parris

November 6, 1956 - August 11, 2024

Joseph “Joe” Parris, age 67, lifelong resident of Chattanooga, Tennessee, passed away on August 11, 2024 at Memorial Main Hospital, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Mr. Parris, son of the late Thomas Nelson Parris and Patricia Kathleen Morgan Parris, was born November 6, 1956 in Chattanooga. He attended Riverside Baptist Church and was an avid Alabama Crimson Tide fan. Mr. Parris was a truck driver for over 34 years, retiring from U.S. Express. In the 70’s and 80’s, he enjoyed drag racing. He also enjoyed watching old classic western movies and occasionally going camping or fishing. The family remembers him as a man that would always want to help others.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Thomas “Buster” Parris; and two sisters, Teresa Ann Parris and Kathleen Parris.

Mr. Parris is survived by one brother, Jimmy “Jimbo” Parris; one nephew, Duane Parris; five cousins; other relatives and friends.

Graveside services will be held at Boydston Cemetery, 3335 Boydston Road, Chattanooga, Tennessee on Friday, August 16, 2024, 11 a.m. with Reverend Garrett Reagan officiating. The family will receive friends at W.L. Wilson and Son’s Funeral Home, 555 West Cloud Springs Road, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

Arrangements by W.L. Wilson Funeral Home, 555 West Cloud Springs Road, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **15**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
555 West Cloud Springs Road  
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742  
(706) 866-5555  
info@wilsonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

## Graveside Service

AUG **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Boydston Community Cemetery  
3319 Boydston Road  
Chattanooga, TN 37419

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences*

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**Roger Smith** - August 14, 2024 at 10:01 PM

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“ *Joe. I am so thankful for you and the whole Parris family. When I first met Richard y'all took me in as one of y'all's own. I truly believe there is a family reunion going on in Heaven and God is telling you well done. You will be greatly missed. I pray for healing for the Parris family and friends. Joe you will be greatly missed. Until we meet again.*



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**April Grimes Sullivan** - August 14, 2024 at 12:21 PM

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“ *Joe you were my brother from another mother. I am going to miss you and our long talks. Thanks for always being there for me. In loving memory, Teresa Woods.*

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**Teresa Mullins Woods** - August 13, 2024 at 09:41 AM