



Oran Junior Nichols

May 25, 1934 - December 5, 2022

Oran Junior Nichols 88 of Ooltewah went to be with The Lord on December 5, 2022. He was an active member of Bayside Baptist Church where he was an active choir member. He has served the church as an elder, deacon, Sunday School teacher, choir soloist for many years. Oran was a kind, gentle loving person whom will be deeply missed by all who knew him. He served on the board of Christ Chapel Share & Care since its inception in April, 1999. He was employed and retired from Combustion Engineering in Chattanooga Tn. He sang with the Representatives Quartet for several years, and also sang in the group known as The Valley Singers who sang weekly at several nursing homes in the area. Oran was also in the army from August 5, 1957 – August 5, 1959 stationed at Fort Chaffee Arkansas and Fort Ord California.

He is preceded in death by his first wife Alma Holland Nichols; siblings Pauline Williams, Bonnie Sikes, Thelma Norman, J.C. Nichols, Elmer Nichols, Raymond Nichols; and grandson Charles Edward Jeffrey III.

Oran is survived by his second wife of almost 50 years Sue Ledford Nichols; children Tammie (Charles) Jeffrey, Bruce (Connie) Nichols, Ray Nichols; grandchildren Hayden Nichols, Shelby Nichols, Tabitha Jeffrey, Chase Jeffrey; great-grandchildren Kyler Coulter Knox Ellis, and Raylan Nichols. Also surviving are several nieces, nephews, and extended family.

The family will receive friends for visitation from 3:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Thursday December 8, 2022 in the parlor of the funeral home. A funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. on Friday December 9, 2022 in the Ringgold Chapel of Wilson Funeral Home with Bro. Grady Cooper officiating. A burial will follow at Woodstation Cemetery

Arrangements are by Wilson Funeral Homes – Wallis-Stewart Chapel, Ringgold, GA. An online register book may be signed at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Woodstation Cemetery

Hwy 151
Ringgold, GA 30736

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 8. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Ringgold Chapel
443 Boynton Drive
Ringgold, GA 30736
(706) 935-2331
spencer@wilsonfuneralhome.com
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

DEC 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TL

“ *Teresa Long lit a candle in memory of Oran Junior Nichols*



Teresa Long - December 15, 2022 at 11:37 AM

MS

“ *Junior was fine a Christian Man, we went to church with him at Poplar Springs Baptist Church. I am so sorry for your loss.*



Marchie Stoker - December 12, 2022 at 09:30 AM

RB

“ *Junior was fine a Christian Man, I worked with him at Christ Chapel for many years, he always had smile on his face and a kind word for everyone. May God Bless his family, and Heaven is a little brighter!!!*

Ronnie Born - December 08, 2022 at 04:36 PM

YF

“ *Your UPS Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.*



Your UPS Family - December 08, 2022 at 10:57 AM

TA

“ Praying for your family - for peace, and for the loving arms of God to be especially comforting now.

Tammy (Trundle) Willingham & family

Tammy - December 08, 2022 at 09:22 AM



“ *Tender Tribute* was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 08, 2022 at 09:20 AM



“ *A Full Life* was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 08, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 07, 2022 at 08:28 PM

SK

“ Dear Nichols family, I am so sorry for your loss but we know that he is receiving a great award in heaven. Jr. was one of the most kind, gentle, genuine people that I have ever known and he made an eternal impact on everyone that knew him. He was a quiet giant among men and a fantastic example of being a Christian and gentleman. He made a lasting impact on my life and I treasured his friendship. Love and prayers to you, Scott Kennedy

Scott Kennedy - December 07, 2022 at 05:55 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 07, 2022 at 03:05 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 07, 2022 at 02:15 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Oran Junior Nichols.



December 07, 2022 at 01:09 PM