



Bennie Ray Moser

March 13, 1944 - January 11, 2021

Bennie Ray Moser, age 76, of Sweetwater, passed away January 11, 2021 following a short illness. He was married to his high school sweetheart, Marilyn Raper for 56 years. He served with several civic organizations. He was on the Sweetwater City School Board for 21 years and was a Monroe County Commissioner for 16 years. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club and the Optimist Club for many years. He volunteered in the Sweetwater Youth Football program for many years.

He was a member of the Sixth Avenue Church of God and served on the council there for 25 years. He worked for Newman's Grocery and Smith and Woods Food Center for a total of 45 years and retired as manager there. Bennie loved the Sweetwater community and his family very deeply.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Erskin and Volena Moser, daughter, Sharon Moser Jenkins, sister, Wanda Christine, brothers, Lloyd (Bud) Moser, Alfred Moser and Glenn Moser.

Survivors, wife Marilyn Moser, Sons, Sam Moser and wife Kelly, Ben Moser and wife Shannon, all of Sweetwater, son in law, Robert Jenkins of Sweetwater, TN. Grandsons Laint Moser and wife Catie, of Johnson City, TN and Morgan Moser of Bristol, Va., sister, Shirley Holloway and husband Bob of Cleveland, TN, sisters in law, Betty Jo Moser, of Madisonville, TN and Mireille Moser of Chicago, IL.

Viewing will be on Friday, January 15, 2021 from 1:00 P.m. until 4:00 P.m. at Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater. No family will be present. A private

service will be conducted by Rev. Brian Strugill and Rev. Floyd Oliver. Graveside service and interment will be conducted on Saturday, January 16, 2021 at 11:00 A.M. in the Sweetwater Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Sweetwater Youth Football and Cheerleading: 704 Stratford Ave. Sweetwater, TN. 37874. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Interment

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

Sweetwater Memorial Park
1838 Hwy 11 N
Sweetwater, TN 37874

Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bennie Ray Moser*



Kyker Funeral Home - January 14, 2021 at 02:28 PM

HM

We are so saddened by the loss of Benny. He was a kind and gentle soul. We are praying for you Marilyn and your family.

Hugh and Vickie MaGarity - January 14, 2021 at 08:54 PM

PP

We want to express our deepest sympathies for your loss. We are praying for you Marilyn and your children in this time of sorrow. May the Lord comfort you in your time of need as you grieve the loss of your loved one. Benny was a family member and friend to all of us and we were honored to share our lives with him. Peace be with you and your family, we love you dearly, from Reed and Thelma Kellers children.

Pam Woodby Pace - January 15, 2021 at 06:50 PM

SW

“ *We truly lost a great man! Benny was an inspiration, & mentor to me as a kid growing up in Sweetwater. Played ball with Sammy which also is a great man! My thoughts & prayers are with this great example of a true godly family!*

scott white - January 17, 2021 at 06:53 PM

JS

“ Marilyn, it breaks my heart to hear of Bennie’s death. Please know that you and your beautiful family will be in my thoughts and prayers. I can’t help but think of the wonderful reunion he and Sharon are having. 🙏🙏🙏 Judy Shope

Judy Shope - January 17, 2021 at 12:22 PM

JS

“ Marilyn, I'm so sorry to hear about Bennie. He was a great man and a good friend. He reminded me so much of my Dad, especially when he had the grocer's apron on. Thinking of you and family. Jack Swann

Jack Swann - January 15, 2021 at 05:35 PM

BM

“ Very sorry to hear of the passing of Bennie. He was always very friendly and kind. Prayers for the family. Brenda McSpadden Miller.

Brenda M Miller - January 14, 2021 at 05:59 PM



“ 51 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kyker Funeral Home - January 14, 2021 at 02:26 PM

JM

“ Our thoughts & prayers are with all the family during this time of loss. May God provide the strength needed. Jo & Ronnie McPhail (friends of Judy & Leroy McLemore)

Jo McPhail - January 14, 2021 at 12:30 PM

TS

“ I remember him working at food center i sure do miss that place. He was so sweet and nice he is sure going to be missed. I am so sorry for your loss praying for you all love you all .



tracy Schmitt - January 13, 2021 at 08:52 PM

SS

“ Bennie was a very special friend. He was always so kind to everyone. Every time I saw him, I always got a peck on the cheek. (And of course, Marilyn approved). He will missed very much by myself and so many on the Wimauma Church of God campground in Florida. RIP Bennie!! Will see you again.

Sylvia and Bob Sams - January 13, 2021 at 07:29 PM

RC

“ We have lost a great man...one that gave out of love for family and community. There are very few special people in this world, Bennie was one of them. Worked with him at Smith & Woods and I am so grateful I got to know him and Marilyn. I am humbled to have called him friend and appreciate his honesty, dedication and love of Christ.

Randy Creel - January 13, 2021 at 06:50 PM

RH

“ It was an honor to know such a great man, Bennie gave so much to our community and will be missed greatly. May God give peace and comfort to Sam and the rest of the family.



Rick & Sherry Hood - January 13, 2021 at 03:27 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bennie Ray Moser.



January 13, 2021 at 10:50 AM

MM

“ Bennie was a very kind and caring man. He volunteered countless hours at SAM in the Food Pantry serving those less fortunate. I am thankful for his service and friendship.

Martha Moree - January 13, 2021 at 10:14 AM

JM

“ Benny was a wonderful, selfless man. He gave generously to our community and served people his entire life. We will all miss his smile and his heart. He leaves a beautiful legacy of compassion. It's reflected in his son and my friend, Sam.

Jessica Morgan - January 13, 2021 at 09:48 AM

SB

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Benny's passing. Benny was a great man. Praying for comfort and peace for Marilyn and family.



Suzanne Brown - January 12, 2021 at 11:23 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bennie Ray Moser.



January 12, 2021 at 08:34 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bennie Ray Moser.



January 12, 2021 at 08:23 PM

BS

“ Sorry to hear of the passing of this fine man. Sympathy to the family.

Barry Self - January 12, 2021 at 07:05 PM

LO

“ *What a work ethic this man had!! Even after his retirement, and in spite of health difficulties, he worked diligently and constantly with Sweetwater Area Ministries, in the former Newman’s /Smith and Woods location. Yes, he loved the Sweetwater Community, and he showed it in many practical ways.*

Larry Orr - January 12, 2021 at 06:29 PM

JW

He was a good man.

Judy Wicker - January 12, 2021 at 06:37 PM

SH

It was a privilege to be acquainted with Bennie at SAM. Such a pleasant, sweet man. Our SAM staff is missing him working with us.

Sue Ellen Hult - January 13, 2021 at 08:39 PM