



## Jerry Franklin Snyder

June 1, 1944 - January 15, 2026

Jerry F. Snyder, age 81, of Sweetwater went home to be with his Lord, on Thursday, January 15, 2026 at his home. He was a member of Fairview Baptist Tabernacle Church of Sweetwater. Jerry was a member of the Sweetwater Optimist Club, a member of the Independent Order of Oddfellows lodge # 280. Jerry served as a little league football coach for decades. Jerry also served on the Monroe County School Board for many years. He was also a partner with the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Jerry retired from Alcoa Aluminum Company and was a member of the Alcoa 25-year club. Preceded in death by his son: Scott Snyder, parents: Hoyal and Pauline Snyder, brother and sister-in-law: Doug and Vickie Snyder, special aunts and uncle: Gladys and Jack Reed, and Ralph Zimmerman.

Survivors include his wife of 34 years: Glenda D. Snyder, of Sweetwater, daughters and sons-in-law: Janice and Dan Ledford, of Madisonville, Crystal and Steven Ragan, of Sweetwater, grandchildren: Julia and Austin Johnson, of Knoxville, Jarah and Ben Lugo, of St. Mary, GA., Jacee Ledford, of Madisonville, great-grandson: Kristopher Lugo, sister-in-law: Merlene Ratledge, of Niota, special friends: Butch and Linda Jenkins, Ted and Ruth Nichols, all of Sweetwater. Fur babies: Milly and Lilly.

A special thank you to the staff of The Waters at Sweetwater, his hospice nurses: Kim Fike, Marina Rose, Vicky Kurinc, and Chaplin: Bryse Current. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

A celebration of life service will be conducted later in the spring. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements. [www.kykerfuneralhome.com](http://www.kykerfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

BM

“ Glenda, I'm so sorry for your loss. Jerry was a great coach and mentor for many. Jerry and his family has always been one of the most welcoming and nicest people you could meet. You guys both were amazing and ment to be together. Love you guys.

Barry McCowan - January 20 at 03:15 PM

JB

“ Jerry Snyder taught a lot of young boys how to be good, respectable, men, and deal with life while playing sports and we didn't even know it at the time. i was fortunate enough to have been one of them. Love you always coach!

Jackie Bledsoe - January 19 at 04:40 PM

GW

“ Glenda, Sorry for your loss.Keeping you in our Prayers and thoughts

Gene and Diane Wilcox - January 19 at 08:04 AM

ST

“ Shelby Tuck lit a candle in memory of Jerry Franklin Snyder



Shelby tuck - January 19 at 05:40 AM

JL

“ So sorry Glenda. Jerry was one of the nicest high energy guys I've ever known. Lots of memories from grade school and on.

Joe Bucky Loomis - January 17 at 10:56 AM

RJ

“ So sorry Glenda. I have nothing but good memories of Jerry from all the years I lived next door as your neighbor.

Ron Johnson - January 17 at 09:36 AM

DC

“ Glenda, I am so sorry to hear this! My prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Love you my friend!



Dianne Ceisp - January 17 at 05:33 AM

MW

“ Glenda,  
So sorry for your loss.  
Condolences to you & the family.



Mike & Cindy Wooten - January 16 at 10:02 PM

GT

“ *Glenda and family*  
*Sorry for your loss, keeping you in our*  
*Prayers and thoughts.*



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**Glenn & Delorese Thompson** - January 16 at 07:32 PM