



## Michael Eugene Snow

April 11, 1952 - September 24, 2024

Michael E. Snow age 72, of Kingston passed away Tuesday, September 24, 2024 at his home surrounded by his family.

Michael was also known as “Mikey”, “Maxie” and “Coach Snow”. He loved his family, friends and students dearly. He also enjoyed music and dancing.

Preceded in death by parents Charles and Delphia Snow, and special friend Buddy Martin.

Survived by brother Eddie Snow and wife Geraldine, Niece, Brandi Snow and children, Gabe Watkins and Autumn Packett, Bre Snow and wife Chelsea and son Layken, nephew, Josh Kerr and Becky Kerr. Special friends Wayne and Mary Byrd, Jim and Jan Hatfield, Dale Hamilton, Kristin Berus, Mike and Marsha O’Keefe. Many special friends from Edgewood School, Cherokee Middle School, Roane County High School, Southeast Whitfield High School, Albany High School Louisiana and UTC.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 29, 2024 at Kyker Funeral Home of Kingston. Funeral at 7:00 p.m. in the Kyker Chapel. Burial 11:00 a.m. Monday, September 30, 2024 in Kingston Memorial Gardens. Kyker Funeral Home of Kingston is serving the Snow Family.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kyker Funeral Homes  
OUR KINGSTON CHAPEL  
PO Box 69, 350 W Race St  
Kingston, TN 37763  
(865) 376-6531  
<https://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com/>

## Funeral Service

SEP **29**. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Burial

SEP **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kingston Memorial Gardens  
123 Oak Drive  
Kingston, TN 37763

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael Eugene Snow*



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**Kyker Funeral Home** - September 27, 2024 at 04:38 PM

GG

*RIP Sweet Friend. 💔*

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**Geneva Gibson** - September 29, 2024 at 08:06 PM

PS

“ *Mike Snow was one of the finest people I have ever known. He was a joy to know and work with at Cherokee Middle. I recall many fun days when he was one of the " lunch bunch." Topics of discussion might be anything from school events to sports or Andy Griffith trivia. In recent years I ran into him at Food City and enjoyed catching up, but sad to know of his illness. He was one of a kind and will be greatly missed. We send sincere condolences to his family at this difficult time. Patti and Michael Suits*

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**Patti and Mike Suits** - September 29, 2024 at 01:07 PM

LM

“ *My condolences to the family. Larry Maples*



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**Larry Maples** - September 29, 2024 at 10:40 AM

TO

“ *Turf crew at ORCC purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.*



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**Turf crew at ORCC** - September 28, 2024 at 08:05 AM

TO

“ *Turf crew at ORCC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Eugene Snow.*

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**Turf crew at ORCC** - September 28, 2024 at 08:05 AM

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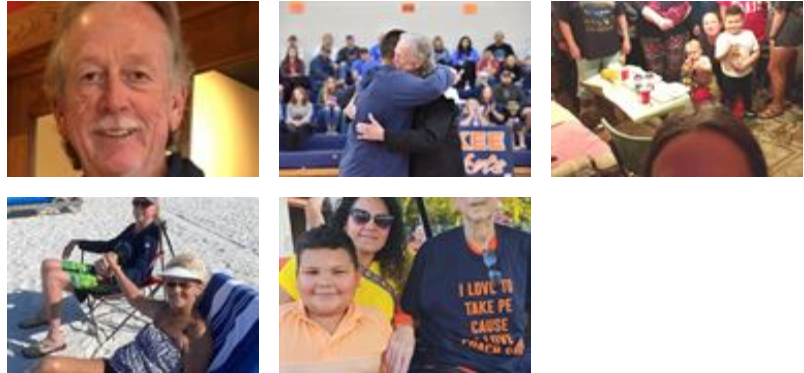
“ *I remember the first time I met him. He was fresh out of college and came in to substitute for Coach Johnson. He brought all his fishing gear and that is what he taught us. That was in 1979 I believe. Great man, loved by many*

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**Tammy Adams** - September 27, 2024 at 09:19 PM



“ 48 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kyker Funeral Home - September 27, 2024 at 12:31 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.



September 27, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ Doug & Ellen Cook planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Eugene Snow.

Doug & Ellen Cook - September 27, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ Prayers for you all from Karen, Marcia and Dennis Robinette.

Marcia Stone - September 26, 2024 at 07:22 PM

GA

“ It's a shame we move away and loose touch with friends. I have thought of Mike and the Edgewood group many times. Mike, you were loved and will be missed.

Gene Arthur - September 26, 2024 at 06:02 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.



September 26, 2024 at 03:24 PM

LG

“ Linda Hughes Garrett planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Eugene Snow.

Linda Hughes Garrett - September 26, 2024 at 03:24 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.



September 26, 2024 at 11:05 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.*



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September 26, 2024 at 10:55 AM



“ *Coach Snow will forever be in my memories of CMS with line dancing in the gym, funny jokes in class, yet stern when he needed to be. He was a force to be reckoned with and someone who took the time to talk with his students that needed a listening ear. He had the best positive advice and attitude toward life. Not only did he teach me, but also my three children. I send my condolences to all family and friends. He will always be remembered by all of us!*

*- a grateful student...*

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**Candice Headrick DeBord** - September 26, 2024 at 10:55 AM



“ *Anyone else remember him singing G-L-O-R-I-A in the CMS gym? He taught our class all the great folk songs, and I still remember them decades later. I was just thinking of him. He's singing with the greats now! Love you, Coach.*

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**Grateful Student** - September 26, 2024 at 10:38 AM



“ *Coach you will be missed. He was so cool, funny and very encouraging. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends. Fly High coach I will cherish your pep talks and encouraging me to be my best.*

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**Phene Adcox McCurry** - September 26, 2024 at 09:52 AM

GR

“ Coach Snow was a teacher to all 5 of my children at Cherokee in the early 2000s. They all loved him as a teacher and Coach. My prayers are with the family

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**Gina Ross** - September 26, 2024 at 09:34 AM

CM

“ Since we were children together, Mike was part of our whole lives. Our family, Rick, Don and Connie Mount were truly blessed.

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**Connie Mount** - September 26, 2024 at 09:29 AM

CL

“ Connie L. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Eugene Snow.

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**Connie L.** - September 26, 2024 at 09:19 AM

RB

“ I don't remember a time without Coach Snow in my life. Seeing him at church or family get-togethers, in PE class when I was in middle school, rolling his yard on Halloween, coaching my brother in basketball, our family reunion golf tournaments, and on and on. Always cutting up and having a great time. Always positive. Always smiling. We all loved him and loved being around him. Coach Snow is an all-timer. Since moving away, I hadn't seen him in awhile. I wish I had, and the world will miss him.

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**Randall Barnes** - September 25, 2024 at 10:29 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Eugene Snow.*



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September 25, 2024 at 08:52 PM



“ *The Basketball players of UTC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Eugene Snow.*

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**The Basketball players of UTC** - September 25, 2024 at 08:52 PM



“ *The WORLD lost a wonderful man. I met my husband in his gym on Friday morning line dance mornings. Coach made you run and work so hard it hurt, then he'd say "awww poor kid rub some dirt on it and you'll be fine". Today I now say that to my middle school baseball player. Thank you Coach Snow for caring about all of us millennial preteens back in the day. My condolences to his family, I can only imagine the pain you feel right now but please know you shared so much with all of us we can never repay you for. He will live on forever in our stories and memories. We (his former students) will forever be grateful for his love for each of us and how pure he truly loved and cared for every single kid no matter what. RIP Coach Snow we will love and miss you forever and always.*  
*Nick & Cari Voiles*

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**Nick & Cari Voiles** - September 25, 2024 at 07:34 PM

JM

“ Coach Snow was one of the best men I've ever he was tuff but fair at times and wasn't afraid to speak his mind. He loved his students , and enjoyed pushing you to do better. He will be greatly missed.

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**Jeremy McCoy** - September 25, 2024 at 05:41 PM

AT

“ Coach Snow was well loved by his students, past and present. I know both my girls just thought the world of him. My prayers are with his family. May God wrap his comforting arms around them during this difficult time and know their loved one will be missed. With my deepest sympathy.

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**Arlene Tapp** - September 25, 2024 at 05:34 PM

BH

“ Coach snow was the best teacher I ever had, I remember in P.E. he loved listening to Vince Gill and dancing. When coach got cancer the first time all his students in our class came together and bought him a Boston Celtics blanket, they were his favorite basketball team, I was recently told by his niece that he still had and used that blanket on the regular, coach snow touched so many lives and made a huge impact on mine. I will miss him dearly, he is gone but will never be forgotten. He was a legend and a legend never really dies, he will live on thru all of us that knew and loved him. Rest easy coach snow ! Prayers for all his family and friends, former students.

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**brandy hatmaker-jenkins** - September 25, 2024 at 04:49 PM

CF

“ Coach Snow always wanted good for his student's he was good at trying to help shape the young students in to making better decisions. He use to love to run all of us kids to the classic rock song Low Rider. He will be missed and remembered in the hearts and minds of everybody that knew him. God bless his family , all his friends , and all his PE students past like me and present students as well.

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**Curtis fritts** - September 25, 2024 at 04:46 PM

TD

“ This news hit me hard today💔💔 Coach Snow meant so much to me and was my favorite coach/teacher. He left a lasting impact that is still apart of me today, as I was just talking to my son about him yesterday. I'm so thankful to have had him in my life back then, because he pushed me and encouraged me to be the best version of myself. I'll remember most how he cared, and how grateful I am to have had a SAFE, caring, positive, tough when needed, role model to boys AND girls. He would check in on me and always try to help me reach my full potential. Thank you Coach for everything! Go run free on the other side, I'll see you when I get there.. But I still won't run that mile😁👍💔💔

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**Taylor Dickerson** - September 25, 2024 at 03:16 PM

TB

“ Good Man...

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**Troy Beets** - September 25, 2024 at 02:36 PM

RG

“ Coach snow was a great man he will be missed but not forgotten. He is in heaven now with a glorified body with no pain or cancer walking on streets of gold. Prayers are going up for everyone.  
Rickey. Gallaher

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**Rickey Gallaher** - September 25, 2024 at 02:25 PM

JW

“ I was thinking of Coach a few days ago. My girls are in middle school, and Coach was a huge influence on me. He was tough on us and pushed us, but he was always a kind person. A small part of me misses getting him wound up just for fun :). We'll miss you Coach!

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**Jon Woodall** - September 25, 2024 at 02:02 PM

BA

“ My condolences go out to Coach Snows family and friends ❤️ May he rest in paradise ☐ 🟪

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**Baylee** - September 25, 2024 at 01:49 PM

BM

“ I didn't get to meet Mike until a few years ago but felt like I knew him most of my life. I grew up a UTC basketball fan and he was a star player when I started going. The announcer would call his name like "Mike Snoooooow" when he made a basket, often from the corner. We would emulate that on the playground as kids yelling Mike Snoooooow when somebody made a long one. I finally met Mike a couple years ago, glad I did....RIP buddy.

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**Bob Mulkey7** - September 25, 2024 at 01:23 PM

TH

“ Coach Snow was the best PE teacher I have ever had he made me over come a lot if fears and helped me become the person I am today and I have so many favorite memories from volleyball to dancing every Friday morning in the gym and I think the most emotional one but I'm happy I did was dancing on the field to coaches favorite dance and seeing him again he will forever be remembered as a legend and praying for the family RIP coach until we meet again



Terrylyn Hawkins - September 25, 2024 at 01:03 PM

DJ

Thank you Mike for being my friend. Peace brother.  
Doug Jackson

Doug Jackson - September 25, 2024 at 07:23 PM

CM

I grew up with Big Red and Eddie. Many times I rode home from our basketball practice and games. Never will forget him. My brother Eugene went several times to see him play at UTC. Was very proud of him. I would yell big red and he would turn around to see and then he would know we was there. Always like to shoot basketball with him. We went to church all our young years together at Union Baptist Church I. Our little tight community. Fly high Big Red.

Carolyn Gallaher Mayes - September 29, 2024 at 01:52 PM

DP

Mike Snow was one of a kind. As an educator and a coach he had such a lasting and positive influence on so many young people, including my own sons. It was so heartbreaking for me to see him suffer the last couple of years. His friends and I made sure to tell him how much we loved him before his passing. He always told us how much he loved us in return. Having a friend like Maxie was truly a gift and blessing. Most men can only dream of leaving a legacy like Coach Snow. I sure hope he gets to teach and coach in heaven, because the angels will surely flock to him, much like the young people of Roane County!

Doug Plemons - September 30, 2024 at 09:52 AM