



Mr. Donald Eugene Boley

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Mr. Donald Eugene Boley, age 86, of Newport, passed away Thursday morning, May 25, 2017 at Newport Medical Center.

He attended Tennessee Tech on a football scholarship and graduated with a degree in Education. Upon graduation, Don served his country in the United States Army. After his time in the Army, he went on to serve his community. Don was a teacher and football coach at Cocke County High School and a principle at Del Rio Elementary School. He also worked for ten years as the personnel manager at Vernco and held the position of Cocke County Clerk for twenty years before retiring in 1994.

Don was a member of Providence Baptist Church. He was also an avid fisherman and longtime member of the Bassmasters Club. In addition, he was a member of the Kiwanis Club.

He was preceded in death by his son Christopher Boley; brother Edward Boley and multiple half-brothers and half-sisters,

Survivors include his wife of sixty-two years Emma Jean Boley of the home; daughters Kimberly (John) Whitmore of Johnson City and Alicia (Scott) Stinson of Del Rio; grandchildren Jodi (Jeff) Holland of Greeneville, Christopher Whitmore of Johnson City, Emily Stinson and Tyler Stinson both of Del Rio and sister-in-law Carolyn Boley of Roanoke, Virginia

The funeral service will be held 2:00 p. m. Sunday afternoon, May 28, 2017 at Providence Baptist Church with Rev. Scott Gorrell officiating. Interment will be in Union Cemetery

The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the church prior to service.



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The family would like to thank the staff of the Newport Medical Center and Smoky Mountain Hospice. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Providence Baptist Church or the charity of one's choice.



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RD

Rhonda Duncan posted:

Kim, Don't know if you remember me but I was Rhonda Mantooth and married Tim Duncan, Gene and Rose's son. Tim and I were always good friends with Chris and we used to come to your Mom and Dad's all of the time. I so loved them both. They were always so kind to us. My thoughts and prayers for your family during this most difficult time.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

RO

Randall Odell posted:

Alicia and Scott, we are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

RF

Ray Fancher posted:

Don Boley-a good man.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

RH

Randall & Anna Jane Holt posted:

We are so sorry for your loss may God bless all of the family

September 23 at 11:30 AM

AM

Alice Ford Miller posted:

So sorry to hear about Don, he was a fine man and will be greatly missed... Prayers for your family...

September 23 at 11:30 AM

DS

Doris Stokely posted:

Emma\r\nSo sorry for your loss, I will always remember the days at Del Rio School when Don was principal and how nice he was to me.

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BD

Bud& Linda Dawson posted:

So very sorry for your loss. Keeping the family in our prayers.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

GM

Gail Metcalf posted:

Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss, gail

September 23 at 11:30 AM

WL

Woody And Tura Lawson posted:

Sorry to hear about about Don; our thoughts and prayers are with you.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

MT

Mae Testerman posted:

Emma, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers for you and your family..

September 23 at 11:30 AM

CW

Charmaine Witt posted:

I am sorry to here about your dad would love to see you.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

LF

Lori Allen And Family posted:

We are so sorry for your loss and are praying for the whole family. We love you.

September 23 at 11:30 AM



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LB

Lonnie Butler posted:

A few words of tribute to one of the very finest public leaders Cocke County has ever known: Don Boley was a man of great intelligence, integrity, ability, and energy. He was one of the most thoroughly, genuinely good people I ever had the privilege of knowing, and his passing is a tremendous loss to us all. My deep sympathy to Mrs. Boley and all his other family and friends.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

MB

Michael Bradshaw posted:

Sorry for the loss of a great mentor. Mr Boley gave me a few lessons in the bass boat. He will truly be missed. It was an honor to fish with such a great man.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

BA

Bob Arnold posted:

Sorry Emma, always admired Don for his care for his fellow man.

September 23 at 11:30 AM

EM

Emma Mooneyham posted:

Don helped me so much by giving me a job at Vernco which they later changed the name to Emerson I had seven small children to feed and I will forever be grateful I worked from the time he hired me until it closed Praying for all the family so sorry for your loss - Emma Mooneyham

September 23 at 11:30 AM

RR

Ronald Robeson posted:

So sorry to hear of Coach Don's passing. He was one of my favorites at CCHS. I will always remember he and Coach Phillips taking me grouse hunting in the DelRio mountains. I thought we would be back home by noon and didn't pack a lunch. They shared theirs with me and I was totally exhausted when we returned home.

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WL

Woody And Tura Lawson posted:

We are sorry to hear about Mr. Boley.

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PC

Phyllis Walker Combs posted:

so sorry for your loss, and you will be in our thoughts and prayers

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DS

Darlene Tracy Surrett posted:

Sending thoughts and prayers

September 23 at 11:30 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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