



# Lanny Whitman McCormack

January 29, 1950 - May 2, 2024

Lanny Whitman McCormack of Prospect, Tennessee passed away Thursday evening on May 2nd, 2024, at his home in Giles County. He was born on January 29th, 1950 in Colbert County, Alabama and was 74 years old.

Lanny was a loving brother, father, and grandfather. He was a helicopter pilot for the U.S. Army in Vietnam and a C-141 pilot for the United States Air Force. He was a farmer and retired from NOAA. Lanny enjoyed fishing, reading, and spending time on the boat.

A private celebration of his life will be held at a later date.

Memorial donations are suggested to the Giles County Public Library c/o 122 S 2nd St, Pulaski, TN 38478.

Lanny was preceded in death by his parents, Zollie Whitman and Evelyn Jenette McCormack, and nephew, Whit McCormack.

He is survived by,

His brothers, Terry Zollie (Kathy) McCormack of Killen, Alabama.

Bartt Randall (Stacy) McCormack of Pulaski, Tennessee.

Daughter, Mary Nash McCormack of Campbellsville, Tennessee.

Son, Hunter Whitman (Angela) McCormack of Eads, Tennessee.

Grandchildren, Estella, Brew, Piper, Harper, Abigail, and Ellis

Nephew, James McCormack

Nieces, Jenna McCormack, Shannon Nelson

Along with Al, Conner, Blake, and Evan.

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of the arrangements for Lanny Whitman McCormack.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Phil Wright-Van Alst lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack*



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**Phil Wright-Van Alst** - June 24, 2024 at 05:14 PM



*We flew together in Viet Nam. It was always a pleasure to fly with him. Great Pilot and fun to be with.*

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**Phil Wright-Van Alst** - June 24, 2024 at 05:16 PM

JN

“ *Jacelyn Creekmore Nesbitt lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack*



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**Jacelyn Creekmore Nesbitt** - May 14, 2024 at 11:53 AM

TS

“ *Tammy Stafford lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack*



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**Tammy Stafford** - May 08, 2024 at 09:43 AM

VB

“ Vickie Whitfield Burwell sent a virtual gift in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack



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**Vickie Whitfield Burwell** - May 08, 2024 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Gina Smith lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack



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**Gina Smith** - May 07, 2024 at 10:20 AM

CH

“ Cathy Hagood lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack



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**Cathy Hagood** - May 06, 2024 at 11:02 PM

AH

“ Lord, I can't believe this one !!! This man was one of a kind. Me and my son Abel would play with his dog Blackey and shoot the crap on his back porch while my sister Rebecca Stewart cleaned his house on prospect road. We met him through a guy named Richard. Him and Richard had a falling out but he d ride over my mom's house in Elkton on baugh road and visit us and that's wen my dad Rickey Holley was alive. He had a huge soy bean farm. I mean huge. We knew his ex wife Dawn that worked at post office too. I also met his mother before she passed away wen I worked at keystone Hewitt house n Pulaski, TN. My son Abel Holley and I Ashley Holley loved his tree swing. He d tell us stories in the war he was in and all kinds of exciting stuff. Maybe back then had him a vodka tonic or two. He will be dearly missed. He was one of a kind. My dad Rickey Holley will have someone to talk to now in heaven. Love,Pat,Ashley,Abel,and Rebecca from Elkton TN. And Pulaski,TN



Ashley Holley - May 06, 2024 at 09:29 AM

AH

*There was never a dull moment with Laney.*

Ashley Holley - May 06, 2024 at 09:30 AM

DH

“ Deborah B Hopper lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack



Deborah B Hopper - May 06, 2024 at 07:45 AM

MK

“ *Max And Paula Kirk lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack*



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**Max and Paula Kirk** - May 05, 2024 at 07:25 PM

CW

“ *Carl (Woody) Woodard lit a candle in memory of Lanny Whitman McCormack*



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**Carl (Woody) Woodard** - May 05, 2024 at 11:14 AM