



## Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.

July 28, 1940 - August 7, 2021

Lebanon, Tennessee 81

Passed away at Vanderbilt Hospital Nashville.

Leroy Crawford Jr., 81, age Lebanon, Tennessee passed away peacefully with family by his side on Saturday August 7, 2021.

Mr. Crawford was born July 28, 1940 to Leroy Crawford, Sr. and Josephine (Berry) Crawford in Issaquena County, Mississippi. As a child, Leroy enjoyed a lively childhood with his sister and brothers in the Mississippi Delta. As a teenager, he excelled in sports (baseball) and later pursued his interest for veterinary and animal sciences. Leroy was passionate about equine and bovine specialties.

Leroy is survived by his loving, supportive wife Gladys of 42 years; sons: Leroy Crawford, III, Glen (Tracy) Crawford, Michael Crawford, Mark (Camaesha) Crawford and Derrick Crawford; daughters: Dorthea (Curtis) Clay, Barbara (Troy) Barnes and Adrian (Jeffery) McDaniel; thirty two grandchildren (32): Bethanie, Byron, Cederrica, Cameron, Danielle, Darien, Denita, Fredrick, Frederick, Jackie, Javon, Josiah, Kaiden, Kevin, Kiera, Latoya, Madison, Mark Jr., Matthew, Michkalyn, Rashad, Rashonda, Raven, Sharon, Shederick, Sherita, Sienna, Sonya, Sydney, Trenata, Tyrese and Zachary; twenty-two great grand children (22); two great-great grandchildren (2); sister, Louella (Eugene) Bell; brother, Willie Charles (Carolyn) Cole and many loving nieces, nephews and extended family. Leroy was a devoted husband, father,

grandfather, great grandfather, great-great grandfather, brother, mentor and friend to all.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Maurice Crawford; and three brothers: Hulon Crawford, Albert "Bo" Walker and Levi Crawford. Leroy retired five years ago as a horse trainer and roping clinic extraordinaire and remained an important, integral part of the Charlie Daniels Band (CDB) and Twin Pines Ranch family. He was an avid, dynamic team roper. Also he enjoyed fishing, traveling, collecting vintage stamps and coins and spending time with family and friends. Leroy was always there to help and encourage others and his knowledge and skillset were unmatched. Throughout his entire life, he held an unwavering faith and love for God which he shared with those around him. His caring, warm personality brought so much joy to the many lives he touched. He will be fondly remembered and greatly missed.

In observance of the CDC guidelines, and in light of the COVID-19 Delta Virus Variant we are still practicing 6-foot social distancing. Mask requirement and temperature checks strictly enforced.

The family understands that due to the current concerns regarding large gatherings, many who wish to show their love and support in person will be unable to do so. Please leave your condolences online.

Therefore, they would like to express their gratitude for all the thoughts and prayers extended to them at this time.

We encourage you to leave condolences to the family via our website at [www.neublemonumentfuneralhome.com](http://www.neublemonumentfuneralhome.com).

Please keep the Family in your prayers.

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Grove Cemetery

609 South Maple Street  
Lebanon, TN 37087

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Neuble Monument Funeral Home, LLC  
1330 Bluebird Road  
Lebanon, TN 37087  
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## Visitation

AUG 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

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AUG 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Neuble Monument Funeral Home, LLC created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*



Neuble Monument Funeral Home, LLC - August 12, 2021 at 01:41 PM

JS

*LOVE AND MOST GRACIOUS GOD IS JUSLIFIED IN WHAT EVER HE DOLOVE TO LOELLA BELL SIS AND FRIEND AND INTIRE CRAWFORD FAMILY LOVE YOU REST IN PEACE IWILL HAVR MY HORSE OFGLORY TO CHASE YOU ALLWAYS KEEPLOOKIN TO THE LLS WHECE COMETH OUR HEALTH. LONG TIME SIS AND FRIEND*

JULA LAKE STEWART - August 12, 2021 at 03:52 PM

SC

*Prayers for this wonderful family.glen, pep, Gladys we have shared some good times and praying for your heart and mind may god bring you peace and all the wonderful memories that was shared. Gladys keep the faith hold on to the memories that yo and Leroy shared for so many years love you and the children and lifting you all up in prayetingt*

sandra bass carter - August 14, 2021 at 02:32 PM



“ *Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*

January 29, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ *Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*

January 29, 2023 at 07:58 AM



“ *Our Condolences and prayers for your family*



*Sylvia Jackson*

*Shirley Jobe Bates*

*Gladys Rhone*



**Sylvia Jackson** - August 14, 2021 at 06:11 AM



“ *Family Im sorry I couldn't be there to share your grief but know that I feel your pain. Leroy and I grew up together as close as any sister and brother could be. He was fondly known as Pep to us. May God bless and comfort you all.*

**Willie Mae Webster Stewart** - August 14, 2021 at 01:11 AM



“ *Gladys's you and your family have my deepest sympathy.*

*Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.*



**Teresa Turner** - August 12, 2021 at 10:37 AM

JA

“Glen, Derrick and the entire Crawford family, Leroy has been a good friend for many years. He has been a good influence for lots of people giving sound advice about roping, horsemanship and life in general. We will keep you in our prayers as he will surely be missed!

*Jack, Joe, Chandra, Clark and Shara Adcock*

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**Joe Adcock** - August 12, 2021 at 07:25 AM

AG

“Condolences for Mr. Leroy's family. We have known him for a long time and he never aged. We always wondered what his secret was so we attributed it to good genes. He will surely be missed. The word "team roping" will never be mentioned that his name will not come up. Prayers for all of you.

*Tim, Angela and Ramsey Goolsby*

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**Angela Goolsby** - August 11, 2021 at 08:55 PM

MP

“Mike Piper sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.



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**mike piper** - August 11, 2021 at 04:55 PM

MP

*In my prayers, he was truly nice man and will be missed.*

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**mike piper** - August 11, 2021 at 04:58 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..



August 11, 2021 at 03:51 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..



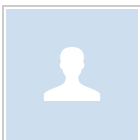
August 11, 2021 at 12:08 PM



“ To Gladys, Adrian (Jeffery) to whom are My Church Family, LeRoy to me was a true Cowboy and Horse Trainer. So many wonderful Memories when You lived in Rutherford County. Trust in the Lord with All Your Heart and lean not to Your Own Understanding but in All Your Ways acknowledge Him and He will Direct Your Path. Take Your Rest My Friend, May You Rest in Peace.

*Diane Patterson and family*

**Diane Patterson** - August 11, 2021 at 10:33 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..



August 11, 2021 at 10:31 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 10, 2021 at 10:43 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 10, 2021 at 08:46 PM



“ *Yolander Coggins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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**Yolander Coggins** - August 10, 2021 at 05:29 PM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 10, 2021 at 10:15 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 10, 2021 at 09:04 AM



“ *Our hearts are sadden with your loss. Leroy was an amazing man. We always enjoyed the time we have spent with him. He loved his family and give of himself to others. We'll miss him. May God bless and comfort the family. Rest in Peace my cousin. Donnell & Fannie B Smith*

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**Donnell & Fannie B Smith** - August 09, 2021 at 10:35 PM



*Am going to miss my friend n cousin hard to believe he gone his smile time for other God got him well done you have run your race we still at the starter line B-bless Pep Gladly he's alright now he at peace*

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**Mose Hearron His cousin** - August 11, 2021 at 07:18 AM



“ *Jimmy Dale & Dorothy McCaleb purchased the C rystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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**Jimmy Dale & Dorothy McCaleb** - August 09, 2021 at 06:29 PM

BE

“ Thinking of the entire Crawford family and remembering the many years I have the privilege of working with Leroy - a true friend!  
Prayers - Bebe Evans

Bebe Evans - August 09, 2021 at 04:51 PM

BS

“ Heaven has gained a tremendous horseman, and we have lost a man who touched many a soul here on earth. The lessons he taught me are still with me. I was very blessed to have worked with him.

Barbara Santomauro  
Belle Valley Ranch

Barbara Santomauro - August 09, 2021 at 04:05 PM

EC

“ Praying for peace during this difficult times.

Evelyn Cason - August 09, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..



August 09, 2021 at 01:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 09, 2021 at 01:42 PM



“ *Shawn Jobe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*



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**Shawn Jobe** - August 09, 2021 at 08:46 AM



“ *Shalanda Donnell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*



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**Shalanda Donnell** - August 09, 2021 at 07:52 AM



“ *Much Love Verna P. Crawford purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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**Much Love Verna P. Crawford** - August 08, 2021 at 09:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 08, 2021 at 08:38 PM



“ *Mary A Woods lit a candle in memory of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr.*



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**Mary A Woods** - August 08, 2021 at 08:25 PM



“ *My Soul Lives On Blanket was purchased for the family of Mr. Leroy Crawford Jr..*



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August 08, 2021 at 07:02 PM