



## T. M. Howard

November 1, 1922 - June 5, 2010

Thomas Marshall "T. M." Howard, 87, of 502 Tolar Rd., passed away on Saturday, June 5, 2010 from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Born in Pickens County, he was the son of the late Marshall M. and Elydia Anna Phillips Howard. Mr. Howard was retired from Cryovac, was an Army veteran of WWII with the 3rd Armor Division-Tank operator, and was a charter member of Foothills Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife of 61 years, Elnora Looper Howard; daughter: Wanda Howard Bishop; son: Thomas A. Howard and his wife Leah; grandchildren: Jonathan T. Bishop, Joshua B. Bishop, Reagan E. Howard, and Payton E. Howard.

He was predeceased by a brother, William E. Howard, and two sisters, Nancy E. Jones, and Sara E. Haddon.

The family will receive friends Tuesday evening from 6 until 7:30 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral service will be Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary Chapel, with burial to follow at Grand View Memorial Gardens.

The family will be at 502 Tolar Rd., Travelers Rest, SC 29690.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at [www.thehowzemortuary.com](http://www.thehowzemortuary.com).

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest is in charge of the arrangements. (864) 834-8051.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 8. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Service

JUN 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ Dear Tommy & family,  
I am sorry to hear of the tragic loss of your father. Remembering you  
in prayer. Melinda Griffin West###imported-begin##Melinda Griffin  
West###imported-end##

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June 11, 2010 at 07:06 PM



“ Mr. Howard's family: I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Howard's death. I  
delivered meals on wheels to he and Mrs. Howard, and he always  
was such a delightful gentleman. The last time I saw him he shared  
with me his wife's health situation, I hope she is feeling  
better.##imported-begin##Audrey Linke##imported-end##

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June 10, 2010 at 08:16 PM



“ Dear Elnora, Wanda, Tommy and family,  
I am praying for you for strength and courage to face the future  
without T.M. He was a great man in my opinion. He not only was my  
partner in playing duets ( piano and banjo) when I was young but  
He also came to my rescue when I didn't have anyone else to help  
me. I know He is in Heaven and we will see Him again when we get  
there.  
Again, You are in my prayers.

Mavis Cain Pittman###imported-begin##mavis cain  
pittman###imported-end##

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June 10, 2010 at 11:13 AM



“ Dear Wanda and Family,  
I am very sorry for your loss.  
You and your family are in my prayers.  
Sincerely,  
Joe Ready##imported-begin##Joe Ready##imported-end##

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June 10, 2010 at 06:51 AM



“ Mrs. Howard and family,  
I was so saddened to hear about the loss of Mr. Howard. He was always a kind neighbor. Both Mr. and Mrs. Howard have been so good to look out for my great-grandmother and grandmother; for that I will be forever thankful. Mr. Howard will be missed. Your family is in my prayers.##imported-begin##Scotti (Evatt) Henson##imported-end##

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June 09, 2010 at 10:39 PM



“ Wanda,  
  
I am so sorry to hear about your Dad. Please know that I am lifting you and your family up in my prayers. Please let me know if there is anything you need.  
  
Charlene##imported-begin##Charlene Weems##imported-end##

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June 09, 2010 at 10:01 PM



“ My prayers and thoughts are with the family at this time. May God hold you closer than before.##imported-begin##Marie Abercrombie##imported-end##

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June 09, 2010 at 12:37 PM



“ Mrs. Howard, Wanda and Tommy,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss.  
Please know that you are in my prayers and thoughts.  
I have been thinking about you the last couple of days and remembering when we were all young at Ebenezer Baptist Church and all of the good times we used to have.  
We were all one big family at that time.  
Please know that your Dad is with mine, in Heaven with Jesus, like they used to be together at church.  
Bless each of you and I will keep you in my prayers.##imported-begin##Judy Duncan Huffman ##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 04:28 PM



“ I am very sorry about T.M., my thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.love, julia##imported-begin##Julia Whitfield##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 03:31 PM



“ TM will be greatly missed by all who knew him. I remember when Tommy and I first started coming to Foothills, TM was one of the first to make us feel at home. A wonderful, kind man!  
Pat Bryant##imported-begin##Pat Bryant##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 01:47 PM



“ Tommy, Wanda and Family, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of TM. Wow--what a shock. I adored your dad/grandad. I was a member of Foothills Church with him for many years and have great memories of him. He definitely loved the Lord and I kinda smile when I think that he has met Jesus. What an amazing thing-- hopefully that gives you some comfort.  
My prayers are with you all. Dawn##imported-begin##Dawn Smith Brenneman##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 01:42 PM



“ i am sorry about your lost##imported-begin##peggy oliver##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 01:36 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with all the family. We loved Mr.Howard and want to share comforting words for all of you. (Cancer Centers of the Carolinas, Radiation)##imported-begin##Lucia Wilkes##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 10:10 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of Mr Howards passing. It was in the 60's we were neighbors and such good ones you were. Tommy and Wanda we visited with your mom and dad a little over a year ago and how proud he was of you and the grandchildren.We pass this way but once and Mr. Howard certainly was an example of a life given to the One who loves us most. God Bless each of you.##imported-begin##Phyllis & Charles Metz##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 09:58 AM



“ Tom,

*Sorry to hear of your dad's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Mike and Beth Farmer##imported-begin##Mike Farmer##imported-end##*

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June 08, 2010 at 09:32 AM



“ *Wanda and Family, I am so sorry to here about the loss of your father. You are in my prayers. Sharon##imported-begin##Sharon Belk##imported-end##*

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June 08, 2010 at 09:07 AM



“ *TM was such a kind and sweet man. He was one of the first welcoming hands and faces at Foothills when we first joined, and his warm, rumbly grumbly voice was a pillar of the choir. I was honored to have known him.*

*My heart and prayers are with Mrs. Elnora and the family during these sad times.##imported-begin##Brad Carraway##imported-end##*

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June 08, 2010 at 08:24 AM



“ *May the Lord be with you during your time of loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of the family.##imported-begin##Pamela Hodgens Corbin##imported-end##*

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June 08, 2010 at 07:15 AM



“ So very sorry to hear about Mr. Howard. He was such a sweet and wonderful man. You all are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Mary and Jerry Holmes##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 07:01 AM



“ Tom, Wanda, and families.  
Our hearts are with you at this time. We pray that you find comfort. Your Dad was an amazing, sweet and funny man. His eyes shown how proud he was of his family. We may not be there physically but we are there in our hearts. Love you all.##imported-begin##Lynn, Tony, Camryn and Kyle##imported-end##

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June 07, 2010 at 05:28 PM



“ Wanda and Tommy,  
I am so sorry to hear about your father. Your parents have been wonderful neighbors to my mother, Ray and my daddy. I will always remember T M out in the yard where he loved to work. He was such a gentle, kind and loving man. My prayers and thoughts are with your mother and both of you.##imported-begin##Debbie Timmons Chambers##imported-end##

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June 07, 2010 at 04:19 PM