



Tommy R. Cole

September 15, 1936 - September 3, 2024

Thomas Randolph “Tommy” Cole, 87, lifelong resident of Slater, SC went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, September 3, 2024, after an extended illness.

Born September 15, 1936, in Laurens, SC, Tommy was the son of the late Wilbur Martin Cole and Elizabeth Annadelle (Baber) Cole. He was a Veteran of the US Air Force, worked in the transportation industry and was a member of Slater Baptist Church.

Tommy is survived by his wife of 68 years, Anne Hampton Cole; sons: Mark A. Cole and wife Sandy and Bryn P. Cole and wife Sybile; 3 grandsons: Nathan Cole, Brantley Cole and Dr. Justin Cole and wife Alley and 2 great-grandsons: Anthony Cole and Ethan Cole.

A special thank you to his “Angel on Earth” caregiver, Sybile Cole, and Gentiva Hospice for their extraordinary care.

A visitation will be held on Saturday, September 7, 2024, from 1:30 p.m. until 2:20 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary in Travelers Rest. Funeral service will follow the visitation in The Howze Mortuary Chapel beginning at 2:30 p.m. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, please honor Tommy’s memory with memorials to Slater Baptist Church, P.O. Box 243, Slater, SC 29683. (www.slaterbaptist.com)

Cemetery Details

Private Burial

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 1:30 PM - 2:20 PM (ET)

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

Service

SEP 7. 2:30 PM - 3:15 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel
6714 State Park Rd.
Travelers Rest
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
thehowzemortuary@yahoo.com

Tribute Wall



“ *The Howze Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Tommy R. Cole*



The Howze Mortuary - September 07, 2024 at 12:23 PM

PH

“ *Pat Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Tommy Cole*



Pat Hawkins - September 15, 2024 at 06:22 PM

DT

“ *Much much love and many prayers ❤️
I'm so sorry I missed the service today. My thoughts have
been with all of the family.
Debrah Vance Tran*



Debrah Vance Tran - September 07, 2024 at 04:01 PM

BC

“ *Bryn, I'm so sorry to hear about your dad's passing. I remember him so well from
camping in your backyard when we were little kids. Please know that I am
thinking of you and your family. Ben Cleveland*

Ben Cleveland - September 07, 2024 at 08:59 AM

PH

“ *Pat Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Tommy Cole*



Pat Hawkins - September 07, 2024 at 12:47 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Tommy R. Cole.*



September 06, 2024 at 04:14 PM

LC

“ *Love, Alley and Cathy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Tommy R. Cole.*

Love, Alley and Cathy - September 06, 2024 at 04:14 PM

DP

“ *Anne and family, I am sorry for your loss and I am remembering all of you in prayer. May God bless and strengthen you in the coming days.*



Daria Pittman - September 05, 2024 at 07:42 PM

DG

“ *Prayers to the Cole family*

Dennis Gillenwater - September 05, 2024 at 05:30 PM

JC

“ *RIP Tommy. You are going to be missed. Praying for your family.*



Janet Chandler - September 05, 2024 at 01:16 PM

TM

“ *Praying for the family.*

Tony and Angie McCarson - September 05, 2024 at 08:44 AM

PH

“ Pat Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Tommy Cole



Pat Hawkins - September 04, 2024 at 11:36 PM

AB

“ AnnieMae Blackburn lit a candle in memory of Tommy Cole



AnnieMae Blackburn - September 04, 2024 at 09:44 PM

BJ

“ I am so sorry !! Mr Cole was a sweet man. Hes now rejoicing in heaven !! He has been healed !! I will be keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers !💜🙏💜



Bernice Talley James - September 04, 2024 at 05:27 PM

JG

“ Janet Buchanan Gravely lit a candle in memory of Tommy Cole



Janet Buchanan Gravely - September 04, 2024 at 05:00 PM