



## Roy Croley

July 4, 1929 - July 19, 2017

CROLEY, Roy age 88, of Waynesville and formerly of Knoxville, TN, passed away Wed. July 19, 2017.

Roy was a veteran of the US Navy and retired from NCR. A family man that loved to sing and be the jokester of the group, he was a very considerate and down to earth guy. He loved his country music, especially the WSM radio station. More importantly his kind and trusting demeanor is something everyone loved, especially when he would quote John 3:16.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Fannie Croley in 2015; an infant daughter; his parents Ed (Nanny) Croley; two brothers Jim and Ike Croley; and one sister Bea Cherry. He is survived by two sons Gary (Cynthia) Croley and Dan (Kathleen) Croley; one daughter Debbie (Curtis) Mullins; five grandchildren Benjamin and Brian Phillips, Eric Croley, Adam Croley, and Michael Croley; and five great grandchildren Benjamin Phillips, Issabella Croley, Emmitt Croley, Cassi Croley, and Olivia Croley.

A graveside service will be 2PM Sat. July 22 at Lynnhurst Cemetery in Fountain City, TN. Stubbs-Conner Funeral Home, Waynesville is serving the family. Condolences at [www.stubbsconner.com](http://www.stubbsconner.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Lynnhurst Cemetery

2300 Adair Dr.  
Knoxville, TN 37918

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUL **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CA

“ My uncle Roy was such a sweet father, husband, brother, son and a very special uncle to me! He was born on July 4th and I was born on July 5th. He always made the joke that he was a firecracker and I was a dud! He also had a great voice and loved to sing. He is now in heaven having a reunion with aunt Fannie, my dad, uncle Ike, aunt Bea, mamaw and papaw, plus tons of others! We will miss him, but will see him one day in the sweet bye and bye. ❤️

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**Connie Croley Ashford** - July 21, 2017 at 04:36 PM

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*I met Roy and Fannie while working in Knoxville, Tn. They were a special couple and so kind to me and others. I have missed their company and spending time with them. Even though their health was declining they still enjoyed life and each other. I think of them often and wish all the family their best. Fannie spoke so often of the children and grandchildren.*

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**Sandy Sloop** - August 14, 2017 at 06:03 AM

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“ Yesterday, I was remembering Roy quoting John 3:16. I will never forget him singing love songs to Fannie. Not many men do that, but he loved her so much. When I was younger, I loved walking across the street to visit them both. Roy always made me laugh. He was so easy going with a gentle nature. So many memories....he has been reunited with his cherished wife. - Stephanie wilson

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**STEPHANIE WILSON** - July 21, 2017 at 11:53 AM

VY

“ Dennis and I are so sorry to hear about your dad. Prayers coming together you and your family

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**vicki yokers** - July 21, 2017 at 10:24 AM