



## Tommie Large Reagan

September 23, 1928 - November 3, 2025

Tommie Large Reagan, age 97 of Strawberry Plains, passed away at home on Monday, November 3, 2025. Tommie was born on September 23, 1928, in Jefferson County, Tennessee. Tommie was the sixth child of Paralee Snyder and John Sherman Large.

Tommie graduated from Rush Strong High School and completed a cosmetology degree at Knoxville School of Beauty. She was a beautician, worked in the packing department at Magnavox in Jefferson City, was a caregiver and church volunteer. Tommie was a member of the First Baptist Church, Knoxville. She was married the love of her life, Russell Eugene (Gene) for almost 67 years.

Tommie is survived by her three daughters; Charlotte (Jim) Damewood, Mary Lou Apple, Emagene Reagan; 3 grandchildren, Benjamin David (Jen) Cook, Wendi Cook (Stephen) Pelfrey, John Horst; and 3 great grandchildren, Brice Robert Pelfrey, Zena Margot Cook and Brady William Pelfrey. She is preceded in death by her husband, parents, siblings, son-in-law James Apple and infant grandson Joey Damewood. Special thanks and appreciation to Covenant Hospice. We will always be grateful for Donna, Cyndee and Kelley for their special care for Mom.

The family will receive friends Sunday, November 9, 2025, from 12:30 – 2:00 pm at the First Baptist Church of Knoxville (510 West Main Street). A memorial service will follow the visitation. Dr. Brent McDougal and Susan Tatum will officiate the service. Tommie will be laid to rest in a private graveside at Pleasant Grove Piney Baptist Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Gideons International for Bibles, P.O. Box 1452, Knoxville, TN 37901 or Women On Mission at First Baptist Knoxville 510 W. Main Street, Knoxville, TN 37902.

Tommie will be remembered for her generosity, sweet smile, calligraphy handwriting, encouraging card ministry, sewing abilities, crafts (cross-stitch, quilts, knitting), amazing cook, who always prepared enough food to share with family, friends, neighbors and anyone in need, and volunteer work with local and international missions. Fielden Funeral Home is honored to serve the Reagan family.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Grove (Piney) Cemetery

2660 Piney Road  
New Market, TN 37820

# Previous Events

## Receiving of Friends

NOV 9. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Knoxville  
510 W. Main Street  
Knoxville, TN 37902

## Memorial Service

NOV 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I know Tommie will be missed by many. My heart goes out to her family

*Kevin Rainfisher.*

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**Kevin Rainfisher** - November 25, 2025 at 04:37 PM

JF

“ Tommie and I worked together at Magnavox for several years. She was a dear friend and a delight to be around. Enjoyed our many conversations.

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**John French** - November 07, 2025 at 07:22 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Tommie Large Reagan.



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November 06, 2025 at 11:40 AM

JM

“ Joe Myers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Tommie Large Reagan.

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**Joe Myers** - November 06, 2025 at 11:40 AM

CG

“ Aunt Tommie was so special to me and my daddy. I'll never forget going to the house on Fridays for her to do grandmothers hair. I especially remember being given an orange and a straw to drink its juice. I'm sure heaven got a whole lot sweeter! I love you all.  
Christie Large Gideon

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**Christie Gideon** - November 03, 2025 at 09:20 PM