



Okie Earl McDowell

May 14, 1940 - September 27, 2025

Okie Earl McDowell age 85 of Blaine, Kentucky passed away Saturday, September 27, 2025, at Community Hospice Care Center in Ashland, Kentucky.

Mr. McDowell was born May 14, 1940, in Lawrence County, Kentucky a son of the late Okie and Gretta Boggs McDowell.

Earl was of the Baptist faith and retired as a telephone lineman working for various companies over the years. He enjoyed working on old cars and spending time with his family and friends.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by one daughter; Tammy Skaggs, two grandchildren; Jeffery Allen McDowell and Letamara McDowell. Siblings; Burl, Gary, and Larry McDowell, Betty Hickman and Myrtle Wells.

He is survived by his children; Jeffery McDowell (Grace), Randy McDowell, Rodney McDowell all of Blaine, Kentucky, Lesea Willams (Edward) of Martha, Kentucky, Christopher McDowell of Blaine, Kentucky and Angelea Jones of Isonville, Kentucky, twelve grandchildren, several great grandchildren and great grandchildren along with a host of extended family members and friends who will sadly mourn his passing.

Private services will be held at the request of the family.

Whitt & Sons Funeral Home in Sandy Hook in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family and friends. May God bless and comfort.* ”



Sen. Walter "Doc" Blevins - October 01, 2025 at 10:04 PM

GS

“ *Dear Family, just wanted you to that Terry and I loved Earl. He stopped here a few times and Terry took him home or wherever he was headed. I saw him at the store often and always talked to him. I could see a gentle soul and very humble. Just wanted to speak some kind words about him, and let you all know we cared about all the McDowell family.* ”

Garnett & Terry Skaggs - September 30, 2025 at 12:39 PM

LB

“ *Lonnie And Donna Fay Barker lit a candle in memory of Okie Earl McDowell* ”



Lonnie and Donna Fay Barker - September 30, 2025 at 01:14 AM

BA

“ Sorry for your loss,,❤️&🙏,for family and friends,



Ball - September 29, 2025 at 06:12 PM

PP

“ *Patty Barker Porter lit a candle in memory of Okie Earl McDowell*



Patty Barker Porter - September 29, 2025 at 05:12 PM

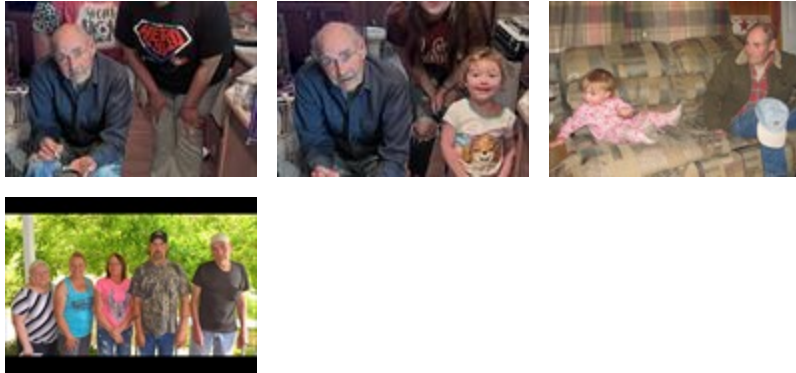
CW

“ *Really going to miss having coffee with Uncle Earl. He was so good to Mom and Dad before they passed. Love and prayers for his family.*

Carolyn Wells - September 29, 2025 at 05:02 PM

CR

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



carrie randolph - September 29, 2025 at 04:51 PM

PC

“ Prayers for y'all from The Clester Family



Pam Clester - September 29, 2025 at 04:49 PM

JS

“ Jennifer Sparks lit a candle in memory of Okie Earl McDowell



Jennifer Sparks - September 29, 2025 at 04:22 PM