



Mr. Carl Francis Cotten Sr.

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Carl Francis Cotten Sr. passed away October 25, 2015. He was a proud graduate of Isaac Litton High School class of 1956. He was the owner of Carl Cotten Roofing for over 60 years. As a young man he was a “bat boy” for the Nashville Vols and met his future wife Shirley at the Sulpher Dell ballpark. He coached little league football for many years. Carl was an avid golfer and a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

He is survived by his wife Shirley; his son Carl Jr. (Sheila)Cotten; daughter Sherry (Johnny) Hesson; grandchildren John (Brandee) Garrison, Adam Jones, Brandi Hesson, and Carl “Boo” Cotten III; great-grandchildren John Garrison III, Madee Garrison, and Ruger Garrison; brother Ronald (Kathleen) Cotten; and sister Patsy Large.

A Visitation for friends and family will be held Wednesday, October 28, from 12-8 pm and Thursday from 10 am until service time at 1 pm. A Celebration of Life will be held Thursday, October 29 at 1:00 PM. All services will be at Spring Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery 5110 Gallatin Rd. Nashville, TN www.springhillfh.com (615)865-1101



Events

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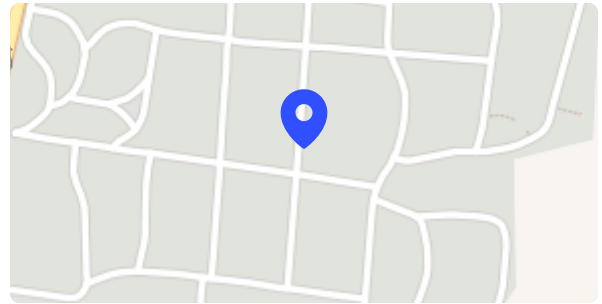
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Visitation

 **Wednesday**, October 28, 2015

 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM CT


 **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216

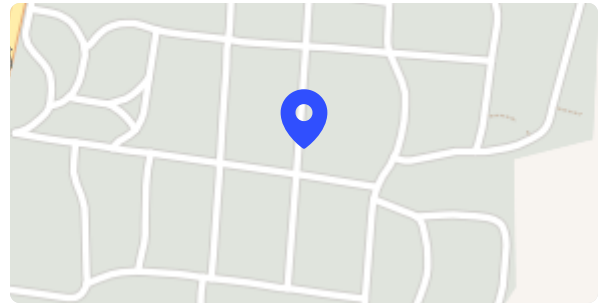


Visitation prior to Ceremony

 **Thursday**, October 29, 2015

 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM CT


 **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
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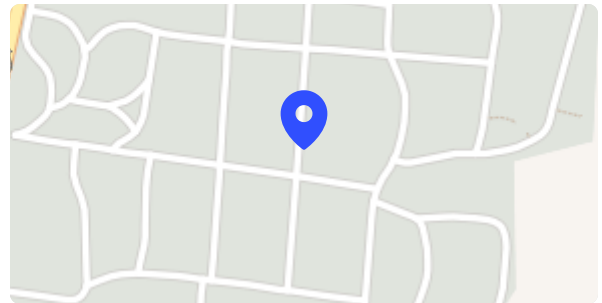


Celebration Of Life Funeral Ceremony

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 1:00 PM CT

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Tribute Wall

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PD

Pat Rinehart Dickens lit a candle in honor of Carl.

Please accept my sympathy and condolences. Carl was a good friend and classmate to both me and my late brother, Hugh Rinehart. Most of all, he was a gentleman. In our Yearbook of 1956, in his "last will and testament" he "left to marry Shirley" I remember writing that with Cleta Jones (Szoke). We felt that was appropriate then and proved to be a true prediction. He did marry Shirley and they have a wonderful family to carry on his memory. Although I cannot be there for his service, he will not be forgotten. Sincerely, Pat Rinehart (Dickens) Class of '56



October 28 at 8:33 AM



Anonymous sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Cotten family.



October 28 at 8:17 AM

RW

Rooster Wright posted:

I hope that you can find some comfort in your many special memories and in the thought of the happy years you shared. Thinking of you, Rooster Wright

October 27 at 10:56 AM

TR

Tracy posted:

Pa Cotten was the best second dad a girl could ask for. Love always, Tracy Fry Lineberger

October 27 at 10:50 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Cotten family.



October 27 at 7:24 AM



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Sarah Burns lit a candle in honor of Carl.



October 27 at 2:44 AM



Jim & Jan Muse posted:

Sending you deepest sympathy and wishing you peace and comfort. As you know the Bible offers us so much comfort and hope. (Isaiah 26;19) also Acts 17;31 Hold on to the many memories of your dear loved one, Mr. Cotten. Our thoughts are with you.

October 26 at 1:52 PM



Melanie Welborn lit a candle in honor of Carl.



October 26 at 1:11 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Carl by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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