



Steven Barry Tudor

April 29, 1953 - July 7, 2021

Steven Barry Tudor was born on April 29, 1953, and died on July 7, 2021. He is survived by his wife Cathy, nee Estep, daughter Amy, son Steven, daughter-in-law Jamie, granddaughters Atley Grace, Ava Claire, and Amelia Jean, brother Terry Tudor, sister Cathy Tudor Forester, niece Hayley Forester, cousins Peggie Wells, Martha Waid Nichols, and Beth Bell (David) Arnold. He is preceded in death by his father Billy Joe Tudor and his mother Gladys Bolles Tudor.

Steve and Cathy met at MTSU as members of the celebrated Sacred Harp Singers and were married at Inglewood Baptist Church in Nashville on July 28, 1978. They were a ministry team through music their entire marriage. After Cathy was critically injured in a car accident in 2019, Steve was a passionate and tireless caretaker throughout her recovery and rehabilitation.

Steve never met a stranger, and never hesitated to go out of his way to help someone in need. Many people have a story about a time Steve's generosity and expertise made the difference during a hard time, and being able to help people brought him great joy. Steve dedicated his life to serving others as a pastor, youth pastor, and music director. He was blessed with a spectacular voice, and he loved to share his gift through his ministry, leading the congregation in hymns, directing the choir, and through many solos and duets with Cathy. Outside of church was no different, and no holiday or family

gathering was complete without Big Steve leading everyone in a few songs. Bringing people to the Lord was his greatest priority in life, and he carried a worshipful heart with him everywhere he went.

He coached his children in football, soccer, and baseball as soon as they were old enough to join a team, and continued his enthusiastic support through Amy's college playing and softball coaching career, rarely missing a game within driving distance. When she led her team to the 2021 NCAA Regional Championships in Athens, GA, their biggest fan was in attendance. "It was the most fun I've had in a long time," he said of the tournament. "I loved it." The greatest pride in Steve's life was his three granddaughters, who will remember their Pops beaming with encouragement and love and making a joyful noise unto the Lord.

Visitation is 1:15-3:00; funeral service at 3:00 at the Petersburg Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Burial will follow at Old Orchard Cemetery, Petersburg.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Cathy Tudor's relief fund to help her get back on her feet.

<https://gofund.me/71abacbc>

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 11. 1:15 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Petersburg Cumberland Presbyterian Church
333 Russell St
Petersburg, TN 37144

Funeral Service

JUL 11. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Petersburg, TN 37144

burial

JUL 11 (CT)

Old Orchard Cemetery
Petersburg

Tribute Wall



“ *Steven Barry Tudor*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Shocked to hear about Steve but know he is with the Lord- prayers for you all- always loved to see you all- he was always happy- praying for God's comfort*

billy and cindy gibdon langford - July 11, 2021 at 11:38 PM



“ *My heart hurts for the family, but rejoices that Steve is in the arms of our Lord. I'm sure Dennis is waiting with open arms. Steve was always the same no matter where you saw him, with a smile as big as the sky. We enjoyed his sermons at Belfast Baptist. His voice would give you chills because when he sang it came from his heart and soul. This community lost a great man, but heaven gained an Angel.*

Sherry Williughby - July 11, 2021 at 11:56 AM



“ *It was great meeting Steve and getting to know him this year 2021. We talked a lot of the protection of God Almighty through the previous year of Covid-19. He was very sure of his faith. I was so happy to see the fruit of God the Holy Spirt in his life.*

Matt and Lisa Bixel , Bremen Indiana

Matt Bixel - July 10, 2021 at 09:11 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.



July 10, 2021 at 01:46 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant* was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.



July 10, 2021 at 12:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.



July 10, 2021 at 11:18 AM



“ *Rose Romanesque Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.



July 10, 2021 at 09:47 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.*



July 09, 2021 at 11:16 PM



“ *Todd, Rebecca and Blake Stewart purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.*



Todd, Rebecca and Blake Stewart - July 09, 2021 at 08:45 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Steven Barry Tudor.*



July 09, 2021 at 04:10 PM