



Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr.

January 5, 1947 - March 19, 2023

Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr., aka “Coach Ezell”, of Graceville, Florida went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, March 19, 2023. Born January 5, 1947, he was the son of Nathan and Louise Ezell, longtime Graceville residents.

He was a 1965 graduate of Graceville High School and a 1969 graduate of The University of Montevallo, where he was inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame. Henry was an educator, administrator and basketball coach within the Jackson County School System for over 25 years. He was a faithful member of the Graceville First United Methodist Church and enjoyed singing in the choir (with his favorite sister-in-law, Brenda). He was an avid golfer and Alabama fan, “Roll Tide”!

Preceded in death by his parents, father-in-law and mother-in-law W. C. and Irma Revell and brother-in-law Stuart Jones.

He is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Sue Revell Ezell, two children Jarrett Ezell and Jodi Morgan (David), sister Carol Ann Ezell, many nieces and nephews. He was the best Poppy to Judson, Claudia and Mary Claire Morgan.

A Home-going service will be held 11 a.m., (CDT), Wednesday, March 22, 2023, at the First United Methodist Church in Graceville with Rev. Dean Moore

officiating. Burial will follow in Marvin Chapel Cemetery with James & Lipford Funeral Home in Graceville directing. Family will receive friends at the church Wednesday, 10 a.m. until time of the service.

The family would like to express our thanks for the wonderful care given by Centerwell Home Health. If desired, flowers are welcome or family request those wishing to make memorial contributions in Henry's memory to Centerwell Home Health 2491 Commercial Park Drive Marianna, Florida 32448 or to the First United Methodist Church P.O. Box 376 Graceville, Florida 32440.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church of Graceville
1111 8th Avenue
Graceville, FL 32440

Home-going Service

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Tribute Wall

KR

“ Sue, we are so sorry to hear about Henry. Our prayers for you and your family. I have fond memories of you both with all the school activities at Cottondale High. Our sincere condolences for you all.
Lou and Kathy Peacock Roberts

Kathy Roberts - March 23, 2023 at 08:42 PM

SB

“ Sue, Our thought and prayers are with you and your family. Steve Baxley Family.

Stephen L Baxley - March 23, 2023 at 10:16 AM

KF

“ My sweet cousin Henry, rest in peace with our Lord. Keep a look out for mom, because you know she will be waiting to pinch your ears
❤️

Kathy Fleming - March 22, 2023 at 02:48 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..



March 22, 2023 at 11:35 AM

JH

“ Henry was a great guy to work with, one of my favorites. The Ezell family is in my heart and prayers.

Jane Campbell Hayes - March 22, 2023 at 08:24 AM

SR

“ My condolences to the family, I have known coach Ezell for many years he was my high school principal at cottondale high. Then years later we were co-workers until he retired, he will be missed. May the lord comfort you and the family. Stephanie Russ and family

Stephanie Russ - March 21, 2023 at 10:38 PM

DB

“ Loved talking with him when he visited Westgate Tennis Center! He was such an interesting man! I'll miss him!

Don Bryan - March 21, 2023 at 10:33 PM



“ My Soul Lives On Blanket was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..



March 21, 2023 at 09:02 PM

RO

“ I'm sending my deepest condolences to Henry's family. I always enjoyed talking to him about history, and he shared many fun stories with me. Robin O'Sullivan

Robin O'Sullivan - March 21, 2023 at 02:37 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..*



March 21, 2023 at 12:46 PM



“ *I had the privilege of working with Henry for many years. I considered Henry and Sue to be dear friends. Sue I am so sorry for your loss. You and Henry were a special couple. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you, Joanne*



joanne everett - March 21, 2023 at 12:46 PM



“ *We felt a special friendship with Henry and Sue. They were always there for Joan and me if we ever needed help. We will miss Henry very much and will always be there for Sue if she ever needs us.*

Jack and Joan Deaner - March 21, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..*



March 21, 2023 at 12:16 PM

SO

“ God bless all of the family at this very sad time. Love to all, Jim and Susie Owen

Susie Owen - March 21, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..



March 21, 2023 at 11:21 AM

BT

“ My love and prayers to Sue and the family!

Brenda Toole - March 21, 2023 at 09:31 AM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..



March 21, 2023 at 09:03 AM

CT

“ Sue, we are so sorry about the loss of Henry. I know he was your soulmate. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers and Henry is now in the arms of the Lord. You two were always standouts at GHS and loved by everyone.

Children of Melton & Vernell Tindel - March 21, 2023 at 08:57 AM

BF

“ *Barbara Folse purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..*



Barbara Folse - March 21, 2023 at 08:21 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Henry Nathan Ezell, Jr..*



March 20, 2023 at 09:01 PM