



## Johnny Benedict

July 12, 1924 - July 12, 2018

Johnny Benedict, 94 years of age of Indian Creek of Virgie passed away Thursday, July 12, 2018 in Harrodsburg. He was born, July 12, 1924 at Wolfpit, to the late Steve and Susan Benedict.

Johnny was a retired school teacher with the Pike County School System having taught at Virgie High School for 33 years, a member and Deacon of Virgie Baptist Church, a member of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association, a Kentucky Colonel, Pike County rescue squad for a number of years, life member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and Disabled American Veterans.

Johnny served in the United States Army during WWII in Europe, in the Korean War and the Army Reserves. He retired in 1976 with 33 years of service as an Lieutenant Colonel and received a number of medals, awards and letters of commendation.

Besides his parents he was preceded in death by his wife; Margaret Deskins Benedict, one brother; Steve Benedict, six sisters; Elizabeth Kennard, Mary Brummett, Hilda Benedict, Erma Reynolds, Rosa Long and Goldie Benedict. Johnny is survived by two daughters; Jonna Benedict and her son, Adam Johnson of Harrodsburg, Lisa (Kevin) Campbell and her children; Ben and Grace Campbell of Bowling Green and a host of special nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 1:00 PM at the Hall and Jones Funeral Home with Bill Blackburn officiating. Burial will follow in the Benedict Family Cemetery at Virgie. Visitation will be Saturday from 5:00 PM to 8:00

PM at the Hall and Jones Funeral Home of Virgie.

# Cemetery Details

## Benedict Family Cemetery

Virgie, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUL 14.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Hall and Jones Funeral Home  
1101 Hwy 610, P.O. Box 85  
Virgie, KY 41572  
(606) 639-4367  
hallandjones@live.com  
<https://hallandjones.com>

## Service

**JUL 15.** 1:00 PM (ET)

Hall and Jones Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Johnny Benedict*

October 09, 2023 at 03:57 AM



“ *Johnny Benedict*

January 28, 2023 at 12:16 PM



“ *Wayne Milam lit a candle in memory of Johnny Benedict*



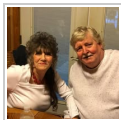
**Wayne Milam** - July 29, 2018 at 08:26 AM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy, To a True Great Friend.  
From Ed Roberts and the Late Russel and Edgil Roberts.*



**Norman James Roberts** - July 18, 2018 at 05:56 PM



*so sorry for your loss, he was my algebra teacher and he made sure we kept our grades up in his class*

**Barbara Ratliff** - July 18, 2018 at 06:15 PM

FR

“ he was a gentile giant a true patrot stern but was for your best i loved his class  
may he rest in peace

frank - July 17, 2018 at 08:23 PM

CJ

“ Johnny was my favorite teacher at Virgie High School. He was strict and tough but always fair. To me, he was a hero. He always stood for what he believed in and for what was right. He will be missed by all who knew him God bless you Johnny.

Charlotte Johnson - July 15, 2018 at 05:40 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hall and Jones Funeral Home - July 14, 2018 at 12:01 PM

AJ

“ So sorry for the loss of your dear Dad.  
Memories will comfort you in days to come.  
Wish we could there at this time but our arms  
are around you and your family with love and  
prayer .



Al & Joyce - July 13, 2018 at 11:19 AM

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“ *Scotty Wright lit a candle in memory of Johnny Benedict*



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**Scotty Wright** - July 13, 2018 at 07:39 AM

BA

“ *Billy And Sharon Akers lit a candle in memory of Johnny Benedict*



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**Billy And Sharon Akers** - July 12, 2018 at 05:04 PM