



James Ben Robbins

January 16, 1945 - September 23, 2019

James Ben Robbins, 74, passed away on Monday, September 23, 2019, at Moody Farms in Louisville, Mississippi. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday, September 25 in the Nowell Massey Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jason Gross and Rev. Mike Ingram officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, September 25, from 12 noon until service time at Nowell Massey Funeral Home in Louisville. Rev. Willie B. Moore and Rev. David Keen will preside over the graveside services with interment immediately following in Good Hope Cemetery.

James was born in Winston County, Mississippi on January 16, 1945 to Ben and Needham Moore Robbins. He was a faithful member of Good Hope Baptist Church and was so good to visit those in need whether taking food or performing tasks they were unable to do. He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed various activities such as fishing, rabbit hunting, and gardening—especially growing peanuts and tomatoes. James adapted well to change...he could skillfully use his cellphone and was learning to text! He loved his family dearly particularly his grandchildren and great-grandchildren and tried to never miss any activities in which they were involved. For about 15 years, he worked for H. C. Price in New Orleans, Louisiana, and Galveston, Texas, in pipe construction. He began his Big Red career in 1979 and retired from Taylor Machine Works after 36 years in 2015. James loved to work and he loved to help others.

James is survived by his loving wife of 55 years Marie Pickett Robbins; and his children Stephanie Hatcher and husband Johnny and Pat Robbins and wife Susan all of Louisville. One of his greatest joys was being “Papaw” to his grandchildren Daphanie (Jason) Pippin and T. J. (Mary Margaret) Robbins as well as his seven great-grandchildren: Brayden and Kiptyn Massey; Hayden, Hatcher, and Anna Marie Pippin; Jace Douglas and Luke Benjamin Robbins. He is also survived by three sisters: Barbara Fulcher, Rebecca (Aron) Williamson, and Geneive Walker. Also left to mourn his passing is a host of extended family including nieces, nephews, and friends in addition to his beloved beagles. He was preceded in death by his daughter Daphanie Marie Robbins; his parents; three brothers: G. P., J. L. and Thomas Carter “Sonny Boy” Robbins; and three sisters: Myrtis Bates, Joy Gressinger, and Bonnie Walker.

Serving as pallbearers are Johnny Robbins, Tommy Earl Robbins, Larry Robbins, Bobby Robbins, Chris Moody, and Dennis Hoskins. Honorary pallbearers are Bobby Moody, Wayne Moody, Allen Hailey, Buddy Fulton, Rickey Williamson, and the members of the Men’s Sunday School class at Good Hope Baptist Church. Memorials in honor of James may be given to Winston-Choctaw Gideon Camp, P. O. Box 556, Louisville, MS 39339.

Services are under the direction of Nowell Massey Funeral Home, 724 North Columbus Avenue, Louisville, MS. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family by signing the guest register at www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Good Hope Baptist Church Cemetery

12956 Highway 490 East
Louisville, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Massey Funeral Home
724 N. Columbus Avenue
Louisville, MS 39339
(662) 773-3501
nowellfuneral@bellsouth.net
<https://www.masseyfuneralhome.net/>

Service

SEP **25**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Nowell-Massey Funeral Home Chapel
724 N Columbus Ave
Louisville, MS 39339
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Tribute Wall



“ *James Ben Robbins*

January 29, 2023 at 06:32 AM



“ *Prayers for Marie and James family and loved ones, from an old classmate of Nanih Waiya High School Margie Robertson Hart.*



Margie Robertson Hart - September 25, 2019 at 01:45 PM

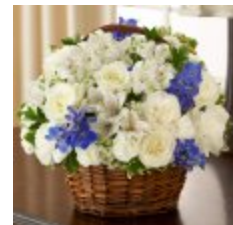


“ *Our prayers are with your family.*

Mrs. LD Hill, Quinton & Diane Hill - September 25, 2019 at 10:23 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of James Ben Robbins.*



September 24, 2019 at 09:54 PM

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“ *Sandra Harn lit a candle in memory of James Ben Robbins*



Sandra Harn - September 24, 2019 at 08:54 PM

AD

“ *I'm sorry for your loss, and the loss for all family and friends.*

Angela "Angie" deHart - September 24, 2019 at 06:03 PM

JM

“ *Mr James will be missed. Prayers for the family.*

joy and mark marro - September 24, 2019 at 05:09 PM

Grace
Marrs

“ *So sorry for your loss Marie. Thoughts and prayers coming your way.*

Grace Marrs



Grace Marrs - September 24, 2019 at 03:55 PM

SW

“ *To Marie and James' loving family: So sorry to hear of James death. He was one of a kind, as you know and will be sorely missed by all those who knew him. You are in our hearts and prayers. Shirley Whitehead & Bud Rogers*

Shirley Whitehead - September 24, 2019 at 03:04 PM

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“ *He loved his children and grandchildren very much...He was always smiling when they were near!
He was a kind loving man with a beautiful family, and will be greatly missed. Love and prayers for you all.*

Nona Renaud - September 24, 2019 at 01:32 PM