



## MR. CHESTER BEN

January 27, 1951 - January 24, 2026

Funeral services for Mr. Chester Ben will be held at 10 AM Friday, January 30, 2026 at Pearl River Facility Building with Rev. Ricky Thompson, Sr. officiating. Interment will be in Old Canaan Cemetery. Visitation will begin at 9 AM Thursday, January 29, 2026 at Pearl River Facility Building. John E. Stephens Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Ben, 74, passed away on Saturday, January 24, 2026 at Baptist Jackson. He was a member of Bethany Baptist Church and enjoyed watching his grandkids play ball, fishing, hunting, and Spending time at the casino.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Gempson Ben and Mamie Bell Comby; other family, Viola and Whitman Johnson.

Survivors include daughters, Alicia Wheeler, Doris Ben, Melinda D. Ben; sisters, Carolyn Gibson, Mary Comby, Martha Comby; brother, James Ray Johnson; 11 grandchildren, 1 great-grandchild.

Pallbearers are Skylar Ben, Tony Steve, Andrew Sockey, Miguel Triplett, Derek Charlie, Sidney Billie. Honorary pallbearers are Kyler Jefferson, Dale Wheeler, Denzel Mingo.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 9:00 AM (CT)

Pearl River Facility Building  
258 INDUSTRIAL ROAD  
CHOCTAW, MS 39350

## Funeral Service

JAN 30. 10:00 AM (CT)

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258 INDUSTRIAL ROAD  
CHOCTAW, MS 39350

## CEMETERY

JAN 30 (CT)

Old Canaan  
Edinburg, MS 39051

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ *Mavis Hickman lit a candle in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN*



Mavis Hickman - January 28 at 05:03 PM

LT

“ *LT lit a candle in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN*



LT - January 28 at 02:24 PM

TR

“ *Prayers go out to the family and always remember him as a bus driver. RIP.*



Tracey - January 27 at 01:51 PM

SA

“ *Sally Allen sent a virtual gift in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN*



Sally Allen - January 27 at 12:48 PM

KD

“ Sorry to hear of Chester's passing. When he was bus driver he always came through to brighten everyone's day. He was so patient and good with the children. My prayers are with the family.



Kate Dearing - January 27 at 12:25 PM

KF

“ Kathie Henry & Family lit a candle in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN



Kathie Henry & Family - January 27 at 09:50 AM



“ Debbie Thompson lit a candle in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN



Debbie Thompson - January 26 at 08:24 PM

MF

“ Martha Henry & Family lit a candle in memory of MR. CHESTER BEN



Martha Henry & Family - January 24 at 05:13 PM

MW

“ *I will always remember Chester driving his school bus and the care shown toward the children. He was a good man. May GOD richly bless his family.*

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**Marie Walker** - January 24 at 02:59 PM