



MR. JAMES LARRY COLLINS

January 15, 1950 - April 17, 2026

Funeral services for Mr. James Larry Collins will be held at 2 PM Monday, April 20, 2026, at John E. Stephens Chapel with Rev. John E. Stephens officiating. Interment will be in Mt. Olive Baptist Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4 PM – 8PM Sunday, April 19, 2026, at John E. Stephens Chapel.

Mr. Collins, 76, passed away Friday, April 17, 2026, at Baptist Anderson Hospital in Meridian, MS. He lived most of his life in Noxapater, MS and worked as a millwright, logger and bus driver.

Mr. Collins is preceded in death by his wife, Odessa Collins; daughter, Linda Collins; granddaughter, Tina Kelly; parents, Earl and Nora Collins; sisters, Pat Stephens, Teen Deweese, Pearl Miller, Lizzy Robertson, Ludie Smith; brothers, Bill Collins, Doc Collins, JR Collins, Jerry Collins, David Collins.

Survivors include his daughters, Trish “Man” Collins, Brenda Mackall (Jim), Jamie Lyons (Eric), Jean Elliott (James); son, James Larry “Bubba” Collins (Brenda); (16) grandchildren and (12) great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are JR Robinson, Frank Collins, George Collins, Donnie Collins, David Collins and Sunshine Hamilton.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **19**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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CEMETERY

APR **20** (CT)

MT. OLIVE CEMETERY - STEPHENSTOWN COMMUNITY
PHILADELPHIA, MS

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Archibald family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of MR. JAMES LARRY COLLINS.*



The Archibald family - April 19 at 04:53 PM

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“ *So very sorry for your loss. Praying for all of you. Renea Kugle and Pam Thomas.*

Pam Thomas - April 18 at 09:29 PM

JL

“ *John and Mary Linda purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of MR. JAMES LARRY COLLINS.*



John and Mary Linda - April 18 at 05:13 PM

JC

“ *I am so very sorry. Larry was an awesome neighbor and friend. Prayers for all of the family 🙏🙏🙏*

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