



MR. JAMES WILLIAM "BILL" YATES

August 3, 1939 - January 26, 2022

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR: MR. JAMES WILLIAM "BILL" YATES
WILL BE HELD: 2 PM SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 2022
AT: JOHN E. STEPHENS CHAPEL
INTERMENT: CEDAR LAWN CEMETERY
VISITATION: 4-7 PM SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 2022
AT: JOHN E. STEPHENS CHAPEL;

Funeral service for Mr. James William "Bill" Yates will be held at 2:00 pm Sunday, January 30, 2022 at John E. Stephens Chapel with Dr. Tommy Jennings and Pat Fiedler officiating. Interment in Cedar Lawn Cemetery. Visitation 4-7 pm Saturday, January 29th at John E. Stephens Chapel. Mr. Yates, 82, passed away Wednesday, January 26, 2022 at Anderson Regional Medical Center in Meridian, MS. He was born and lived in Neshoba County, moving to Jackson, then Texas and back to Philadelphia where he retired. He worked for Allstate Insurance over 30 years and was a computer analyst. Fishing, hunting and basketball was his favorite hobbies. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Preceded in death: Parents, Hugh Aaron Yates and RosaLee Luke Yates;
Wife, Patricia Yates; Sisters, Kathleen Mitchell and Becky Yates.

Survivors: Daughters, Kim Price (Cecil) of Philadelphia and Courtney Klotwyk (Chris) of Philadelphia; Sister, Janette Williamson of Philadelphia; Brother, Lynn Yates (Brenda) of Philadelphia; (4) Grandchildren, Bass Price

(Virginia), Cecily Kate Waltman (Lane), Jalen Klootwyk and Savanna Klootwyk.

Pallbearers: Bob Preister, Joe Nowell, Virgil Luke, Greg Moulder, Keith Yates, Lavern Green.

Honorary pallbearers: Robert Phillips, Sam Nowell, Claude Yates, James Luke and The Squirrel Camp Members.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **29**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Cemetery

JAN **30**.

Cedar Lawn Cemetery
Philadelphia, MS

Tribute Wall



“ *MR. JAMES WILLIAM "BILL" YATES*

November 16, 2022 at 12:23 PM



“ *Sorry we could not be there. Praying for you all.
Stephen Curtis, Amy Crenshaw & Family*

Amy Crenshaw - January 30, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ *Loyd and I were truly sorry to hear about Bill's passing. Bill always tried to come by and visit when we were home for a visit. Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family .*

Anna Kilgore Johnson - January 28, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ *To all the Yates family , I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Bill. He was a good person, always checking on others who were sick. May God give you the strength and comfort you need during this time. you are in my thoughts and Prayers.*



Lynette Moorehead - January 27, 2022 at 08:21 PM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of MR. JAMES WILLIAM "BILL" YATES.*



January 27, 2022 at 10:41 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Bill and I shared many happy times together especially with Uncle Hugh, Aunt Rosalie, and the rest of y'all. We also shared the same birthday. Well, same month and day at least.*

Our love to y'all.

Thomas (Butch) and Lillian Luke

Thomas Luke - January 26, 2022 at 02:33 PM