



MR. MERRICK LEE BACON SR.

August 26, 1987 - February 10, 2026

Funeral services for Mr. Merrick Lee Bacon, Sr. will be held at 2 PM Thursday, February 19, 2026, at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Mark Patrick officiating. Interment will be in Canaan Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery. Visitation will begin at 3 PM Tuesday February 17, 2026, at his mother's home, 483 Blackjack Road, Philadelphia, MS. John E. Stephens Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Merrick, 38, passed away on Tuesday, February 10, 2026, at Choctaw Health Center. He lived most of his life in the Pearl River Community. His hobbies included cutting hair, drawing, and spending time with his children and his family and friends.

He is preceded in death by his biological father, Richard Cotton, father, Willard Bacon, Sr, grandparents, Bonnie Willis, Sudie Mae John Willis, Lee Bacon and Connie Bacon.

Survivors include mother, Norma Willis Bacon; daughters, Teyana Hailey Bacon, Jada Lynn Bacon; sons, Merrick Lee Bacon, Jr.; sisters, Clymene Johnson, Courtney Bacon, Isley Mingo; brothers, Jeremy Bacon, Brandon Nelson, Rashad Bacon, Willard Bacon, Jr., Stevie Bacon, Montae Bacon, Kaiser Cotton; Aunts, Kathleen Phillips, Tressie Hembree; Uncles, Robert Cotton, Bobby Phillips, Brent Hembree; special friend Lindsey.

Pallbearers are William Tubby, Kenneth Willis, Brandon Willis, Dontae Bacon, Justin Peace Willis, Nigel Gibson, Jonathan Thumper Rattler, Kyle John and Josh Thomas.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 3:00 AM (CT)

Norma Willis Bacon -home
483 Blackjack Road
Philadelphia, MS 39350

CEMETERY

FEB 19.

Canaan Cemetery

Tribute Wall

SA

“ *Sally Allen sent a virtual gift in memory of MR. MERRICK LEE BACON SR.*



Sally Allen - February 18 at 10:08 AM

CW

“ *Cynthia Willis lit a candle in memory of MR. MERRICK LEE BACON SR.*



cynthia willis - February 16 at 09:50 AM



“ *My prayers are with his kids and family, condolences 🙏, Ricky was an amazing guy/friend to me in high school. I will forever cherish his friendship and the memories with him and the boys.*



Jescka Victor - February 15 at 03:07 AM

JS

“ *Jemison Solomon lit a candle in memory of MR. MERRICK LEE BACON SR.*



Jemison Solomon - February 14 at 10:30 AM

JM

“ Jackie M lit a candle in memory of MR.
MERRICK LEE BACON SR.



Jackie M - February 13 at 03:44 PM

SD

“ Stacy Dixon lit a candle in memory of MR.
MERRICK LEE BACON SR.



Stacy Dixon - February 13 at 02:07 AM

RW

“ Renee Wesley lit a candle in memory of MR.
MERRICK LEE BACON SR.



Renee Wesley - February 12 at 11:15 AM

KF

“ Kathie Henry & Family lit a candle in memory
of MR. MERRICK LEE BACON SR.



Kathie Henry & Family - February 11 at 02:45 PM