



## James Brent Graves

February 13, 1934 - August 21, 2020

James Brent Graves departed this life on Friday, August 21, 2020, at the age of 86 at the Mississippi Veterans Home in Oxford, MS. He was born on February 13, 1934, to Mansel and Willie Mae Graves in Ripley, MS. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict, owner of H G Electric Company, and was a lifelong member of the Beech Hill Church of Christ.

Brent leaves behind his two children, Scott Graves (Missy) of Ripley, MS, and Ginger Graves Jones (Chris) of Plano, TX; four grandchildren, Katherine Jones Kozyak (Ben) of Philadelphia, PA, Philip Jones (Casey) of Lucas, TX, Tara Graves Minnix (Mark) of Ripley, MS, and Ashley Graves of Ripley, MS; six great-grandchildren, and a sister, Jo Hayes of Ripley, MS.

He was preceded in death by his loving parents, Mansel and Willie Mae Graves, and brother-in law and business partner, J.W. Hayes.

A private family graveside service will be held Tuesday, August 25, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. at the Beech Hill Church of Christ Cemetery with Minister King McCarver officiating. Expressions of sympathy for the Graves family may be sent to: [www.mcbridefuneralhome.com](http://www.mcbridefuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

AUG 25 (CT)

Beech Hill Cemetery  
6077 Hwy 4  
Ripley, MS 38663

# Tribute Wall



“ *James Brent Graves*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *I always enjoyed the time I spent with Brent. He was one of my all time best friends. I'll always be grateful to him for his support and friendship. My deepest sympathy for all the family.*

**Mike Kuykendall** - August 25, 2020 at 04:34 PM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of James Brent's passing. May the Lord give you comfort in your loss.*

**Brenda Hopkins & Rita Hurt (Dawkins)** - August 25, 2020 at 10:58 AM



“ *You will always be remembered. Soar high and fly together with the angels.*



**Joveth Johnson** - August 23, 2020 at 03:02 PM



“ *Polly Jackson Stokes lit a candle in memory of James Brent Graves*



**Polly Jackson Stokes** - August 23, 2020 at 01:58 PM

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“ *Linda J Graves lit a candle in memory of James Brent Graves*



Linda J Graves - August 23, 2020 at 12:13 PM



“ *Wanda Smith lit a candle in memory of James Brent Graves*



Wanda Smith - August 23, 2020 at 10:19 AM



“ *Lois Watson lit a candle in memory of James Brent Graves*



Lois Watson - August 23, 2020 at 10:05 AM

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“ *To all of the members of Brent's family, my deepest sympathy. Brent was a great story teller and just a funny guy.*

Diane Taylor - August 23, 2020 at 09:31 AM

PH

“ *Pamela Hill lit a candle in memory of James Brent Graves*



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**Pamela Hill** - August 23, 2020 at 09:29 AM