



Joseph Truman James Jr.

May 17, 1939 - December 7, 2018

Deceased Name: Joseph Truman James, Jr.

Date of Birth: Wednesday, May 17, 1939

Date of Death: Friday, December 07, 2018

Funeral services for Joseph Truman James, Jr., 79 of Waterproof, LA will be held at Young's Funeral Home in Ferriday on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 10:00 AM with Rev. Larry Foster and Rev. Johnny Wilkins officiating.

Interment will follow at Legion Memorial Cemetery, Newellton, LA, under the direction of Young's Funeral Home.

Joseph Truman James, Jr. was born on Wednesday, May 17, 1939 in Ferriday, LA. and passed away Friday, December 7, 2018 at Merit Health Natchez. Joe was a lifelong resident of Waterproof and a Graduate of Waterproof High School. He was also a graduate from LSU in 1961 with a B.S. degree in agricultural engineering. Joe was married to wife, Frances for over 53 years. He was a farmer and cattleman in addition to owner/operator of Texas Road Gin Company. Mr. James has served on the following boards- Tensas State Bank for 28 years, Farm and Livestock Credit for 9 years, a charter member of Tensas Warehouse, a founding member of Tensas Academy and a member of St Joseph Methodist Church.

Joe was preceded in death by

Father-Joseph Truman James Sr.

Mother- Oliva Grant James

Wife-Frances Tillman James

Joe is survived by

Son- Joseph Truman James III "Jay" and his wife Roxanne of Waterproof, LA

Daughter- Julie Crigler and her husband Bill of St. Joseph, LA

2 Grandsons-Jon-Truman James and Ross Crigler

Granddaughter- Hannah James

Special Companion- Mona G. Kimball of Baton Rouge, LA

Pallbearers will be Jesse Clark, Mark Miller, Coy Pace, John Rife, Jon-Truman James, Ross Crigler, Will Manning and Paul Manning

Honorary Pallbearers will be Ben Riser, Bob Manning, Don McGhee Jr., Ernest Barece, Walter Hillard, Earl Bottley, Carl Frank Olds and Earl Ray Guin.

The family request that memorials be made to Tensas Academy, St. Joseph Methodist Church or Charity of your Choice.

Special thanks to Dr. Barry Tillman and the ER and ICU staff at Merit Health Natchez

The family will receive friends at Young's Funeral Home from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM, Monday, December 10, 2018.

Cemetery Details

Legion Memorial Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **10.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Young's Funeral Home-Ferriday
609 E.E. Wallace Blvd
Ferriday, LA 71334

Service

DEC **11.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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Ferriday, LA 71334

Tribute Wall

AP

“ Jay and Julie:
Just heard about the passing of your father, Joe. Please accept my condolences for you and the entire family at this very sad time. God bless you all.

Anthony Pavloff

Anthony Pavloff - December 11, 2018 at 05:59 PM

RI

“ Jay, Rox and all, our prayers and hearts are with you today. There are too many memories to choose one. We look forward to sharing time with you soon when we can remember Joe and Frances and the lovely family they have created. You are so dear, our thoughts are with you.

*all our love and blessing
Richard, Becca and all*

richard - December 11, 2018 at 01:38 PM

MB

“ So shocked to learn of his death. He was our dear friend. I pray that you will feel God's healing touch. Mary Kathryn Berry.

Mary K. Berry - December 11, 2018 at 09:53 AM

BY

“ Jay and Roxanne, we are so sorry to learn of Joe's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with y'all and your family during this time.
Beau & Paige Young

Beau Young - December 10, 2018 at 10:53 PM

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“ Jay and Julie, Please accept my condolences at the sad time for you and your family.
Hope Young

Hope Young - December 10, 2018 at 05:18 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph Truman James Jr..



December 10, 2018 at 05:12 PM

BR

“ Joe was really great person..I remember him and Frances coming by the bank and as soon as he saw me he would say there is Waterproof. Made me feel proud to come from there .he always treated me with the kindest respect. Waterproof was a better place because of him. Rest in Peace Joe. Your sweet one was waiting for you. Beverly Rushing

Beverly Rushing - December 09, 2018 at 07:08 PM