



Mr. James Edward Merriweather

May 4, 1949 - February 27, 2021

James Edward Merriweather, 71 years old, was born on May 4, 1949 in Medon, Tennessee to the late Rozell and Jennie Etta Merriweather. He was the fifth of eleven children, including four males and seven females.

James, or he was known as “James The Boy”, entered into Eternal Life on February 27, 2021 at Milan Community Hospital, Milan, Tennessee.

Reared with strong Christian values, James accepted Christ as His Lord and Savior at a very early age at Blairs Chapel C.M.E. Church.

James was educated in the Madison County School System as a member of the 1968 Class at West High School, Denmark, Tennessee. He became an avid saxophonist while at West High School

James was trained as a cement finisher by his Father, Rozell, and worked in the family cement construction business until his health failed.

He leaves a large cadre of relatives, representing five generations of children, grandchildren, siblings, nieces and nephews, who are encouraged to discover and seek to better understand what makes each of us different.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Rozell and Jennie Etta Merriweather; siblings: John L. Merriweather Sr., Ira J. Staten and Fannie Mae Merriweather; brother-in-law: George Love.

James had three children including Kimberly Merriweather, of Detroit, MI; Gregory Merriweather (Juliette), of Nashville, Tennessee; and Carmen Merriweather Fouche, of San Antonio, Texas. brothers: His Caretakers, Tommie Lee Merriweather, Sr. (Pamela), and Albert L. Merriweather (Mitiz); both residing in Medon, Tennessee; Sisters: Rolene Love and Lou Vata Collins, both of Indianapolis; Mary Helen Taylor (Ret. 1st Sergeant

Vernell), of El Paso, Texas; Dr. Teresa Merriweather Orok (Dr. Michael) of Franklin, Tennessee; and Bernice Mosely of Jackson, Tennessee. James also leaves a niece who was much more akin to a sister, Ms. Agnes Staten of Indianapolis; five grandchildren, including Robinson Gregory Merriweather, Madison Ilan Merriweather, Lillian Grace Merriweather (Gregory); and Darius Fouche and Lea Fouche (Carmen).

Further, James leaves a significant legacy consisting of more than 140 beloved nieces and nephews that span throughout five generations.

Cemetery Details

Blairs Chapel Cemetery

2293 Steam Mill Ferry Rd.
Jackson, TN 38301

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. James Edward Merriweather*

January 28, 2023 at 12:37 PM

TT

“ *Tracy Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Tracy Taylor - March 06, 2021 at 02:45 PM

SM

“ *Shelia Moten lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Shelia Moten - March 05, 2021 at 09:13 PM

NC

“ *Ncmcintee lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



ncmcintee - March 05, 2021 at 08:34 PM

LT

“ *Our condolences and prayers to the family of Mr James Merriweather.*



Lonnie and Charlotte Taylor - March 05, 2021 at 08:05 PM

PS

“ *Phyllis Staten lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Phyllis Staten - March 05, 2021 at 06:51 PM

EM

“ *Ekemini I. Orok, MD lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Ekemini I. Orok, MD - March 05, 2021 at 03:10 PM

MM

“ *Mitiz P. Merriweather lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Mitiz P. Merriweather - March 05, 2021 at 01:43 PM

AI

“ *Anceo Ingram lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Anceo Ingram - March 05, 2021 at 09:25 AM

TW

“ *I'm sorry to hear about your lost, much prayer for you all. Love Tracey Harden White. Collin's Rd. By way if Verona Ms.*

Tracey White - March 05, 2021 at 12:42 AM

NT

“ Nissan Smyrna Team purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Mr. James Edward Merriweather.



Nissan Smyrna Team - March 04, 2021 at 04:17 PM

GM

“ I am lil' Bo-gard....(signed son Greg Merriweather)...lol. Love you Dad, always. Thanks for LIFE.

Gregory Merriweather - March 04, 2021 at 09:24 AM

KM

“ Kayla Merriweather lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather



Kayla Merriweather - March 03, 2021 at 09:33 PM

AW

“ James will always be remembered for his smile and funny way of talking he will be missed but not forgotten Angela Walker



Angela Walker - March 01, 2021 at 07:23 PM

KB

“ Katie Bond lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather



Katie Bond - March 01, 2021 at 06:34 PM



“ *Virgie March lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Edward Merriweather*



Virgie March - March 01, 2021 at 12:34 PM