



Mr. James Benjamin Young

October 15, 1944 - March 27, 2020

James was born October 15, 1944 in Natchez, the son of Oscar Young and Mary Byrd. He was a cross-country truck driver until his retirement. Early in his adulthood, he met the love of his life, Doris Davis and together they raised seven children. James enjoyed fishing and watching westerns.

He is preceded in death by his love, Doris Davis, daughter, Codessa Davis, grandsons, Benjamin Davis, Jr. and Bryan Ford, Jr., parents, three sisters, Ruby Young, Betty Young, Shirley Thompson, and two brothers, Louis Young and Charles Young.

James leaves to cherish his memories, five sons, James Ford and wife Angela, Bryan Ford, Haqq Muhammad, Benjamin Davis and wife April and Louis Davis and wife Temika; one daughter, Joyce McCoy; four brothers, five sisters, eighteen grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Online condolences may be sent to www.westgatefh.com

Cemetery Details

Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery

1617 Martin Luther King Jr Road
Natchez, MS 39120

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. James Benjamin Young*

September 17, 2022 at 03:10 AM



“ *We miss you so much, you came to me in a dream the other day and I've haven't been right since..
May you get your rest 😞*

Tina Matthews - April 27, 2021 at 02:18 PM



“ *Shirley Mazique lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Benjamin Young*



Shirley Mazique - April 06, 2020 at 08:55 PM



“ *I'm going to miss you uncle Bimmer we had a bond that I will never forget you was always making sure i was happy when i was there never a dull moment when I seen you. Trips to natchez will never be the same. I love you*

Tiffany Byrd - April 05, 2020 at 07:55 PM

PP

“ *Pastor Prater lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Benjamin Young*



Pastor Prater - April 03, 2020 at 06:34 AM

PP

It was a pleasure to have met you! You were always smiling and very humorous as well as cheerful! You always practice spreading joy to others. RIP

Pastor Prater - April 03, 2020 at 06:37 AM



Thanks

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:35 AM

TH

“ *Rest In Peace grandpa...I'm gonna miss you so much. You were the funniest person I knew, even when you weren't trying to be. You would never be able to say my name correctly, so you called me Tirry. But I remember the last time I talked to you and Ma asked who I was and you said "that's Tirriney". I'll never forget you, tell Auntie and Grandma I love them. Love you forever ❤️*

Tirriney H. - April 02, 2020 at 02:16 PM



He sure did say your name for the first time. Shocked is all!

Tiffney Humphrey - April 02, 2020 at 06:07 PM



He Loved u as well my granddaughter ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:37 AM

DJ

“ Rest In Peace grandpa I will never forget about all those phone calls you made even though we were more than several states away. Every call you would ask if I had a girlfriend yet and you always had a humorous attitude that not many people got. I also will never forget the times when we would visit in the summer and you would give us some money nearly every time you saw us. I just know you and grandma are up there reunited right now I love you 🙏

DJ - April 01, 2020 at 10:51 PM



DJ he Loved to talk with u but most of all his Heart was BIG on Love for U ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:39 AM

KI

“ I love you Grandpa Bimmer, I hope you're having a good time with Grandma Doris and Aunt Codessa. I miss you very much and I remember when you use to tell jokes with Grandma Doris, it was really funny. I hope you tell jokes in heaven. I love you and please tell Grandma and Aunty Codessa I love them too. Love Kiyah.

Kiyah - April 01, 2020 at 10:48 PM

HP

Rest in peace Bimmer

Herestine pike - April 01, 2020 at 11:29 PM

HP

You'll have my heart felt condolences

Herestine pike - April 01, 2020 at 11:35 PM



My baby ur grandpa will still be telling those jokes, but most of all he Loved U 🥰

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:41 AM

OL

“ Papa I am really going to miss you . The times you called me at school & I answered for you just to hear you ask to speak to Lauren EVERY TIME . I love you so very much & Grandma, You & Teetee Dessa will always have a piece of my heart . Please don't get on Grandma nerves up there so she won't curse you out

Olivia - April 01, 2020 at 09:16 PM



Lol!!!!

Felicia McCoy - April 02, 2020 at 04:29 AM



Well Liv he will be so happy to be with them he might not say but these words HONEY I LOVE U but be glad that u had 2 grandparents that Love U ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:43 AM

TY

“ i'm going to miss you grandpa, i remember when i was a kid and you'd take me to ride 18 wheelers with you, the time you took me and grandma fishing, all those times you sent me 10 dollars on the weekend, and all the funny things you said to people and had everyone laughing. you had a sense of humor that may have been harsh for some, but all with intent to put a smile on everyone's face. i love you grandpa, Ty

Tyree - April 01, 2020 at 08:56 PM



He loved u 2 son ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:31 AM

CH

“Uncle, I am gonna miss you jokes and all the smiles you always put on our faces. I enjoyed the last time we talked and of course you and Uncle Bozo "janking" each other. I love and I am going to miss you". When I think of you I will always be smiling. Thanking God for our time together.



Cassandra Haynes - April 01, 2020 at 07:30 PM

BM

“I'm going to miss you Uncle. I used to see you just about every Saturday at our home on Old Washington Road when I was young. Telling jokes and keeping people laughing was your passion. I really enjoyed spending time with you last summer when I visited Natchez. Gone, but never forgotten..

💕 Brenda Thomas Miller

Brenda Miller - April 01, 2020 at 07:18 PM

HM

“ Dad,
Leader of the Bimmer gang! You have to be from Marblestone to know that one.
Not everytime when the end is near, we get long goodbyes. It's during that time we get to thank you for the weekly fishing trips with Marvin Gaye on the 8Track, the Friday movies mainly "Bruce Lee", and the Malt Shop. Thanks for not making us eat your favorite food, salmon and rice, Thank God Mom gave us a choice. You were a bad cook but a good father. I'll take a good dad over a good cook any day. We love you and happy God gave you 75 years to be father, grandfather, and great grandfather. You will be missed!

Haqq Muhammad - April 01, 2020 at 06:47 PM



“ Dad I'm going to miss you calling me every morning, lunch and dinner forgetting that I'm your son asking to speak to your granddaughters. Liv understands and Lauren just knows that you are in Heaven with her Grandma and Tee Tee. Thugga the time that you were here just know I was proud to be your son ,oh tell Moma and Dessa that it's been hard since they left ..1Luv L-Dog

Louis Davis - April 01, 2020 at 06:22 PM



“ I can't believe Kiyah and I won't be able to call you anymore and have you tell us jokes for hours. I do believe God called you home so that you can once again be with the love of your life. I'm thankful above all else that I got to call you my grandpa. The only grandad I ever had and the only one I'll ever need. I hope during our time together, I did you proud. Love you forever. "Tipney"

Tiffney Humphrey - April 01, 2020 at 05:48 PM



Chicken wang u made him proud His Love for u is special ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 04, 2020 at 05:51 AM

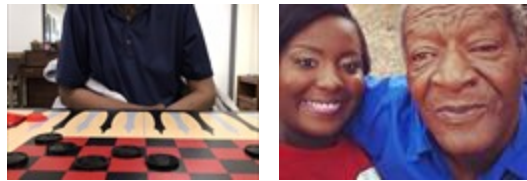


“ No more will I be able to bring u something to eat r take u to ur appointment,r just stop by to see if u was ok,it’s sad how heavy our hearts r right now but at least u can be with the LOVE of ur life n Ur Daughter no more pain ❤️

Joyce McCoy - April 01, 2020 at 05:36 PM



“ Grandpa, some of my favorite childhood memories were with you. I’ll never forget fishing with you and grandma. No one made us laugh as hard as the two of you. I’ll love you until the end of time. ❤️



Felicia McCoy - April 01, 2020 at 05:30 PM

WH

“ West Gate Funeral Home and staff extends our deepest sympathy to your family. May the memories that you have shared with your loved one bring you joy at this difficult time. We will continue to pray for your family.

West Gate Funeral Home - March 30, 2020 at 02:57 PM

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“ *West Gate Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Benjamin Young*



West Gate Funeral Home - March 30, 2020 at 02:55 PM