



James Maynard Hester

September 4, 1938 - January 5, 2022

James M. "Slim" Hester, 83, Tuscumbia, passed away on Wednesday, January 5, 2022. There will be a graveside service Tuesday, January 11, at Hester Cemetery, Tuscumbia, beginning at 2:00 p.m., with David Conley officiating.

Mr. Hester was born to Earnest and Lennis Hester on September 4, 1938. He was a native of Colbert County and was a member of Red Rock Church of Christ for 71 years. Mr. Hester was a US Navy Veteran and he retired from TVA in 1994. He worked harder after retirement but enjoyed it more. Mr. Hester was an exceptional welder, fixing things most said couldn't be fixed. He loved anything outdoors. He had many friends and will be missed by all. Mr. Hester is preceded in death by his spouse, Lea Hester; parents, Earnest and Lennis Hester; and brothers, Curtis Hester and John Hester.

Mr. Hester is survived by his two children, Jason Hester and Patricia Sprague (Sonny); granddaughter, Randa; and great-granddaughter, MaeLeigh.

Friends and family will serve as pallbearers.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 11. 2:00 PM (CT)

Hester Cemetery

Rutland Lane

Tuscumbia, AL 35674

Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of James Maynard Hester.*



January 09 at 05:08 PM

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“ *I love ya'll my dearest friend Pat❤️
Slim was a man that loved his homestead, loved gardening
canning and making yummy wine, pineapple was my
favorite and he knew it lol I loved him for a very long time
he always was so sweet and kind to me every time i saw
him. He will be missed. Pat and Jason I love y'all so much
and am so sorry for this sudden loss of your Daddy. sending prayers and hugs.*



Michelle Meek - January 08 at 12:39 PM

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“ *Jason and Pat, your dad will always hold a special place in my heart. He was such a good friend to my daddy. They worked together for years, and spent time together doing things at the cabin, or he would come by for a visit. I remember his sweet smile and laugh. May God comfort you both , and give you strength during this difficult time. You all are in our prayers.*

Laura Marks Darby - January 08 at 10:43 AM

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“ *We send our condolences, and prayers for comfort to the family; Jason, Patricia and Sonny, Randa and Maeleigh. Your Dad / Granddad, was an honorable and much loved man. We will miss him being our neighbor and very good friend. The community won't be the same without him.*

Steve and Sandra James

Glenn Hester

Sandra Hester James - January 07 at 07:19 PM

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Hester family, my daddy Leon Tidwell and Maynard was very close friends our families have had great times together especially on the river - there fishing in heaven together now...

RIP my friend 🙏

God bless this family 🙏



Felicia Tidwell - January 06 at 01:27 AM