



Bobby Cecil Russell Jr.

March 29, 1946 - January 4, 2023

Bobby C. Russell, born March 29, 1946, passed from this life, into his home in Heaven, on January 4th, 2023 at the age of 76. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil Russell and Geraldine Staton Russell; brother and sister-in-law; Jerry and Jane Russell.

He was from the Shady Grove Community and member of Grace Covenant Church. He retired from the oil field after 25 years due to health issues. Bobby loved the Lord and enjoyed reading his Bible and listening to sermons on his iPad. He also enjoyed watching old westerns and anything that was about fixing up old cars. If you knew Bobby well, then you would know that he enjoyed chewing his tobacco. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Survivors include his loving wife of 43 years, Jonell Gray Russell. Also, his children; Gene Russell, Belinda Easterling, Tina Newell (Herbert) and Kevin Russell from the Richton Community and one son, Timothy Russell from Shreveport, LA. He had three stepchildren, Gail Saul (Sonny), Dale Cook (Diane), of Laurel and Dewayne Cook from Springdale, Arkansas; Survivors also include his brothers; Jackie Russell (Linda), Roger Russell (Doris) and sister Sue Clark (Danny).

He had a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Family meant everything to him and he enjoyed spending time with everyone as much as possible.

Visitation will be held at Memory Chapel Funeral Home on Saturday, January 7th, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., with the funeral service to follow at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Eric Estes of Highland Baptist Church will officiate. The interment will be at Lake Park Hills Cemetery immediately following the service.

Pallbearers will be Adam Saul, Dale Cook, Daniel Cook, Nic Cook, Gene Russell, and Kevin Russell. The family is grateful for the care provided by EMServ Ambulance and Shady Grove Fire Department.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Lake Park Hills Cemetery

2806 Emmy Dr.
Laurel, MS 39440

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 1:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
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Service

JAN 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ So sorry... I have fond memories in school of our younger days...Condolences to the family and friends for comfort and peace in Jesus Name 🙏

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bobby Cecil Russell Jr..



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