



## James Leonard Davis

October 10, 1936 - June 27, 2020

James Leonard (Jim) Davis peacefully passed from this life to be with Jesus on June 27, 2020 at 83 years of age.

He was born October 10, 1936 to Travis and Betty Catherine Davis of the Myrick community. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife Shirley Welch Davis, loving son: Joseph Curtis Davis, Granddaughter Callie Allyn Davis, brothers; Pete, Fred, Ben, Pat and Melvin Davis and a sister; Miriam Thomas.

Left to cherish his memories are his beloved children; Teresa (John) McNeil, Jeff (Sherry) Davis, and Mike (Lee Ann) Davis. Grandchildren; Bridget Melton, Chase Davis, Kashay Sullivan, Chance Davis, Tasha Davis, Haydon Davis, and Keagan Davis. Great grandchildren; Kaine Nichols, Conner Melton, Carter Melton, Claire Boutwill, Kynlie Anderson, Braylon Davis, Kullen Sullivan, Kolt Sullivan, Oaklyn Davis, Hawk Davis, Dawson Brewer, Nattalie Welborn, Marlee Welborn, Charlee Davis. Brothers; Lewis (Betty) Davis and Lester (Linda) Davis.

He was an Army Veteran. After serving his country, he retired from the oilfield. He was a member of the Clyde Howard Lodge#0525

Jim was a hard worker and sitting idle wasn't an option. Always willing to lend a helping hand even as his body became frail in his later days, he would always ask, "can I help in anyway"?

He enjoyed hunting and fishing to the fullest. He was a member of Little Tiger Creek Hunting Club. There he was known as "Sawbriar" and for certain,

“Sawbriar” left many fond memories at the deer camp.

Graveside services will be held Monday, June 29, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. at Myrick Cemetery. Rev. Robby Johnson will officiate.

Our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude is extended to the loving friends as well as the dedicated professionals of Laurelwood and Compassus Hospice. We would like to extend a personal thank you to Quay Miranda, who referenced our Dad as her baby.

Pallbearers will be; Mike Davis, John McNeil, Chase Davis, Chance Davis, Kaine Nichols, Keagan Davis. Honorary pallbearers; Leroy Sullivan and Mike Donald.

“So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy.” John 16:22

We will miss you dearly POP. Until we meet again.

To sign the online guest book, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Myrick Cemetery

1490 Lower Myrick Road  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

MJ

“ Teresa, Jeff, and Mike  
Your Dad was a great man's and a great neighbor. We enjoyed you all as our neighbors. Never forget time spent.  
Praying you'll be comforted with all those precious memories and God's presence to care for you and your families in your loss.  
May God Bless you all.  
With Sympathy  
With Love  
Myron Jordan

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**Myron Jordan** - July 27, 2020 at 03:34 AM

SR

“ I will miss my friend he always had a smile he also had a great family prayers for you'll

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**Shelia Roberts** - June 29, 2020 at 08:10 PM

KR

“ Prayers for peace and comfort. Heaven has gained a new angel and I know he and Mrs. Shirley are rejoicing together. Love each of you. Karen Tidwell Rowell.

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**Karen Tidwell Rowell** - June 29, 2020 at 07:20 PM

GO

“ Sorrow for eveyones lose Jim was a good man an a friend

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**Glen Odom** - June 29, 2020 at 03:12 PM

AR

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of your loved one. Will be praying for peace and comfort to your family.

*David, Angela & April Rudolph*

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**Angela Rudolph** - June 29, 2020 at 10:25 AM

LM

“ OMG where do I start this fellow here stole my heart from the first day I met him and the feelings were mutual. He was my boo and I was his "hey bae" lol.. I cant explain the bond but he knew I loved him dearly. Never lost a parent before but this one here left a big hole in my heart. I know you not suffering anymore and that bring such joy to my heart, so love keep resting.. Job Well Done... Teresa, Jeff, Michael and grandkids my heart goes to you because we lost a good one but I love you guys and here if you need me...

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**Laquavia Miranda** - June 28, 2020 at 09:39 PM

LM

“ Laquavia Miranda lit a candle in memory of James Leonard Davis



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**Laquavia Miranda** - June 28, 2020 at 09:28 PM