



Nelson Gray

September 28, 1931 - June 20, 2025

Nelson Gray, 93, of Gitano, Mississippi, passed away on Friday, June 20, 2025. He was born September 28, 1931, in Clayton, Louisiana.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, starting at 10 AM at Memory Chapel. A funeral service will follow at 11 AM, and he will be laid to rest at Union Line Cemetery. Memory Chapel Funeral Home in Laurel, MS will be in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Gray had served in the military, and was retired from Halliburton Energy Services. He was a member of Berean Baptist Church in Soso, MS.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy Knight Gray; parents, Lethia and Lou Ainsworth Gray; daughter, Paula Davis; great-grandchild, Dwight Saul Torres; and brothers, Clinton Gray and Leonard Gray.

Survivors include his son, Dwight Gray (Myra); daughters, Pam Odom (Lewis) and Patricia Lee (Stuart); grandchildren, Amy Buckley, Annie Torres, Anita Gray, Alicia Walker, Scott Odom, Shannon Odom, Allison Carter, and Dylan Rhodes; special nieces, Marilyn McDonieal and Frances Ware; and great-grandchildren, Michael Buckley, Greg Buckley, Hayden Walker, Colin Walker, Ana' Torres, Jose Torres, Mateo Torres, Lawson Odom, Kellen Powell, Sam Eldin Carter, Fox Musgrove, Cooper Rhodes, Chevy Rhodes, and Ryker Lee.

Family will serve as pallbearers.

To view and sign the online guestbook, please visit www.memorychapellaurel.com

Cemetery Details

Union Line Cemetery

Corner of Jefcoat Road and Union Line Road
Soso, MS 39480

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
Laurel, MS 39440
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Amy Buckley sent a virtual gift in memory of Nelson Gray



Amy Buckley - June 21, 2025 at 11:07 PM

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“ Papaw loved to camp and loved to fish. Going camping with him and Mamaw was always a great time. So many memories....I never doubted that he loved me because he told me all of the time. I have no doubt that he is with the Lord now, healed and happy. I miss you and love you, Papaw.

Amy Buckley - June 21, 2025 at 11:06 PM