



## Rayford Graham

June 2, 1936 - November 4, 2019

Rayford Graham, of Laurel, MS passed to his heavenly home on November 4, 2019 at the age of 83.

Mr. Graham was born in Jasper County on June 2, 1936. He was a veteran of the U. S. Army and, he was the owner and operator of CBR Machinist.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William T. Graham and Viola McSwain Graham; children, Michael Wayne Graham and Cathy Lynelle Graham; and brother, Rubel Graham.

Those left to cherish his memory are his loving wife of 60 years, Ava Graham; son Jamie Graham (Donica); grandchildren, Taylor Baughman (Zac), Tyler Graham, and Payton Graham; great grandchild, Clayton James Baughman; and sister-in-law, Tina Williams Graham.

Services will be held at Memory Chapel Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5 until 8 p.m. Wednesday, November 6th and the funeral service will follow on Thursday at 10 a.m. Rev. Caleb Rawls will officiate. Mr. Graham will be laid to rest at Matthews Cemetery in Jones County.

Pallbearers will be Tyler Graham, Payton Graham, Zac Baughman, Stacy Graham, Ron Graham and Nonie Graham. Honorary pallbearers will be Thomas Johnson, Nathan McAndrews, Todd Mauldin, David Mauldin, and Hunter Hatten.

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

# Cemetery Details

**Matthews Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

NOV 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapel-laurel.com/>

### Service

NOV 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Prayers for his family. Rayford was a good man. He will be missed.

Judy Bryant - November 06, 2019 at 08:33 PM



“ Judy Bryant lit a candle in memory of Rayford Graham



Judy Bryant - November 06, 2019 at 08:25 PM



“ Jamie, we are out of town and will be unable to attend visitation or service. Our prayers are with you and your family. Stan and Linda Herrington

Stan Herrington - November 06, 2019 at 08:55 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rayford Graham.



November 06, 2019 at 08:50 AM

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“ Jim and Anita Russell purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Rayford Graham.



Jim and Anita Russell - November 06, 2019 at 08:09 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rayford Graham.



November 05, 2019 at 11:43 PM

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“ Tracie Bryant sent a virtual gift in memory of Rayford Graham



Tracie Bryant - November 05, 2019 at 05:21 PM

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Gary and I are keeping you all in our prayers.

Tracie Bryant - November 05, 2019 at 05:26 PM

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“ *Tracie Bryant sent a virtual gift in memory of Rayford Graham*



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**Tracie Bryant** - November 05, 2019 at 05:21 PM