



Mr. J. T. Hodnett

February 15, 1941 - February 24, 2017

Mr. J. T. Hodnett, 76, passed away on February 24, 2017, at his residence in Cedar Bluff. Mr. J.T. was born February 15, 1941, in Cedar Bluff, the son of the late David and Ora Roena Stafford Hodnett. He worked in Maintenance and was an Inspector at Babcock & Wilcox in West Point, where he retired after 41 years. He was a member of Palestine United Methodist Church. Mr. J.T. enjoyed hunting. He married Mrs. Leora Lofton Hodnett on August 15, 1959, in Houston. He was preceded in death by Two Sisters: Pauline Ferguson and Merline Caldwell.

Funeral services will be Sunday, February 26, 2017, at 3:00 P.M. from Palestine United Methodist Church near Montpelier with Reverend Harold Robinson officiating and assisted by Reverend Carey Sutphin. Burial will follow in Palestine Cemetery. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include Wife: Leora Lofton Hodnett of Cedar Bluff; Two Daughters, Michelle Simmons of West Point and Kelly Gaskin (Robert) of Pheba; Four Sons, Raymon Hodnett (Teresa) of West Point, David Hodnett of Cedar Bluff, Alan Hodnett of Cedar Bluff, and Terry Hodnett (Julie) of Dancy; Eleven Grandchildren: Jamie Lee (Matt), Ashley Pollard (Joseph), Tyler Hodnett, Shea Hodnett, Walker Hodnett, Emily Bullard, James Scott (Maci), Crystal Faulkner (Steven), Wesley Gaskin, Brady Gaskin, and Sophie Gaskin; Three

Great Grandchildren: Sara Kate Pollard, Noah Lee, and Kyle Scott;
Niece: Doris Volz of Memphis, TN and Nephew: Bill Caldwell (DeDe) of
Mathiston.

Pallbearers will be James Scott, Tyler Hodnett, Walker Hodnett, Wesley
Gaskin, Will Barkes, Bill Caldwell, and Brady Gaskin.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Keith Thompson, Gary Brock, Scotty Wooten,
Roger Coleman, Billy Thompson, Gene Stafford, Robert Stafford, Jr., His
Many Friends in the Palestine Community, and His Former Co-Workers at
Babcock & Wilcox.

Memorials may be made to Palestine United Methodist Church Cemetery
Fund, C/O Mrs. Roxie Brock, 611 Joe Stevens Road, Cedar Bluff, MS 39741
or to Palestine United Methodist Church, C/O Bonnie Thompson, 18850 Mac
Pate Road, Cedar Bluff, MS 39741.

Visitation will be Sunday 1:30-3:00 P.M. at Palestine United Methodist Church
near Montpelier.

Friends may leave an online condolence at www.calvertfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Loved him very much. He was always very playful and happy*

Lee Hodnett - February 27, 2017 at 02:33 PM



“ *JT was my friend and our patient. I still have the drinking bird he gave me before John retired. He was a pleasure to talk to everyday on the phone. Will miss him dearly. Love to all of you. John and Darlene*

Darlene Cox - February 27, 2017 at 12:56 PM



“ *Enjoyed hunting with J T. Many fun times back in the 60's. prayers with the family*



Bill Burrow - February 26, 2017 at 04:43 PM



“ *My condolences to the entire Hodnett family I have known you my entire life Mr.JT was always a very nice and friendly man to be around and the entire community will miss him dearly you all will be in my prayers during this trying time.*

Allen Fitzgerald - February 25, 2017 at 03:54 PM



“ *Praying for all of you.*

Kim West - February 25, 2017 at 03:49 PM

KJ

“ I'm so saddened by the loss of Mr.Hodnett, he was one my favorite patients. I could always count on him not matter the situation to tell me a funny joke. My favorite joke was the quarter horse joke. You will be missed and I will continue to pray for the family.

Your friend, Kevin

Kevin Johnson - February 25, 2017 at 03:19 PM

CH

“ Mr. JT was always a pleasure to care for. No matter how sick or tired he was he always had a joke for me it was certainly a pleasure to know this sweet man. My prayers are with the family ! May God Bless You All!! With Love ,Chiri

Chiri Hindman - February 25, 2017 at 03:02 PM

DW

“ I always thought a lot of mr Hodnett , when he needed something in Walmart he looked me up to help.prayers for family



debbie white - February 25, 2017 at 02:25 PM

CA

“ I really enjoyed JT and his stories on my visits with Doris. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



CarolBuehler - February 25, 2017 at 02:13 PM

MI

“ *J T was one of my favorite people. He was always full of life and was happiest when he was picking on someone. He was always the same wherever you saw him. He will be missed by all of us who loved him.*

Martha Ivy - February 25, 2017 at 01:37 PM

DR

“ *Rest In Peace!
Mr Jt was a Great man, I enjoyed working with him at B&W.
I will miss you ♡
Donna Reed*

Donna Reed - February 25, 2017 at 12:47 PM

AW

Praying for the Family. He and Leora we're and are two of the Sweetest people, did a wonderful job of the Cemetery as long as he could. Always looked so nice when I would go there. ANN Carroll Walker White.

Ann Carroll Walker White - February 25, 2017 at 04:24 PM