



Coach Stan Hughey

September 2, 1959 - December 28, 2014

Coach Stan Hughey, 55, passed away on December 28, 2014, at his residence in West Point. Coach Hughey was born September 2, 1959, in Ripley, the son of Willa Dean Hodges Hughey and the late William Crandle Hughey. Stan graduated from Bay Springs High School in 1978. He also graduated with a Bachelor's Degree from Mississippi State University in 1983. Coach Hughey began his coaching career at Mathiston High School, which later became, what we know today as East Webster High School. Coach Hughey, then became a Graduate Assistant at Mississippi College, studying under Coach Mike Jones. From Mississippi College, Coach Hughey went to Kirk Academy in Grenada before beginning his 20 year tenor at Oak Hill Academy in West Point in 1994. During his 20 years at Oak Hill, Coach Hughey compiled a record of 453 wins. In 2012, Coach Hughey was named the Columbus Dispatch All Area Small School Girls Basketball Coach of the Year. In 2014, he went back as the Head Girl's Basketball Coach at East Webster High School, the school from where he began his career. He attended West End Baptist Church in West Point. Stan Hughey was a loving son, brother, uncle, great uncle, and friend. He was a great basketball coach, a great friend, and an even better man. On the basketball court, he was a fierce competitor, but around his family, he was the source of fun and laughter. He was preceded in death by his father, Mr. William Crandle Hughey.

Private family graveside services will be Wednesday, December 31, 2014, at

11:00 A.M. from Lakewood Memorial Park Cemetery in Jackson with Reverend Stan Wilson officiating. Memorial Services will be held Saturday, January 3, 2015, at 2:00 P.M. from West End Baptist Church in West Point with Reverend Chris Layton officiating. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his Mother: Willa Dean Hughey of Clinton; Two Sisters, Jo Turcotte (Jim) of Clinton and Kim Summerlin (David) of Pearl; One Brother, Kenneth Hughey (Beverly) of Clinton; Three Nieces: Jamie Dowd (Keith) of Clinton, Ashlie Slaton of Clinton, and Katelyn Summerlin of Pearl; Two Nephews: Michael Hughey (Jessica) of Raleigh, NC, and Kevin Hughey (Rivers) of Baton Rouge, LA; Two Great Nieces: Kylie Dowd and Mason Slaton both of Clinton; and One Great Nephew: Carson Dowd of Clinton.

Memorials may be made to Coach Stan Hughey Memorial Scholarship Fund, C/O Bancorpsouth, 312 East Broad Street, West Point, MS 39773.

Visitation will be Saturday 12:00-2:00 P.M. at West End Baptist Church in West Point.

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

Tribute Wall

BK

“ I met Stan at Mississippi State. We became fast friends because of our love and passion for MSU sports. Some of my favorite memories are with Stan at a MSU football, basketball or baseball game. One time we took Sid's truck and put a there couch out of there apartment on the back. We took the truck and parked it in left field lounge. After the game we drove around Starkville sitting on couch in the truck. Now that could of been on You Tube. I was so sad to hear of Stan's passing. He was a great coach and friend. My dad had nicknames for most of my friends. Stan was "Stan the Man". He will always be that to me. He will be truly missed. Your Friend Beth Krebs

Beth Krebs - January 12, 2015 at 11:44 AM

JC

“ I have been in a state of shock since hearing of this tragedy. We have all suffered a " GREAT" loss with the untimely passing of Stan. He was such a tender hearted person as well as being an extremely devoted coach who loved his teams with all his heart. He has definitely left his mark on many young peoples lives. He will be greatly missed by so many. Thoughts and prayers for his family.

Judy Clark January 7, 2015

Judy Clark - January 07, 2015 at 07:25 AM

GF

“ We are all filled with sadness at this time. Coach Hughey was basketball to my family. We hauled girls all over this state and witnessed in every gym how he was known and appreciated as a Coach and a man. He always liked Diane's cookies she made for the team and hoped every game we had some to share. His life impacted my daughters and now grand daughters and for that we have great memories and deep respect. Our prayers are lifted for his sweet family and players. Glen Brown Family

glen brown family - January 03, 2015 at 03:10 PM

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“ Bay Springs High School "Class of 1978" purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Coach Stan Hughey.



Bay Springs High School "Class of 1978" - January 01, 2015 at 08:09 PM

TB

“ I graduated with Stan from BSHS. I have nothing but fond memories of him. We were chosen as "Wittiest" our Senior year, and it seems like only yesterday he was trying to put me in the trunk of that car. He was a sweet, funny, gentle soul who I will always remember. Rest in peace Stan!

Theresa (Gregory) Barnett - December 31, 2014 at 05:55 PM

PF

“ I was a classmate of Stan's at Bay Springs High School "Class of 1978". He was a great guy who always seemed to be a "sweet and happy soul". He was loved by all, and I have great memories of him. I am deeply saddened by this news of such a great loss. My prayers are with you, his family.

Pamela Fail - December 30, 2014 at 10:41 PM

PM

“ Stan coached my son at Kirk Academy. He had a huge impact on his life. His influence led my son to play junior college basketball. Such a sad loss for all those whose life he touched. RIP Stan!

Pam Manasco

pam manasco - December 30, 2014 at 07:50 PM

SN

“ Thinking of your family during this time of sorrow. I went to school with Stan @ Bay Springs High School many years ago. He was always full of life and always joking around. Sandy Nix

Sandy Nix - December 30, 2014 at 02:10 PM

KM

“ So sorry for your lost. We will keep you in our prayers.so many memories of Stan and his family during his high school years at Bay Springs High. May God bless you. Keith Murphy

keith murphy - December 29, 2014 at 11:54 PM

FM

“ *A great coach and person. Gonna miss you everytime I get ready for a ballgame. Prayers to all your family. R.I.P. brother Frank Miller- (Montgomery County High School Basketball Coach) Friends with Stan since 1991*

Frank Miller - December 29, 2014 at 10:19 PM