



James Kenneth Parks

August 8, 1941 - November 23, 2017

James Kenneth Parks of Poplar Bluff, MO, passed away on November 23, 2017 at the age of 76 years, 3 months, 15 days.

James was born August 8, 1941 in Fairdealing, MO, a son of George and Maude Bowman Parks.

On November 27, 2002 James was united in marriage to Teresa Barks Parks who survives.

Surviving James are ten children; Barbara White, Timmy Lancaster, Bobby Lancaster, Debbie and husband Dwayne Harrison, Kenneth Parks, Jamie Parks, Laurie Parks, Charlena Simmons, David Burgess, and Lily Burgess. Two brothers; Joe Parks of Ennis, TX, Roy and wife Rose Parks of Arcadia, two sisters; Rogenia and husband Larry Thurman of Poplar Bluff, Alma and husband David Stone of Poplar Bluff, thirteen grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. James is preceded in death by his parents, one brother and two sisters; George Monroe Parks, Jr., Ethel Belle Parks and Mary Agnes Fleetwood. James served his country in the United States Navy during the Vietnam War and was Honorably Discharged with an E-4 Rank. On October 1, 2001, James retired from the ASARCO Plant. He was a member of the General Baptist Church in Poplar Bluff.

A Graveside Funeral Service will be held for James on Monday, November 27, 2017 at the Centerville Cemetery at 1:00 pm. Pastor Mike Harrison will officiate the funeral Services.

Online condolences may be made at www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com

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“ *All my love, thoughts and prayers to all Uncle Jim left behind. Uncle Jim and my dad where on the same ship when we lived in California. He used to visit and sometimes babysit me. The last time we saw each other, we did little shopping, grabbed a pizza then headed beck to Alma's. I only wish that I lived closer and could have spent more time with him. He was a wonderful man. He will be truly missed. Love, Bob, Sandy, & Danielle*

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“ Rest In Peace Dear Friend, I remember all the Friday Nights you would drive Allie and me to Bingo the 3 of us would have such a great time. Or when you and Allie would come down to the house and We would talk for hours. I know your kids, grandkids and great grandkids will miss you so, My message to them is that Your mom and dad are together again watching over each of you, Till we meet in Heaven R.I.P. Jim

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