



James O. Knight, Sr.

November 14, 1940 - August 30, 2021

James O. Knight, Sr., 80, of West Blocton, AL passed away August 30, 2021. He was a member of Blocton Third Baptist Church. He retired from Bessemer Petroleum with twenty plus years of service. James loved to do woodworking that he sold on the side of the road. He was an usher at the Alabama football games and an avid Bama fan. He was a loving husband, devoted father, and proud Poppy. James was preceded in death by his daughter, Kimberly L. Knight, his sister, Mary Ruth Knight, and his brother, William Ray Knight. He is survived by his wife of 57 1/2 years, Ruby Knight; his son, James O. "Jimbo" (Tracy) Knight, Jr.; his daughter, Christie (Lee) Hancock; seven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren, and his brother, Willard (Peachie) Knight. Funeral service will be Wednesday, September 1, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, 20043 Pleasant Grove Road, Vance, AL 35490. Burial will follow at Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Bro. Robert Smith will be officiating the service. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until service time at the church.

Tribute Wall

WB

“ I was a good friend of Kim’s we went to school together. I’m sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. Knight. If there is anything I can do please send me an email. I love you Mrs. Knight.

Wendy Boothe - September 17, 2021 at 10:43 AM

WK

“ Ruby and family: So sorry to hear about passing of my brother James, I was thinking back today all good time we had growing. Know he will be having good time with all of his love one in heaven. Its not good by see you one day in heaven.

Willard Knight - September 17, 2021 at 10:43 AM

BH

“ I went to school with James. He was a good friend of mine. He was a year ahead of me in school. He was a great guy!!

Betty Jean Green House - September 17, 2021 at 10:43 AM