



James "J.D." Hester

May 2, 1939 - January 20, 2021

James D. "J.D." Hester, 81, of Easley, passed away, Wednesday, January 20, 2021.

Born in Pickens County on May 2, 1939, J.D. was the son of the late Ernest Theodore and Ethel Owens Hester. Mr. Hester was self employed with H&W HVAC Plumbing and Electrical, and J.D. Hester Building Contractors. He was also employed with Alice Manufacturing.

Surviving are his wife of sixty-four years, Muriel Stokes Hester; two sons: Mitch Hester (Donna) and Scott Hester (Helen); daughter-in-law: Dolly Hester; four grandchildren: Jennifer H. Going (Curtis), Mitchell Hester, Jr., Daniel Hester, and Sarah Hester; four great-grandchildren: Skylar Hester, Jameson Going, Evan Going, and Oliver Nelms; three brothers: Guy Hester (Mickey), Bruce Hester, and Billy Hester; and two sisters: Ruby Spearman (John) and Evelyn Aiken (Marion).

Along with his parents, he was predeceased by one sister Mary Ellen Guthrie. Private graveside services will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, at Greenlawn Memorial Park, Easley. The graveside service will be Live-Streamed at www.facebook.com/thehowzemortuary.

Memorials may be made to Easley Bible Methodist Church, 855 Gentry Memorial Hwy., Easley, SC 29640.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.thehowzemortuary.com

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest, is in charge of the arrangements. (864)

834-8051

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Park

595 Old Liberty Rd
Easley, SC 29690

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ We are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.
J.D. was such a good man, always with that sweet smile.
We love you all and are so very sorry,
Rick and Angie



Angie Moody - January 23, 2021 at 09:53 AM

SM

“ Scott, Larry and I are so sad for your loss. There was no doubt the love you had for your dad. You have certainly been a good and faithful son. If there is anything that we can do to assist you or your family, please know that we are here for you. We will be praying for strength for you all and for peace knowing that you will be reunited again.



Sharon McManis - January 23, 2021 at 07:27 AM

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“ We have been close to the Hester family for nearly nineteen years. As the pastor of Easley Bible Methodist Church, I have often visited and prayed with J. D. and Murl, and they were always so cordial to me. Our prayers are with all the Hester family, knowing that there is coming a great reunion in the skies.

Terry D. and Ella Ruth Going

Terry Going - January 22, 2021 at 09:21 PM

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“ We are sorry for your loss and prays for the family.



Mike and Donna Owen - January 22, 2021 at 02:42 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of James "J.D." Hester.



January 22, 2021 at 02:39 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James "J.D." Hester.



January 22, 2021 at 09:16 AM