



## James Edward Kates Sr

October 23, 1938 - September 21, 2019

James Edward Kates, Sr., 81, of Marietta, passed away Saturday, September 21, 2019.

Born in Lexington, KY, he was a son of the late Johnny and Venus Allen Kates. He was retired from drywall construction and attended Bible Deliverance Temple in Marietta.

He is survived by his wife of 50 years: Shirley Green Kates; sons: James E. Kates, Jr(Crystal), Dennis Lee Kates(Susie), Larry Freeman, Benny Freeman, David Freeman; daughters: Wanda Reeves(Roger), Sherrill Morgan; brothers: Clarence Kates(Linda), Vernon Kates, Junior Kates; sisters: Louise Mottie, Linda Kates, Kathy Reling, Carolyn Green(George); 16 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and many loving nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents he was predeceased by a brother: Roger Kates; and sister: Norma Jean Goodman.

The family will receive friends Wednesday, September 25, 2019 from 1pm until 2pm at Bible Deliverance Temple.

Funeral services will be Wednesday September 25, 2019 at 2pm at Bible Deliverance Temple with burial to follow at Mountain View Memorial Park. Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

The family will be at the home.

# Cemetery Details

## Mountain View Memorial Park formerly Grand View Memorial Gardens

7 Duncan Rd.  
Travelers Rest, SC

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **25**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bible Deliverance Temple  
500 Slater Road  
Marietta, SC 29661

## Church Service

SEP **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bible Deliverance Temple  
500 Slater Road  
Marietta, SC 29661

# Tribute Wall

RA

“ Shirley I am sorry for your loss.

Renee Atkins - September 30, 2019 at 02:40 PM

DM

“ DOUGLAS LEE MULLINS sent a virtual gift in memory of James Edward Kates Sr



DOUGLAS LEE MULLINS - September 24, 2019 at 02:47 PM

DM

I WILL MISS HIM VERY WELL. HOPE HE HAVE A GOOD LIFE TOO. ANY ONE LIKE TO SEND SOME THING BACK TO ME. MY E-MAIL ADDRESS IS : mull857@comcast.net. I LIKE TO READ THEM & LOOK AT THEM TOO. MY AGE IS 55 YEARS OLD. I LIVE WITH MAIRE ROWE. WHEN YOU HAVE SOME TIME TO COME UP HERE IN OAKLANDON , INDIANA. WE LIKE TO SEE YOU TOO. MY HOME PHONE # IS : (317) 826-8151. THANKS YOU VERY MUCH.

DOUGLAS LEE MULLINS - September 24, 2019 at 02:58 PM

RV

“ So sorry for your loss Benny. You and your family are in my prayers. Rhett Vaughn

Rhett Vaughn - September 24, 2019 at 09:28 AM

JW

“ Shirley, so sorry to hear of James passing; you r in my thoughts & prayers.

julia whitfield - September 24, 2019 at 09:18 AM

SF

“ *Shirley Fuller lit a candle in memory of James Edward Kates Sr*



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**Shirley Fuller** - September 23, 2019 at 07:32 PM

DM

“ *I WILL MISS HIM. HE IS WITH THE LOAD TOO. HE HAVE A GOOD TIME WITH US ON THE EARTH.*



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**DOUGLAS LEE MULLINS** - September 23, 2019 at 07:08 PM