



Mr. James Robert 'Buddy' Ponder

August 27, 1955 - June 3, 2016

Funeral services for Mr. James Robert 'Buddy' Ponder, 60, of Oxford, will be held on Tuesday, June 7, 2016 at 11:00am in the chapel of Miller Funeral Home. Pastor Jeff Duncan will officiate the service. The family will receive friends for one hour prior to the service. Burial will follow at Forestlawn Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Ponder passed away at his residence on Friday, June 3, 2016.

He is survived by his sisters Jeanelle Hammonds (Brownie), Wanda Birchfield (Billy); step daughter, Kaila Cavender (Allen); step son, Josh McDaniel (Christine); step grandchildren, Brendan Cavender and Alyssa McDaniel; nephews, Greg Clark (Crystal), Shawn Clark, Cory Hammonds; niece, Cassie Haney (Jason); great nieces, Ashton Clark, Emma Sudduth; great nephew, Blake Clark; fur babies, Nick and Saban.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Charlie S. 'Pete' Ponder and Bettie Ponder.

Pallbearers will be Greg Clark, Shawn Clark, Jamie Thompson, Cory Hammonds, Scott Henderson, and Johnny Pilkington.

Mr. Ponder was of the Baptist Faith. He was an avid Alabama football fan and enjoyed watching Nascar. He was a licensed scuba diver and was a rescue diver. Mr. Ponder took honor in helping anyone he could and because of that, he was very active with the Civil Defense.

Mr. Ponder loved his family dearly and will be truly missed.

Cemetery Details

Forestlawn Memorial Gardens

730 Golden Springs Rd
Anniston, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of Buddy's passing. I lived on Cecile Drive with my parents just down the street from Buddy many years ago. Buddy, his mom, his dad, Jeanelle, and Wanda were some of the kindest people I have known. Buddy always had a smile on his face and was so sweet. I remember the black Cobra Mustang he drove and was so proud of. Buddy and his family will be in mine and my Mother's thoughts and prayers. Cinda Hansen (Deverell)

Cinda Deverell Hansen - June 06, 2016 at 05:33 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. James Robert 'Buddy' Ponder.



June 06, 2016 at 01:33 PM

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“ You will be truly missed Buddy. I will never forget the times you where there for Misty, Christy and I. RIP my friend.

Becky Lazenby - June 04, 2016 at 06:03 PM

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“ Lunchroom Gang!! purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. James Robert 'Buddy' Ponder.



Lunchroom Gang!! - June 04, 2016 at 06:02 PM

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“ *I remember Buddy well from Walter Wellborn school. Will be praying for the family and friends.....Rev. John Sparks*

John Sparks - June 04, 2016 at 04:33 PM