



James Earl Estep

September 17, 1944 - March 16, 2023

James Earl Estep, age 78, of Ozark, Arkansas died Thursday, March 16, 2023. He was a retired Lock Operator for the U.S. Corps of Engineers and attended First Baptist Church of Ozark and Jethro Pentacostal Church. James was born September 17, 1944 in Huntsville, Arkansas to Preston and Ruby Burnett Estep. He was preceded in death by his parents and wife, Linda Pharris Estep.

James is survived by one son, Timothy Estep and James Hawkins of Coal Hill, Arkansas; two daughters, Kimberly Sinder and husband Greg of San Antonio, Texas and Joann Cain of Fort Smith, Arkansas; one brother, Roy Estep and wife Linda; one sister, Patricia Whitlock and husband James all of Ozark; six grandchildren, three great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Graveside service will be held 2:00 PM Wednesday, March 22, 2023 at Venus Cemetery, Witter, Arkansas with Reverend Sylvia Bell officiating, under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

To leave an online memorial visit www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com

Cemetery Details

Venus Cemetery

Witter, AR

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 22. 2:00 PM (CT)

Venus Cemetery

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Witter, AR 72776

Tribute Wall

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“ *KIMBERLY SINDER lit a candle in memory of James Estep*



KIMBERLY SINDER - July 11, 2025 at 04:10 PM

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“ *Rest In peace paw paw.*



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“ *Our condolences to the family.
Mark and Teresa*

MARK H ESTELL - March 20, 2023 at 09:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Earl Estep.*



March 20, 2023 at 09:35 PM