



## Grace Melinda James

March 31, 1933 - September 22, 2014

Monday night, September 22, 2014, Grace Melinda Ford James, fell asleep in the arms of her loving family and awoke in the arms of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She was a member of Shady Grove Baptist Church for 67 years. She was preceded in death by her parents, Rufus and Rachel Ford; sisters, Dorothy Ford Runyan, Edith Ford Fox and Shirley Ford; and brothers, Sylvester and Lloyd Ford. She is survived by her loving husband of almost 60 years, Oscar James; her daughters, Lisa James Hazelwood and husband Jeff; and Sheila James Huskey and husband Chris; four grandchildren, Travis Hazelwood and wife Sarah; Sydney Hazelwood ; John Huskey and Kaitlyn Grace Huskey; sisters, Edna Ford Crum; Martha Ford Sutton; Judy Ford Holt and husband Tom; brothers, Bob Ford and wife Carolyn; Jerry Ford and wife Rita; Bill Ford and wife Brenda; sisters-in-law, Ruby James; Emma Dean James; Kathleen James and Joyce James Cox; brother-in-law, Samuel Mose Freshour; and a multitude of nieces and nephews. Also her special caregivers, Shawnee Driskill and Missy Bullington. Funeral services will be held at 7:00 pm Thursday, September 25, 2014 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. James Suggs and Rev. Jackie Swanger officiating. Burial will be held at 11:00 am Friday, September 26, 2014 in Shady Grove Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Thursday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral service. Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com). Manes Funeral Home in charge.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Grace Melinda James*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Grace Melinda James*

**Jimmy Hux** - September 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Grace Melinda James*

**Ray Fancher** - September 27, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Grace Melinda James*

**Dottie Ledford** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Grace Melinda James*

**Barbara J. Cureton** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Lisa and Family, our thoughts and prayers are with you all. It is a joyous comfort to KNOW that Grace is in the everlasting arms of Jesus, and that you WILL see her again one day. Your family will continue to be in our prayers for strength and comfort in*

**Sandra Lunsford** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *Sheila, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this trying time.*

-----  
**Mindy Langford** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NO

“ *Your family is in my prayers.*

-----  
**Naomi Ochman** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Grace was an amazing woman. I always loved to talk to her because she always made me smile. Wishing you all the comfort of God's loving arms to get you through this.*

-----  
**Cheri Sutton** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with all of you. I will always remember her sweet smile & laugh.*

-----  
**Glenda Shaver Wheeler** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *Oscar, Sheila and Lisa, I was saddened to hear of your Mom's passing but somewhat relieved that she is no longer suffering. I have such fond memories of you all when we were growing up. She was always so fun to be around and such a great person. Debbie kep*

-----  
**Rhonda Mantooth Duncan** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Grace Melinda James*

-----  
**Greg Cates** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Grace Melinda James*

-----  
**Charlie and Lana williamson** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with you all Angie Crum Styles Kole Frazier Jessica Frazier*

-----  
**Jessica Frazier** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NJ

“ *Grace Melinda James*

-----  
**Nathaniel and Gina James** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *Grace was one of my favorite people. I never saw her without a smile. May God be with you all and give you peace.*

-----  
**Michael Johnson** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *So, so, sorry. Love you all. Cindy wise and family*

-----  
**Cindy wise** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ *Lisa, Sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

-----  
**Roy & Jeanenne Ownby** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ We are sorry to hear of the passing of Grace. We will keep you in our prayers and thoughts during this time.

**JANE & WAYNE STAPLETON** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Lisa and family, I am so sorry of the loss of your mother, She was a sweet and kind lady. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May the Lord wrap his loving arms around you and give you comfort and peace. Much Love

**Carla Sane Grooms** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Grace Melinda James

**Janey Clevenger Kinser** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ We were so sorry to hear of Grace's passing, but now Heaven can rejoice with her beautiful soul united with Jesus. Prayers for the family.

**Howard, Diane Warden and family** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Grace Melinda James

**Jackie & Colleen Styles** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ I remember her from those days many years ago at Shady Grove, always such a sweet, kind and precious lady. Prayers and blessings for the family. May God be with you all.

**Susie Naillon Napier** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CY

“ So sorry for your loss. May God give you the comfort you need during this time of sorrow.

Charles and Pamela Yates - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ Continued prayers for such a precious family to me. May God wrap his loving arms around you and comfort you as only he can. love to you all, Rochell

Rochell Lewis - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Sandra and Frank (Buddy) Hoilman - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ you will be missed

jeff mickey lewis - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Every memory I have of Grace is with a smile on her face. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Michelle Crum - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family.....

Bobby and Carole Grooms - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM