



J.D. Howell

August 17, 1936 - April 4, 2022

Joseph Daniel "J.D." Howell
Crystal Springs

J.D. Howell, 85, passed away April 4, 2022, at his home in Crystal Springs.

J.D. was born August 17, 1936 in Crystal Springs to Joseph Raleigh and Doris Phillips Howell. He graduated from Crystal Springs High School in 1954. He proudly served his country in the US Air Force before he returned with his family to Crystal Springs. He was a member of Harmony Baptist Church and for many years enjoyed his hobbies as a woodworker and collector.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, David Raleigh Howell, and half-sisters Frances Howell Weathersby, and Dorothy Howell Davis.

His survivors include: his wife of 65 years, Carolyn Yarbrough Howell, of Crystal Springs, MS and four children: Keith (Diane) Howell of Fredericksburg, TX; Brian Howell of Montgomery, AL; Craig (Melanie) Howell of Madison, MS; and Kim (Tony) Beazley of Stuart, FL. He is also survived by his sister, Edna Alexander of Dunedin, FL. The joys of his life were his 8 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren and all the bonus "grandchildren" that called him PawPaw.

Visitation will be Thursday, April 7 from 12:00-2:00 at Stringer Family Funeral Service in Crystal Springs followed by the funeral service at 2:00. The burial will be at Gatesville Baptist Church Cemetery.

You may watch the funeral service here: <https://youtu.be/tqq6Lh3WQXE>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 7. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stringer Family Funeral Home - Crystal Springs
PO Box 431
26141 Hwy 27
Crystal Springs, MS 39059
(601) 892-1521
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Funeral Service

APR 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ J.D. Howell

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ Mrs. Howell, Keith, Brian and Craig I am sending my condolences to y'all and all your family. Both your mom and dad were so kind to all us teenagers. I never heard either speak in a loud voice or raise a hand to any of us coming and going through their home. I am not on Social Media. Her is my cell phone number 214-240-2092. I would love to hear from y'all. It's been years since I have seen y'all. I love you guys. I am here if you need to talk, laugh, or catch up.



Kim Upton - July 07, 2022 at 10:49 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of J.D. Howell.



April 06, 2022 at 01:40 PM



“ Carolyn and family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. However, I am grateful that you had him for so many years. We enjoyed visiting you and Mr. J.D.. Like most of the Phillipses, he was gentle and humorous, kind and generous. For many years we enjoyed the kitchen island/barbecue tool wood piece that he made for Charles to give me for Christmas. Surely he is in Heaven helping to prepare mansions for his family.

Dorothy A.Day - April 06, 2022 at 10:11 AM