



Reford Berry

May 5, 1928 - March 2, 2022

Reford Berry of Crystal Springs, loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather went to be with his Heavenly Father, March 2, 2022. He died peacefully at home with his family. Visitation will be held Friday at Stringer Funeral Home, Crystal Springs from 12 to 2, services to follow. Graveside services will follow at Harmony Baptist Church.

Reford was born to the late Donnie Lee and Nina Belle Berry in Simpson County on May 5, 1928. He was drafted by the U.S. Army and served in the Korean War. Reford loved people and people loved him. This gift was an asset in his career. After returning from war, he began his career with Swift Independent where he began on the loading dock and advanced to branch manager. After he retired, he began his second career at R. Berry Used Cars. His leisure time was spent taking care of his cattle, maintaining his land and growing a vegetable garden.

Reford was married to Esther Hayes on April 26, 1953. Together they raised 5 children: Dennis, Danny, Sheila, Teresa, and Jennifer. He set high standards for them and lived an exemplary life. He served as a Deacon at Highland Baptist Church and later Chairman of Ushers at First Baptist Church.

Reford is survived by his wife, Esther, his sons Dennis (Lisa), Danny (Melinda), 3 daughters Sheila (Jerome), Teresa, and Jennifer (Chris), 19

grandchildren and 13 great grands. He is also survived by his brother Winton. Predeceasing Reford's death were his parents, Donnie Lee and Nina Belle, his brothers, D. L. (Bubba), Jack, Alvin, Casa, Ted, and Arnold. The family wishes to thank his caregivers, Tammy Watson, and Hospice Ministries.

In lieu of flowers the family wishes donations to be sent to Alzheimer's Association. <https://www.alz.org/>

Service may be watched at: <https://youtu.be/j3PagwMHvIA>

Cemetery Details

Harmony Cemetery

6057 Harmony Road
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stringer Family Funeral Home - Crystal Springs
PO Box 431
26141 Hwy 27
Crystal Springs, MS 39059
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Funeral

MAR 4. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Stringer Family Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Reford Berry*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - March 03, 2022 at 03:57 PM



“ *Reford Berry*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



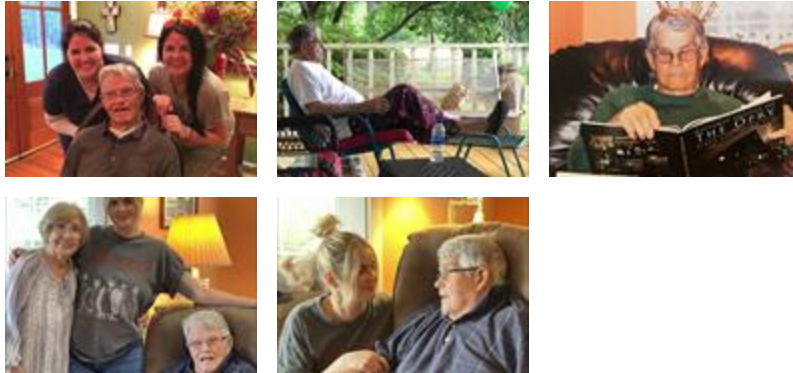
“ *Magnolia Forest Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Reford Berry.*



Magnolia Forest Family - March 04, 2022 at 11:29 AM

TB

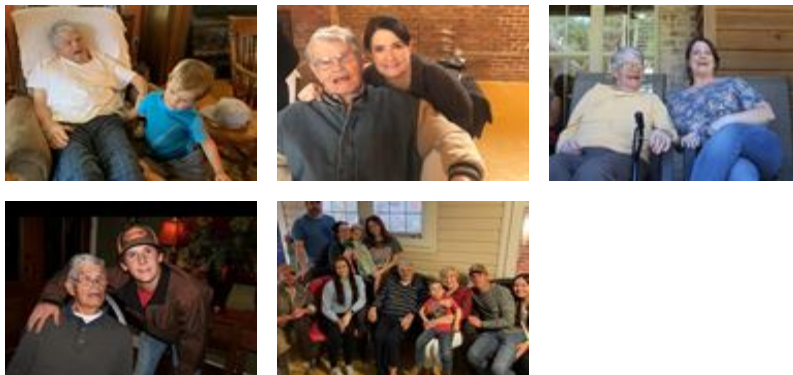
“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Teresa Berry - March 03, 2022 at 03:38 PM



“ 5 files added to the album Life Tributes



Stringer Family Funeral Service - March 03, 2022 at 03:30 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Reford Berry.



March 03, 2022 at 03:16 PM

SC

“ *Stacey Calcote purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Reford Berry.*



Stacey Calcote - March 03, 2022 at 01:14 PM



“ *105 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - March 03, 2022 at 01:07 PM

EF

“ *Eddie Berry and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Reford Berry.*



Eddie Berry and family - March 03, 2022 at 12:27 PM



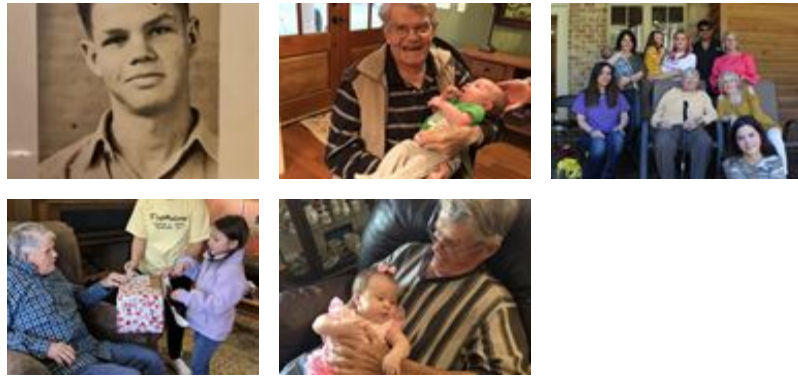
“ Robert & Susie Haseloff purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Reford Berry.



Robert & Susie Haseloff - March 03, 2022 at 11:27 AM



“ 33 files added to the album Life Tributes



Stringer Family Funeral Service - March 03, 2022 at 11:23 AM



“ Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Reford Berry.



March 03, 2022 at 11:17 AM

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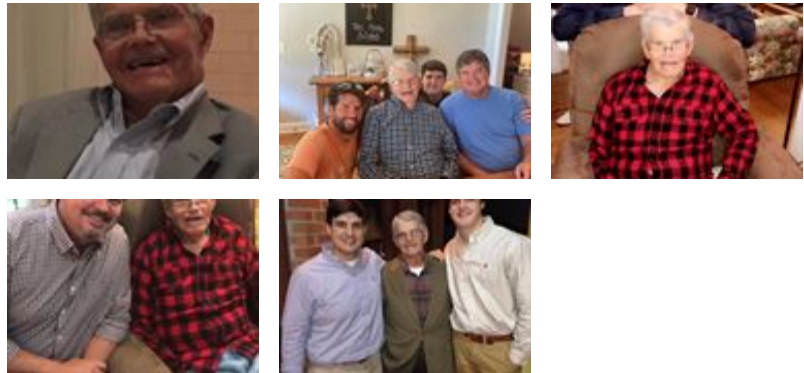
“ 28 files added to the tribute wall



Teresa Berry - March 03, 2022 at 10:47 AM



“ 41 files added to the album Life Tributes



Stringer Family Funeral Service - March 03, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Reford Berry.



March 03, 2022 at 10:16 AM

EB

“ Uncle Reford was always the “steady” Berry boy. Always had a smile and easy disposition. I enjoyed our visits and talks when he would stop by the “shop” after he got off work. A good and humble man. Rest In Peace, Uncle.

Eddie Berry - March 03, 2022 at 12:03 AM

EB

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Eddie Berry - March 02, 2022 at 11:59 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Reford Berry.



March 02, 2022 at 06:35 PM