



Sampson Mitchell Jr.

June 24, 1950 - September 8, 2023

Sampson Mitchell, 73, passed away Friday at his home in Crystal Springs, MS after a long battle with cancer. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Stringer Family Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Sammy was a successful businessman and owner of Mitchell Timber Company until its closing. He was a longtime employee of Gaston Lanaux. Sammy was a member of Lake Copiah Campground and loved fishing in the lake with his best friend Fred Walker. Sammy was an avid hunter that found solace and serenity in the peaceful embrace of the woods. Sammy was a lifelong member of Wesley Chapel Church in Ponchatoula, LA. Though he did not raise any children of his own, he considered all his nieces and nephews his own. He also had a special bond with his godchildren, Richelle Hoover and Savannah Francis.

He was preceded in death by his father, Sampson P Mitchell, Sr., mother, Anita Mitchell, sister, Pamela Mitchell, sister-in-law, Taunee Sue Jones, nephew, Craig Corkern, and one unborn child.

He is survived by his wife, Tena Champlin Mitchell; sister-in-law, Sandra (Jeff Mangum) Champlin; brothers-in-law, Jimmy (Dewanna) Champlin, Albert (Susan) Champlin, and brother-in-love, Bobby (Gwen) Jones; nieces and nephews, Richelle (Michael) Hoover, Christina (Randy) Wallace, Curtis

(Juanita) Jones, April (Sean) Francis, Chad (Janelle) Champlin, Julie (Gedd) Herron, Amber Champlin, Lindsey (Michael) Doughty, and Lanie (Stetson) Hickman; 24 great nieces and nephews; and 3 great great nieces and nephews.

Tribute Wall

TM

“ Our hearts and prayers are with you at this time. Sammy was such a wonderful person. We will always treasure the special memories we shared with both of you on the river.

Timmy and Marie

Timmy and Marie - September 21, 2023 at 12:33 PM

SA

“ We are so sorry ,but he no longer will suffer. Perry sure will miss him.lots of perry and sally.



Sally - September 12, 2023 at 06:42 PM

FS

“ Mrs Tena I'm sorry to hear of this my prayers are with you during this time. Mr Sam was such a nice man

Frankie Sawyers - September 12, 2023 at 05:37 PM

MR

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Mittie Rohner - September 11, 2023 at 11:32 PM