



James Henry Briggs, Sr.

May 9, 1928 - February 17, 2015

James Henry Briggs, Sr., age 86, passed away peacefully in his home on February 17, 2015. James Briggs was born May 9, 1928 to Aurelius and Pocahontas Briggs. Early in his life he served in the United States Army during the Korean War. He also worked many years for the City of Richmond until he retired.

He was preceded in death by his daughter Lisa Briggs-Thompson. He survived by his wife of 46 years, Myrtle Briggs, his two daughters, Latrella Burnett and Shelia Lewis, his three sons, Hubra Lea, Brian Lea and James Briggs, Jr. his nine grandchildren, April Briggs, Asia Tompkins, Morgan Tompkins, Stacey Thompson, Corey Briggs, Lamonte Briggs, Devin Briggs, Kendra Morris, and Briana Briggs; five great-grand children, his sister, Helen Black, devoted sister-in-law, Kathryn Bland; a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

God hath not promised skies always blue,
Flower strewn pathways all our lives through;
God hath not promised sun without rain,
Joy without sorrow, peace without pain.
But God hath promised strength for the day,
Rest for the labor, light for the way,
Grace for the trials, help from above,

Unfailing sympathy, undying love.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery

1401 S. Randolph St.
Richmond, VA 23220

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 22. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

FEB 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *James Henry Briggs, Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I am extremely sorry for your loss. I can not imagine the pain you have had to endure. May the God of comfort be with you now and in times to come. God's Word the bible promises the hope of seeing our dead loved ones again. That promise is at John 28,29 and also at Revelations 21: 3,4*

Shane Briscoe - February 26, 2015 at 08:56 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss may the fond memories shared be a source of comfort doing this time of grief and pain . How comforting to know that Almighty God has not only the power but the desire to reunite us with our loved ones by means of the resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 : 28,29 when both sickness and death will be no more as promised in Revelation 21:3,4*

Delores Allen - February 21, 2015 at 08:18 AM

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“ To the family of James Briggs,

We at Mount Calvary Cemetery wish to express our deepest sympathies for the loss of your loved one and we pray that God will help to ease your pain in the days to come. We are proud and honored to be chosen as the final resting place for James. This is a responsibility that we do not take lightly and we pledge the highest level of perpetual care to honor his memory. Please do not hesitate to call us with any concerns or if there is anything we can do to make these difficult experiences any easier.

*Jim Glass
General Mgr.
Mount Calvary Cemetery
804-355-5271*

Mt. Calvary Cemetery - February 19, 2015 at 11:43 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - February 19, 2015 at 07:32 AM

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To the family of James Briggs

*Please know that I am thinking of all of you during this time of grief.
You will always be in my prayers*

J. Knight

joyce knight - February 20, 2015 at 04:46 PM