



James Eugene \"Gene\" Averitt

April 30, 1944 - June 16, 2007

James Eugene \"Gene\" Averitt, son of William Thomas Averitt & Alice (Harris) Averitt, was born April 30, 1944 in Paducah, Kentucky. He departed this life Saturday morning, June 16, 2007, at 12:20 AM at Western Baptist Hospital in Paducah, Kentucky. At the time of his passing, Gene had attained the age of 63 years 1 month & 17 days.

Gene is survived by: a Son \"Gene Allen & Carla Averitt of Vienna, IL; a Stepdaughter \"Tona Lee Douglas of Olmsted, IL, a Grandson \"James Robert Allen Averitt; 6 Step Grandchildren \"Terry \"T.J.\", Tyler, Jordan, Steven, Ashley, & Chasity; a Sister \"Rose Harris of Vienna, IL; 4 Brothers \"Earl David Averitt, Charles Averitt, Daniel Averitt, & Ed Averitt all of Vienna, IL; Nieces & Nephews; and a very dear & special friend \"Verla Harner and her family.

In addition to his Parents, Gene was preceded in death by: a Brother \"William B. \"Bill\" Averitt and 2 Sisters \"Bonnie Streetman & Blanche McBride.

Prior to his retirement, Gene was employed as a Correctional Officer at the Vienna Correctional Center. Formerly, he was employed at the Vienna IGA grocery store as an assistant manager and had operated Averitt Tree Service for a number of years. Gene was an avid outdoorsman and especially enjoyed hunting & fishing.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon, June 19, 2007, at 2 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Rev. Richard Swiney will officiate.

Interment will be in the Berea Cemetery. Friends may call from 5-8 PM Monday, June 18, 2007, at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.
Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Eugene \“Gene\” Averitt*

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