



Burl Jennings Black

April 8, 1929 - March 17, 2020

Burl Jennings Black, age 90, passed away at home on Tuesday, March 17, 2020. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Friday, March 20, 2020, at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Paul Elswick officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Thursday, March 19, 2020, from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. for seniors ages 60 and up, and the family will receive all other friends from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Thursday.

Mr. Black was born in Morehead, Kentucky on April 8, 1929, to the late Elisha Johnson and Nina P. Coffey Black. He retired as President of Samson Steel Corporation. His passion was training and racing his Thoroughbred horses. He will be lovingly remembered as a wonderful father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

He is survived by his children, Dee Ann Slade (Terry), Mark Black (Talia), Scott Black (Tammy), Becky Black, Lesha Clark, and Michele Wideman (Roscoe); 16 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Bobbie Jean Robinson Black; daughter, Deborah Black; and siblings, James Edward Black, Elisha J. Black, Earl Selby Black, Allie Black, Anna Mae Kiser, Bernice Howard, Lolita Mullins, Clara June Black, Thelma Lucille Black.

Serving as pallbearers will be his grandsons, Brad Peters, Joshua Tackett, Jason Black, Saber Black, and great-grandsons, Parker Jackson and Alex Jackson.

We encourage those who are not feeling well or experiencing any symptoms, please remain safe at home. The family requests that those who refrain from attending the visitation or service send condolences via a card, flowers, or the online guestbook at www.harrodbrothers.com

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road
Versailles, KY

Previous Events

Visitation for Ages 60 & Up

MAR 19. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-4526
hbfh@harrodbrothers.com
<https://www.harrodbrothers.com>

Visitation

MAR 19. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
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Service

MAR 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Burl Jennings Black*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathies to Burl's family. Jeff thought so very much of him.*

Jeff Wagoner & Cindy Kincaid



Cindy Kincaid - March 18, 2020 at 08:29 PM



“ *Becky, Mark and Scott- we are so sorry for your loss. We used to go to the same gym as Burl and he was always a nice and friendly fellow. Your dad was very supportive and kind to Scott when he was into competitive body building. Keeping you all in our prayers. Karen & Scott Lefler*

Karen & Scott Lefler - March 18, 2020 at 06:56 PM



“ *I'm saddened to hear of his passing. He was a good man. Many prayers for his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.*

George Young - March 18, 2020 at 02:50 PM



“ 42 files added to the album Life Tributes



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - March 18, 2020 at 02:49 PM

TB

“ Teresa And Thomas Brock lit a candle in memory of Burl Jennings Black



Teresa and Thomas Brock - March 18, 2020 at 01:55 PM

DO

“ Donata sent a virtual gift in memory of Burl Jennings Black



Donata - March 18, 2020 at 12:02 PM

DO

Im so sorry for your loss. lots of love and prayers your way.

Donata - March 18, 2020 at 12:03 PM

BS

“ Love you papaw

Brandin Smith - March 17, 2020 at 11:01 PM

LA

“ Scott and Mark we are sorry to hear this. Had lots of good memories with Burl in our younger days. Prayers for you and the family. Love Libby and James

Libby Andersen - March 17, 2020 at 09:48 PM

PB

“ I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your father and my Uncle. We would have a great time when he would to Morehead and we would all go bird hunting. I'm thankful for him starting Universal Steel and providing me a job. Prayers go out to the whole family. God Bless you all. He will be greatly missed. Love Phil

Phillip Black - March 17, 2020 at 07:27 PM

SN

“ We send prayers, love and support to the whole Black family. The Henry and Black families share a friendship that has lasted decades. May our love comfort you in your sorrow and in the days ahead. Don and Susan Henry Noltemeyer

Susan Noltemeyer - March 17, 2020 at 05:24 PM