



James Harrison Purvis

November 16, 1950 - June 21, 2016

Frankfort " Graveside services for James Harrison Purvis, Jr. will be held at 1:00 p.m. Monday at Frankfort Cemetery with Pastor Tim Jumpp officiating. Visitation for family and friends will be 10:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Monday at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Jimmy passed away Tuesday, June 21, 2016.

He was born in Franklin County on November 16, 1950, to James Harrison Purvis, Sr. and Dorothy Jean Quire Purvis. Jimmy was a well-known entrepreneur and an avid fan of horse racing, running greyhounds and gambling.

Jimmy was preceded in death by his wife, Clara Ann Hockensmith Purvis, his parents; and sisters, Pam Hockensmith, Phyllis Lee, Elsie Smith and Sandra Jennings.

Survivors include his children, James T. Purvis, Brenda Purvis, Anthony Purvis (Melanie); grandchildren, Warren Dunn, Zachary Kendall, Rebecca Wilson, Jessica Currens, Meadow Purvis, Alisha Sutcliffe, Austin Sutcliffe; and great grandchildren, Peyton Young, Zaden Kendall and Anthony Dunn. He is also survived by brothers, Jessie Purvis (Sharon), Ricky Purvis, Harold W. Purvis; and sisters, Beverly Hockensmith (Freddie), Lisa Hockensmith, Barbara Crawley, Vicki Moran, and Mary Jo Earnhart.

Pallbearers will be Warren Dunn, Zachary Kendall, Wayne Ellis, Hubert Peyton, Tony Cummins, Darren Hockensmith, Dale Blankenship and Chris Blankenship. Victor Smith, Willie Carrier, Ricky Woods, Floyd Hockensmith, Jessie Quire and Kermit Caudill will serve as honorary bearers.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home. Condolences may be shared via the online guest book at www.harrodbrothers.com

Tribute Wall



“ *James Harrison Purvis*

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“ *To the family:
I'm sorry I was unable to make it to the service today but please know my
thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Robin Fallis Moore - June 27, 2016 at 12:53 PM



“ *Rest In Peace Friend....
I have known you for so many years and have nothing but fond memories of you.
(especially the singing :)
I always felt welcome at your places of business. May peace be with all of your
family. I know you will be missed by so many.*

Robin Fallis Moore - June 27, 2016 at 12:50 PM