



Dennis Hamilton

March 21, 1955 - August 12, 2023

Dennis Charles Hamilton was born on March 21, 1955, In Starkville, Mississippi, to Bertha Lee Gillespie and James R. Hamilton.

After relocating to Los Angeles, California with his family, he attended Fremont High School and graduated in 1973.

Dennis made the decision to move back to his hometown of Starkville, Mississippi. He worked for Mississippi State University and East Mississippi Lumber Company. He was also a self-taught auto mechanic and worked for his uncle at the John Gillespie Auto Parts and Repair Shop in Starkville.

Dennis enjoyed watching boxing matches, football games (especially the New Orleans Saints) and basketball games. He also enjoyed attending barbeques and parties with his many friends, family and neighbors.

Dennis was very proud of his daughter and grandchildren. It gave him great joy to have a visit with them and to hear about their sporting events and their school progress.

Dennis is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Latosha and Gary Clarke; his sister and brother-in-law, Jeanne and Eric Tillmon; his brother, Melvin Brown; his aunt, Ether Sims; grandson, Daveon Pace; granddaughter, Lauren Brown; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Dennis was preceded in death by his parents, James Hamilton and Bertha Hamilton; his sister, Johnie Yvonne Rodgers; and his, brother Jesse Lee Hamilton.

Previous Events

Chapel Service

SEP 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

Hairston and Hairston Funeral Home Chapel - Starkville
112 Earnest H. Jones Jr. Dr.
Starkville, MS 39759

Tribute Wall

YO

“ Yolanda lit a candle in memory of Dennis Hamilton



Yolanda - September 23, 2023 at 10:09 PM

CP

“ Cheryl Poole lit a candle in memory of Dennis Hamilton



Cheryl Poole - September 04, 2023 at 01:52 AM

CT

“ Clifton & Catherine Tate sent a virtual gift in memory of Dennis Hamilton



Clifton & Catherine Tate - September 02, 2023 at 11:43 AM

GR

“ Glenda Robert sent a virtual gift in memory of Dennis Hamilton



Glenda robert - August 30, 2023 at 01:24 PM

KG

“ *Karl E Gillespie sent a virtual gift in memory of Dennis Hamilton*



Karl E Gillespie - August 29, 2023 at 03:52 AM

CF

“ *Sending condolences and thinking of each of you. Sending lots of love, cousin Margie*

Cousin Margie & family - August 25, 2023 at 11:52 PM

CT

“ *Clifton & Catherine Harris Tate lit a candle in memory of Dennis Hamilton*



Clifton & Catherine Harris Tate - August 25, 2023 at 12:45 PM

EM

“ *Emma Ellis Mays lit a candle in memory of Dennis Hamilton*



Emma Ellis Mays - August 22, 2023 at 02:35 PM

AB

“ *Sending my heartfelt condolences to the entire family 🙏🙏🙏*



Ann Bishop-Harris - August 19, 2023 at 08:51 PM

BH

“ *Barbara Hill sent a virtual gift in memory of Dennis Hamilton*



Barbara Hill - August 19, 2023 at 04:09 PM

CR

“ *Cynthia Robinson lit a candle in memory of Dennis Hamilton*



Cynthia Robinson - August 18, 2023 at 03:10 PM