



## James Albert Mays Jr

May 2, 1962 - April 23, 2017

James A. Mays was born to the late Dorothy Green-Mack and James Mays Sr. James in Belle Glade, Florida. He attended Martin County High and Vero Beach High. As he transitioned through life, he acquired several hobbies such as sports, mechanic work, helping others and spreading God's word. He was currently working at Mar Jac Poultry and attending Set Free Ministries. He was not only a working man but a man that was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and friend. James is preceded in death by his mother Dorothy Green-Mack. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife Queen Iris Blatch Mays, his father James Albert Mays Sr. (Marie) his children: Tydell Breland-Mays, LaShareesha Mays(3 grandchildren), Justin Blatch, Kiara Bryant, Trish Miley, Khalif Bryant, Brandi(Munchkin/Arab) Bryant; siblings: Natasha Mays (Johnathan) Wesson, Caroline Green Greaves (Horatio), Janice Mays, Diane Mays, Allesta Jones, Jason Mays, Jolee Mays; special aunts: Betty Scarlett, Doris Mays; uncles: Leroy Scarlett, Sam Green, Edward Scarlett, William Scarlett, Johnny (Ella) Mays; nieces and nephews: Michael Paul Mays, Taneka Hall, Jimmy Jones, Ferrell Singleton (Borat); cousins: LaKisha Scarlett, Edward Scarlett Jr., Terrance; special friends: Carl and Miriam Willis, Ricky Lymons; Godson: Dorall M. Willis and a host of dearly loved relatives and friends..

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Gardens Cemetery

1900 Gardens Blvd  
Gainesville, GA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wimberly Funeral Home  
325 Summitt St SE  
Gainesville, GA 30501  
(770) 536-3251  
[info@wimberlyjackson.com](mailto:info@wimberlyjackson.com)  
<https://www.wimberlyjacksonfuneralhome.com>

## Service

MAY 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

Set Free Ministry  
881 Dorsey Street  
Gainesville, GA 30501

# Tribute Wall

IM

“ Here there my forever love, whew so much has changed. Thinking of you today and always saying keep going and praying lil momma. You have left a void like no other; however, I’m trying to do as you asked be happy. My guardian angel till death due us part. We did that **STAYED MARRIED UNTIL** You earned your wings🕊️🕊️. You said your spirit remains I’m weary so keep me going Beloved.  
Queen Iris 💜🌹🙏💕💜



Iris Blatch Mays - April 12, 2024 at 06:28 PM

IM

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Iris Blatch Mays - April 12, 2024 at 06:29 PM

LM

“ This year pops is just like any other year! Just keep going right pops?! I love and miss you and not one day is easy without you but years and years later it's still taking its own time to get use to you not being here. But pops life gots to keep got right?! I love you and I hope I was able to show you that because i think I didn't have enough time to show you so you got to know that I did I do and I will forever love you!

Lashareesha mays - December 24, 2023 at 01:08 PM



“ James Albert Mays Jr

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM

LM

“ Another day year and moment without you. I just want you to know your about to be a grandpa for the 5th time...it's a boy this time daddy.. I want to name him after you I want to be able to have you again. Life isn't fair and I don't think I ever meant for it to be but I wish I could of had a little more time with you..me you and the kids... I miss you so much. Year after year trying to go on don't get no easier I'm just lifted with a hole that can't be filled.. I know your probably saying baby girl you have to let me go but imagine losing someone you thought that you would have forever.. it's pain pop it's true pain.. many of these days I need to pick up the phone and call you but heaven don't have a personal line.. seeing you face always made me better no matter what I was going through and now I'm here in this world with you trying to figure out them days when they hit no one to call on but God wishing I can talk to my daddy see your face and hear your voice... Pops I love and miss you dearly

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**Lashareesha Mays** - January 30, 2022 at 07:30 AM

LM

“ THEY SAY TIME HEALS ALL WOUNDS BUT THATS NOT TRUE AND SOME HOW IM STILL GOING BUT NOT HAVE FOUND A WAY TO LIVE WITHOUT YOU!! YOU LEFT ME IN THIS COLD WORLD WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO GET RID OF THE PAIN I BARE WITH YOU NOT HERE POPS!! YOU KNEW ME BEST YOU WAS MY ONLY FRIEND..ALL THE YEARS WE SPENT APART BECAUSE OF YOUR WAYS I WANT IT AND THEN AGAIN I DONT WANT TO CHANGE NOTHING ABOUT YOU AND WITH COMES THE TIME I DIDN'T HAVE WITH YOU!! THE TIME I DID GET POPS I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT I LOVE AND CHERISHED EVERY MOMENT WHEN I THINK OF IT..IT FEELS SOOOO GOOD BUT THEN I WANT TO MAKE AND HAVE MORE TIME AND I NO LONGER HAVE A CHANCE.. POPS YOU TALKING ABOUT A SPIRAL MANNN I DON'T WHAT TO THINK OF IT BUT I KNOW ONE THING IVE GOTTEN OUT OF IT...IVE GOTTEN A RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD I FOUND HIM SO INSTEAD OF CRYING POPS I JUST FEEL IT SO I FEEL IM A STEP CLOSER TO UNDERSTAND WHY YOU HAD TO GO! WHY OUR TIME WAS UP AND DONT THINK I DIDNT HEAR YOU AT THE END OF THIS I KNOW YOU WANTED TO BE WITH GRANDMA BUT I WAS SECRETLY BEING SELFISH WHEN I SAID M AND THE KIDS NEEDED YOU HERE BECAUSE ILL NEVER WANT TO NOT HEAR YOUR VOICE OR I DONT WANT TO FEEL ANY PAIN OF NOT HAVING YOU PHYSICALLY HERE..BUT I LOVE AND MISS YOU DADDY..YOUR LA...

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Lashareesha mays - August 18, 2021 at 12:22 PM

LM

“ DADDY I MISS YOU SO MUCH.. ALOT OF MY DAYS ARE HARD NOW ESPECIALLY BECAUSE I CANT PICK UP THE PHONE AND CALL YOU I CAN NO LONGER HEAR YOUR VOICE. I HAVE NO ONE ELSE TO TURN TO LIKE I HAD YOU. YOU PROMISED ME THAT YOU WOULDN'T LEAVE ME BUT GOD HAD OTHER PLANS WHICH THAT PROMISE THERE POPS I CANT BE MAD THAT IT WAS BROKEN. I LOVE AND MISS YOU AND THE GIRLS MISSES YOU AS WELL YOU WILL BE FOREVER MISS DADDY AND LOVED BEYOND YOUR TIME.

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**Lashareesha Mays** - November 25, 2019 at 02:39 PM

JS

“ My husband and I have so many precious memories with James Mays aka Pops that we can't only pick one. Pops was a very loved man by many people, especially my husband and I. He had a good heart and would give you the shirt off his back. That's just the type of man Pops was. Pops you are truly missed. R.I.P. our dear friend. I'm hoping your mommy was there to greet you at the pearly gates and just watch over everyone you loved and everyone that loved you.

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**Jenny Sanchez** - May 04, 2017 at 06:53 PM