



James Bryant Hughes

March 25, 1935 - February 10, 2017

James Bryant Hughes, 81, of Mallard Lake Drive, Danville, VA passed away on Friday, February 10, 2017 at Danville Regional Medical Center due to heart complications.

Mr. Hughes was born in Danville, VA on March 25, 1935 a son to the late Worth Hughes and Ollie Thaxton Hughes. He had lived all of his life in Danville where had worked for Good-Year Tire & Rubber Plant in the chemical compounding development department as a mixing technician for tire formulas. He retired from Goodyear in December of 1999 with 31 years of service. Prior to Goodyear he had worked in the bindery and as a press operator in Dan River Mills printing department and as a journeyman and linotype operator in the composing room as a type setter for the Danville Register & Bee Publishing Company. Bryant married the love of his life in 1953, Sylvia Gobble Hughes who died on September 14, 2014. He was a member of the North Congregation of the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Bryant is survived by their five children, Mark Hughes (Kay), Lynn Hughes (Julie), Sandra H. Self (Larry), Gena Hughes, Jon Hughes, eight grandchildren, Shelley Hughes, Brynn Hughes, Casey Hughes, Jeri Hughes, Hayley H. Bryant, Colby Self, Logan Self and Lucas Self. He and Sylvia were also blessed with five great-grandchildren.

A Memorial Service for Bryant will be conducted on Monday, February 13, at 7:00 p.m. from the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel by the Elder Al Valentine. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. and at other times they will be at the residence of his son, Mark & Kay Hughes, 460 Loomfixer Lake Road, Danville, VA 24541.

Bryant felt that his greatest accomplishment in life was his children, grandchildren, great grandchildren whom he dearly loved with all of his heart.

Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Hughes family.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel
5858 Riverside Drive
Danville, VA 24541
(434) 793-5511
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Tribute Wall

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“ TO ALL OF THE HUGHES FAMILY - BRYANT AND SYLVIA WERE THE MOST BEAUTIFUL COUPLE. I SO LOVE ALL OF YOUR FAMILY. EACH ONE OF YOU ARE SO SPECIAL AND THIS IS SUCH A HARD LOSS FOR ALL OF US. IT WAS HIS BELIEF THAT HE WOULD BE RESURRECTED AND BE ABLE TO LIVE IN A PARADISE EARTH AND I PRAY THAT ALL OF US WILL BE THERE TO WELCOME HIM BACK TO WORK SIDE BY SIDE WITH HIM AND SYLVIA ALONG WITH MY MOM AND DAD. I HAVE SUCH FOND MEMORIES OF BEING WITH MARK AND KAY BUT ESPECIALLY SANDRA. REMEMBER WHEN WE WENT RIDING ON THE MOTORCYCLES IN THE RAIN. YOUR MOM AND DAD THOUGHT WE WERE CRAZY AND I GUESS WE WERE. MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND LOVE TO EACH, PHYLLIS COX ABNEY

PHYLLIS COX ABNEY - February 13, 2017 at 08:02 PM

JF

“ Bryant was a good friend and I had the privilege of studying the Bible with him in the early to mid 1950's. We both attended G.W. High at the same time. We love both him and his family and he will be missed!

J.L. and Joan Fox

J. L. Fox - February 13, 2017 at 09:38 AM

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“ Sentara Halifax Regional ED Staff purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James Bryant Hughes.



Sentara Halifax Regional ED Staff - February 13, 2017 at 09:29 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James Bryant Hughes.



February 12, 2017 at 10:49 AM

GM

“ Mark and Kay , I am so sorry to read about Mr Bryant. He was a wonderful customer and always a joy to talk to. I will miss him. Gracie



Gracie Mays - February 11, 2017 at 11:11 PM