



## James Madison Speaks Sr.

November 4, 1956 - August 27, 2019

James Madison Speaks, Sr., age 62, of Morrilton, Arkansas, passed away Tuesday, August 27, 2019. He was born November 4, 1956 in Morrilton, Arkansas, a son of Willie Jackson Speaks and Loretta Powell Speaks. He was a school bus mechanic and driver and of the Church of Christ faith.

He is survived by his son, James (Andrea) Speaks, Jr. of Hot Springs, Arkansas; daughters, Jamie Price, Amy Whisnant, and Candy Godby, all of Morrilton; sisters, Helen Boyce and Laura Cariker; and many grandchildren.

Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, Rudy Speaks, David Speaks, and Jerry (Michael) Speaks.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Friday, August 30, at the Harris Chapel with Mickey Burleson and Charles Bane officiating. Burial will be at Elmwood Cemetery by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. The family will receive friends one hour prior to service.

# Cemetery Details

## Elmwood Cemetery

1830 Highway 113  
Morrilton, AR 72110

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 30.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Harris Funeral Homes - Morrilton  
1325 Oak St  
Morrilton, AR 72110  
(501) 354-4575

## Funeral Service

**AUG 30.** 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *James Madison Speaks Sr.*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *I just found out yesterday that James passed away. My heart was deeply saddened. I remember James as a student here at UACCM, then Petit Jean VoTech. He was always nice and kind to me. He would always stop to say hello. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

*Harold and Mary Newsome*

**Mary J Newsome** - September 16, 2019 at 10:54 AM



“ *I taught James a long time ago. He was a really good kid and grew up to be a really good man. I always enjoyed running into him at Walmart or wherever. He will be missed. I pray for peace, comfort, and understanding for all of his family.*

*Todd Rasmussen*

**Todd Rasmussen** - August 29, 2019 at 09:52 PM



“ *Prayers going up for your family Helen And Luara Betty Ann and Jonathan Lindsey*

**Betty Lindsey** - August 28, 2019 at 10:12 PM