



Mr. Joe Nathan Essex

April 16, 1937 - September 5, 2018

Joe Nathan Essex was born April 16, 1937 in Fannin, MS. He was preceded in death by his parents James and Maggie Essex; two sons, Burrell and Nathaniel Essex; two brothers, John and Jimmie Essex; three sisters, Pearlean Griffith, Elizabeth Tate and Lillian Williams.

Joe joined Greater New Truelight Missionary Baptist Church at an early age and was a member until his death.

Joe enjoyed family, friends and hunting. He worked at the Cataphote for thirty-six years until his retirement.

Joe leaves to cherish his precious memories:

three daughters: Betty (Moritmer) Jefferson, Chicago, IL; Teisha Blackmon of Brandon, MS; Diashell Reynolds of Jackson, MS; one son: Terry (Donna) Essex of Atlanta, Ga; nine sisters: Geneva (Bob) Myers, Hattie Greer, Eatie Nolan all of Brandon, MS; Ella Williams of Lena, MS; Lillie (Lonnie) Horne of Jackson, MS; Maggie (Bennie) Davis, Mary Mims, Mary Campbell all of Saginaw, MI; Linnie Williams of Detroit, MI.; two brothers: Robert (Cherie) Essex, Tommie (Johnnie) Essex of Saginaw, MI., A special friend Arelia Blackmon; ten grandchildren, nineteen great grandchildren, seven great great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Greater New Truelight M. B. Church Cemetery

316 Church Road
Brandon, MS 39047

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **14**. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dean Memorial Funeral Home
745 Highway 468
Brandon, MS 39042
(601) 825-3884
<https://deanmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Service

SEP **15**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Greater New Truelight M. B. Church
316 Church Road
Brandon, MS 39047

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr. Joe was a very kind and friendly neighbor. His smiles and friendly waves when we crossed paths will be missed. The Andrew Shavers Jr. family sends our condolences and prayers asking God to comfort the Essex family in their time of loss.*

Andrew Shavers Jr. - September 12, 2018 at 10:04 PM