



Mr. Richard "Peter" Spann, Sr.

May 14, 1936 - November 10, 2025

A time to be born:

Born to George Spann and Bettie Hobson on May 14, 1936. He was one of 13 children. At an early he joined Friendship church and remained faithful until his death.

A time to live:

He attend Carter High School, where he played basketball. He joined the U.S. Army April 4, 1955, where he was station in West Point, New York. He had an honorable discharge. He held many capacity at his church he loved so dear.

In 1962 he married his high school sweetheart, Dessie Ree Trigg Spann. to this union 3 children was born.

"Peter" known by his family and friend, he retired 3 times then he became an Entrepreneur selling his goods he found in resident garbage.

He went back and obtain his GED from Rankin School. Upon graduation they put the name of graduate in the Rankin County News, he purchase every copy he could get his hands on and disturbed through out Brandon to family and friends.

He was an avid hunter, he loved fishing, baseball, basketball, his favorite football team was the San Francisco 49"rs. He lived for moments with his family from near and far.

His major accomplish when he received his PHD in Theology degree from Baptist seminary.

A time to die:

Peter departed the life on Monday, November 10, 2025 at 11:58 pm He was proceeded in death by his parents, George and Betty Hobson; his siblings; Henry, Haywood, Norwood, Roscoe, Tommie, Arthur, Sandy, LeRoy, Marvin, Betty Ruth, Georgia, Elsie, his granddaughter LaSidra Spann.

A time to mown:

Richard leaves to cherish his memory one daughter, Shornita (James) Shavers, two sons; Richard (Michelle) Spann, Jr. of Brandon, MS; and Roland (Charlotte) Spann of Collins, MS; four grandsons; Cedric (Shandrea Spann of Utica, MS; Quinton Shavers (Shannon) and Richard Spann III of Brandon, MS, and Davion Owens of Mt. Olive, MS; two granddaughters Kennedy Owens of Mt. Olive, MS and Kailey Spann of Brandon, MS; Great grandchildren; Owen Spann of Brandon, MS; Jayce, Jabari, Laya Spann, of Utica, MS; Lailah of Ruston. LA, LaDea of Mount Olive, MS. He also leaves to cherish his memory sister in laws, Dorothy Bryant of Flowood, MS; Lee Mary Burton, Delois Trigg of Pearl, MS; Shirley Spann and Flosie Jones of Brandon, MS, Mary Alice (Kilvin) Griffin, Shirley Trigg, Clara Mae Trigg of Jackson, MS; two brother in laws; John (Thelma) Trigg and Tony (Floree) Trigg of Pearl, MS; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

The legacy

He was the only surviving Spann. May his legacy live on thru his Sons, grandson, great grand children, nieces and nephews and all those who loved him.

Cemetery Details

Greater New Friendship MB Church Cemetery

755 Shiloh Road
Brandon, MS 39042

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 15. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Homegoing Service

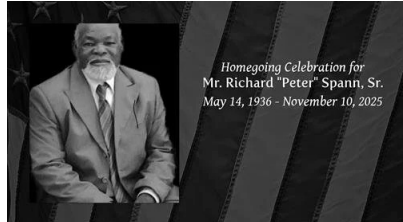
NOV 16. 3:00 PM (CT)

Greater New Friendship M. B. Church
755 Shiloh Road
Brandon, MS 39042

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Richard "Peter" Spann, Sr.*



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - November 14, 2025 at 08:27 PM

AB

“ *Alexis Bilbro lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Alexis Bilbro - November 18, 2025 at 08:54 PM

DE

“ *Praying for my family.
Delois Burk Trigg*



Delois - November 16, 2025 at 01:59 PM

MR

“ *Myra Ransom sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Spann,*



Myra Ransom - November 16, 2025 at 11:02 AM

VJ

“ *Vergie Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Spann,*



Vergie Jackson - November 16, 2025 at 10:48 AM

PJ

“ *Patricia Jones lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Patricia Jones - November 15, 2025 at 05:35 PM

GW

“ *Greta Webster lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Greta Webster - November 15, 2025 at 12:08 PM

HR

“ *Hanner Richard lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Hanner Richard - November 15, 2025 at 03:50 AM

AQ

“ *Annice Quinn lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Annice Quinn - November 15, 2025 at 01:01 AM

AA

“ *Sending my deepest condolences to the family* 🙏🙏🙏



Alfredia Anioma - November 14, 2025 at 09:08 PM

EA

“ *Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Eddie Ainsworth - November 14, 2025 at 07:51 PM

EW

“ *Many years of families & friends. Praying for comfort to the families. God is able. Bro. & Sis. Johnny Winsley.*

Edna Winsley - November 14, 2025 at 08:59 AM



“ *With deepest sympathy in your loss of Mr Spann 🙏*



Sarah McIntyre Smith - November 14, 2025 at 07:56 AM

LC

“ *Sincerest Condolences to The Family Prayers for The Spann family during your time of Grief 🙏🙏🙏 RIP until the appointed time....*



Lloyd Collier - November 13, 2025 at 07:35 PM



“ *Tasha Lewis lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Tasha Lewis - November 13, 2025 at 07:24 PM

MB

“ *With our deepest condolences to the Spann Family. The Boone Family*



Myra Boone - November 13, 2025 at 05:06 PM

AH

“ *Condolences from the Harmon Family*



Almeda Harmon - November 13, 2025 at 04:39 PM

EY

“ *Evelyn Young lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,*



Evelyn Young - November 13, 2025 at 02:53 PM

TW

“ *Terri D Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Spann,*



Terri D Williams - November 13, 2025 at 01:38 PM

ET

“ Evelyn Tillis lit a candle in memory of Richard Spann,



Evelyn Tillis - November 13, 2025 at 11:28 AM

NK

“ Prayers for strength during this time of loss



Natalie Keyes - November 13, 2025 at 07:31 AM