



James Nello Yeargan

September 27, 1931 - October 27, 2019

James Nello Yeargan, 88, passed away October 27th, 2019 after a series of complications from diabetes and pneumonia.

He was preceded in death by his parents James Foy and Lela Yeargan, step mother Bessie Yeargan, his brother John Leonard Yeargan, his sister Juanita Nutt, and brother Ira Goodwin.

He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Patti Graham Yeargan, and his first wife of 32 years, and mother of his children, Nell Wilk. His children Michael Yeargan (Laurie), Mark Yeargan (Susan), Terry Yeargan (Julia), Melissa Hughes (Billy), and Melanie Carden (Mike-deceased). His Grandchildren David Hughes (Heather), Carrie Mintz (Kevin), Rebecca Yeargan, Jenny Yeargan, Kevin Carden, Carley Milinichik (Joshua), Anna Matlock (Matthew), Sarah Carden (Josh Faulk), Rowland Yeargan, Bennett Yeargan, Kristina Graham, and Marshal Yeargan. Great Grandchildren Gavin Mintz, William Hughes, Hailey Hughes, Mason Faulk, Harper Milinichik, Cooper Hughes, Penelope Milinichik, Noah Matlock and Odin Milinichik. His siblings Sybil Hurst, Laverne Ellis, Felton Yeargan, Pete Goodwin, Eva Lloyd, and Lela McCarson. His Step Children Earl Kerr, Wesley Kerr, Toni Kellam, Shannon Graham.

He was a loving Father, Grandfather, and Great Grandfather, and a faithful member of Good Hope Baptist Church. He had a passion for Gospel Music and spreading the love of Jesus Christ.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at Good Hope Baptist Church, Cary,

NC on Monday November 4th, 2019 at 2:00 pm. The family will receive friends from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm.

Burial will take place in the Cemetery with Military Honors, ensuing the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his memory to Good Hope Baptist Church Building Fund.

Cemetery Details

Good Hope Baptist Church Cemetery

6628 Good Hope Church Rd
Cary, NC 27519

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 1:00 PM (ET)

Good Hope Baptist Church
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Cary, NC 27519

Celebration of Life Service

NOV 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

WL

“ *Williams family, Bobby, Kay, Ty and Lynne purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of James Nello Yeargan.*



Williams family, Bobby, Kay, Ty and Lynne - October 30, 2019
at 10:19 PM

TC

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. What legacy of family. Sending prayers and love~Terry and Larry Cross*

Terry Cross - October 30, 2019 at 11:44 AM

BV

“ *So sad to hear of Mr. Nello's passing, but am so happy that he is free from the pains of this earthly life. I know how much he loved gospel music, and I can just picture him in heaven singing a new song in praise and honor to our Lord Jesus Christ. What a blessing to have know this sweet man; my deepest sympathy to his family.*

Brenda Vath - October 30, 2019 at 08:41 AM

MB

“ *Such a sweet man , who fought hard against the ravages of disease every day . He brought sunshine with song to many at Laurels and he will Be Missed . Sing with gusto in the Heavenly choir!! Love to all your family . Bill & Mary Lou*

Mary Lou Booth - October 30, 2019 at 08:14 AM

SM

“ I’m saddened to hear of your loss. What a great man! Happy memories of chats with Nello.....absolutely delightful he was!!! Keeping you all in prayer.
Sue Yeargan McLean

Sue McLean - October 30, 2019 at 07:22 AM

AG

“ Our thoughts and prayers to all the family and especially Melissa and Carley. We knew Nello only briefly in his long life, but he made a lasting impression - a good man. I know you will miss him.
Ann and Patrick Griffin

Ann Griffin - October 30, 2019 at 02:39 AM

DS

“ David Stanley lit a candle in memory of James Nello Yeargan



David Stanley - October 29, 2019 at 09:13 PM

DS

“ To the family of Nello,
It's with great sadness that I write this note, as this earth was a better place with Nello present in body and spirit. Nello will be sorely missed by his friends, church and community. His sence of humor was only exceeded by his love for music. I can only imagine how much trouble he has been in during his short stay in Heaven. I hope his dad, Mr. Foy has enjoyed his quiet time, for now he will have his hands full trying to keep Nello under control. What a reunion that must be. Nello, go in peace my friend, rest easy as we won't be far behind.

David Stanley

David Stanley - October 29, 2019 at 09:11 PM