



Mr Jerry Pete Burkes

June 6, 1936 - July 8, 2025

Jerry Pete Burkes
Carthage, MS

Jerry Pete Burkes, 89, a retired geologist for the US Corp of Engineers, died Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at Carthage Senior Care.

Visitation is 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm Wednesday, July 9, 2025, at Wilcox Funeral Home. Services are 10:00 am Thursday, July 10, 2025, at Rocky Point Baptist Church with Bro. Brett Martin officiating. Interment is in Rocky Point Cemetery. Wilcox Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Burkes was a native of Leake County and a member of Rocky Point Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry Newton and Grace Dorman Burkes and a sister, Barbara Ann Dorsey.

Survivors include his wife, Norma Burkes of Carthage; 2 sons, John W. Burkes (Deborah) and Stacey Lynn Burkes (Mary), both of Carthage; 2 daughters, Cindy Barnett (Mike) of Fayetteville, AR and Becky Mann of Carthage; 8 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are Josh Mann, Turner Burkes, Darian Chervenak, Aaron Mann, Billy Pickle, and Glyn Dorsey.

Cemetery Details

Rocky Point Church Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **9**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wilcox Funeral Home
106 S Jordan Street
Carthage, MS 39051
(601) 267-8081
wilcoxfh@netdoor.com
<https://www.wilcoxfuneralhome.com/>

Service

JUL **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Rocky Point Baptist Church
Carthage, MS

Tribute Wall



“ *RWDC Industries purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr Jerry Pete Burkes.*



RWDC Industries - July 08, 2025 at 08:13 PM



“ *The Texas Lovorns Wade, Sherry & family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mr Jerry Pete Burkes.*



The Texas Lovorns Wade, Sherry & family - July 08, 2025 at 02:50 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr Jerry Pete Burkes.*



July 08, 2025 at 01:38 PM