



## James Wade, Sr

October 12, 1951 - November 24, 2022

In Loving Memory of Mr. James Erwin Wade, Sr., who was born on October 12, 1951, in Talladega, Alabama to the union of William Fletcher Wade and Doris Gravette Wade.

After completing his formal education in the Talladega City School System, Mr. Wade enlisted in the US Navy for two years and transferred to the US Army serving his country for over six years as a Staff Sargent. He later returned home to Talladega and became a truck driver for many years with various companies with his last being Waites Concrete.

While traveling his 71-year earthly journey, Mr. Wade became the father of one son, James, Jr.. He was later united in Holy Matrimony to the Mrs. Deborah Jones Wade and to this union came the blessing of five loving bonus children. He was an avid outdoorsman who enjoyed fishing and going to the shooting range, but he was also a collector who traveled a lot and loved collecting valuable items.

After 71 blessed years of traveling this earthly journey, Mr. Wade was called from labor to eternal rest on Thursday, November 24, 2022. Once making his transition Mr. Wade was reunited with his parents, William and Doris Wade, brother, Ricky Wade, and sister, Debra Wade.

Mr. Wade leaves memories to forever be cherished by his son, James Edwin Wade, Jr.; six bonus children, Laura Holbert, Marie Johnson, Roger Johnson, Tim Johnson, Jamie Popham, and Jason Popham; three grandchildren, Zoe McGuire, James Wade, III, and Kylea Wade; ten bonus grandchildren, Candice Gilliland, Patrick Hurst, Sean Johnson, Alivia Huffman, Hannah Lindsey, Lauren Johnson, Dale Johnson, Chelsea Hale, B.J. Hale, and Rodney Gilliland; and a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephew, other relatives, and friends.