



## Mr. James Herbert Drake

February 20, 1935 - September 20, 2022

Mr. James Herbert Drake, 87, of Brookedale in Hartwell, GA passed away on Tuesday, September 20, 2022, at the St. Mary's Hospice House in Watkinsville, GA.

Mr. Drake was born in Comer, GA on February 20, 1935, son of the late James Grady Drake and the late Bertie Lee Garrett Drake. He was a store manager having worked for Genuine Parts Company, a United States Air Force veteran, and of the Baptist faith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Ann Cooley Drake.

Survivors include his son and daughter-in-law, Randy and Rosa Drake of Buford, GA; and grandchildren, Nathan, Vanessa and Michael.

A graveside service for Mr. Drake will be held in the Bethel M. Baptist Church Cemetery at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 24, 2022, with Rev. James Gunn officiating.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA was in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Bethel M Baptist Church Cemetery

9283 Wildcat Bridge Road  
Danielsville, GA 30633

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

SEP 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MK

“ *Michael Kitchens lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Herbert Drake*



Michael Kitchens - September 28, 2022 at 02:42 PM

TM

“ *Theresa Dove McDaris lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Herbert Drake*



Theresa Dove McDaris - September 21, 2022 at 03:53 PM

JB

“ *Johnny And Helen Banister lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Herbert Drake*



Johnny and Helen Banister - September 21, 2022 at 12:56 PM

RL

*Have known Mr.Drake ever since he has been at Brookdale...have sat on the front porch with him and watching the traffic pass by...He was a nice man,we had lots of great chats together...Never heard him say anything bad about any one.he talked how he missed his family and he wanted to to see his mother and wife...Now he will be able to see those people that he loved that has passed own before him...God bless him and family...Ray H Lewis!*

ray lewis - September 22, 2022 at 11:16 AM

CG

*I always looked forward to seeing him at Brookdale. Peace for him and for his family.*  
*Cheri Griggs*

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**Cheri Griggs** - September 23, 2022 at 05:24 PM

LB

*"Mr. James" was a familiar face during the time that my mother lived at Brookdale. He was always friendly, polite, and such a sweet man. More than once I saw him sweeping the porch and pulling up weeds. My prayers to his family at his loss.*

*Lynn Beggs Martin*

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**Lynn B.Martin** - October 02, 2022 at 01:29 PM