



## Mr. Tex Byess

January 14, 1929 - April 26, 2017

Tex Byess, 88 of Union Grove, The Morgan City area, died Wednesday April 26, 2017 at his residence.

Mr. Byess was born January 14, 1929 in Marble Hill Georgia to David Byess and Lettie Mae Perry Byess. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He and the former Nora Wanda Brooks were married for 61 ½ years. Mr. Byess worked for IBM, The Apollo, Saturn and Skylab Programs in Huntsville. He and his wife also owned Morgan City Feed and Seed for 21 years before selling the business. He enjoyed boating, skiing and fishing and loved Alabama Football. He was a member of the Union Grove Masonic Lodge # 320 and had earned his 50 year pin.

Mr. Byess attended Rock Church in Huntsville.

He is survived by his wife: Wanda Byess; his daughter: Carol Byess Bondeson; grandchildren: Josh Bondeson and Shanda and Robin Kent; great grandchildren: Jon Greer and Candice Ford, Brooke Kent and Bella Kent; great great grandchild: Addison Greer and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends. He was preceded in death by his parents: David and Lettie Mae Byess; a son-in-law: Vernon Bondeson; two brothers: Bill Byess and Troy Byess.

Funeral service will be 1:00 p.m. Saturday April 29, 2017 at Brindlee Mountain Baptist Church in Morgan City with Brothers: David Nelson, Rusty Nelson and Eldridge Criscoe, officiating. He will lie-in-state from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. prior to the service. Burial will be in Union Grove Cemetery in Morgan City

with Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing.

Pallbearers will be David Byess, Dean Byess, Randy Byess, Tex Byess, Randy Light and Pete Lewter.

Visitation will be 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Friday April 28, 2017 at Brindlee Mountain Baptist Church in Morgan City.

# Cemetery Details

## Union Grove Cemetery (Morgan County)

674 Farm Supply Rd  
Lacey's Spring, AL 35754

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 28. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brindlee Mountain Baptist Church  
3422 Hwy 231  
Lacey's Spring, AL 35754

## Lie-In-State

APR 29. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Brindlee Mountain Baptist Church  
3422 Hwy 231  
Lacey's Spring, AL 35754

## Service

APR 29. 1:00 PM (CT)

Brindlee Mountain Baptist Church  
3422 Hwy 231  
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# Tribute Wall

CP

“*Tex was like a grandfather to my two my children in the 70's. We spent many happy times with him and Wanda on Smith Lake. There was never a dull moment, boat rides, water skiing, fishing, or just hanging out. Tex was admired and loved by my family and gave us lessons about life and good memories that will last forever. He was one of a kind and loved by all... God speed.*

*Charles Pickett*

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**Charles Pickett** - May 03, 2017 at 08:34 AM

TY

“*Trish Young lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Trish Young** - April 28, 2017 at 06:18 PM

SC

“*Sorry I can't be there to show my respects. I loved Tex he was always so nice and helpful to me. Love you Mrs. Wanda and Carol. You will be in my prayers.*

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**Sherry Couch** - April 28, 2017 at 04:45 PM

SC

“ Sherry Couch lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess



Sherry Couch - April 28, 2017 at 04:41 PM

SH

“ Sandra Hauck sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tex Byess



Sandra Hauck - April 28, 2017 at 09:46 AM

SH

*Tex will be remembered with kindness and love for all that he gave to each individual that he met and for the goodness of his heart--always a smile for everyone.*

Sandra Hauck - April 28, 2017 at 09:48 AM

AM

“ Tex - You couldn't ask for a better man. He always had a smile and was genuinely concerned about you. My prayers to all of the family, especially Mrs. Wanda.  
Alice McDonald



Alice L McDonald - April 28, 2017 at 08:31 AM

MF

“ *What I remember most about Tex was that he was always a gentleman to me. Prayers go out to all of you. Love you*

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**Mary Fowler** - April 28, 2017 at 08:21 AM

TA

“ *Tracy Abbett Alligood lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Tracy Abbett Alligood** - April 28, 2017 at 07:56 AM

DC

“ *Dude And Helen Oden Childers sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Dude and Helen Oden childers** - April 28, 2017 at 03:55 AM

DM

“ *Donnie And Shirley Edwards Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Donnie and Shirley Edwards Moore** - April 28, 2017 at 03:18 AM

WC

“ *William Dude And Helen Childers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**William Dude and Helen Childers** - April 28, 2017 at 02:04 AM

LH

“ *Lisa Hann lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Lisa Hann** - April 27, 2017 at 09:24 PM

JB

“ *Jody And Diane Blake lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tex Byess*



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**Jody and Diane Blake** - April 27, 2017 at 08:58 PM