
James Weldon Yancey

85 a resident of Farmington, went to be with his Lord on February 9, 2012 at the V.A. Medical Center in Fayetteville. He was born December 11, 1926 in Arkadelphia, the son of Hallie Scott and Bertha Mageldne Fendly Yancey.

He departed this life in exchange for a more glorious and eternal life. His departure follows a 16 year encounter with Alzheimer's, during which his wife of 68 years devotedly cared for him at home. James served in the United States Army during WWII, he worked as a supply clerk for 30 years for the V.A. Hospital in Fayetteville. He was a member of the Farmington Baptist Church. He was a gentleman farmer, enjoying livestock and gardening. He left not a great inheritance, but a great legacy.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sons, Tommy and Ronald; four brothers, Bob, Orby, Carroll and R.T., and one grandson, Levi Reece.

Survivors include his wife of 68 years, Verna Yancey; one son, Charles Yancey and his wife, Darla of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; two daughters, Billie Jean Harger and her husband, Larry of Havanna, Arkansas, and Brenda Yancey of Farmington, Arkansas; one brother, Bill Yancey of Lincoln, five sisters, Marilyn Runyan of Arkadelphia, Virginia Walker and Elaine Bible both of Farmington, Martha Tucker of Maysville, and Linda Henderson of Bentonville. nine grandchildren, ten great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.



James Yancey

December 11, 1926 - February 9, 2012

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home

Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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Safely Home

I am home in Heaven, dear ones;
Oh, So happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in heaven at last.
Did you wonder I so calmly
Trod the valley of the shade?
Oh! But Jesus' love illumined
Every dark and fearful glade.
And he came Himself to meet me
In that way so hard to tread;
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread?
Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still;
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,
Pray to trust our Father's Will.
There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth---
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting
Oh, the joy to see you come!

CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF James Yancey

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE
Monday, February 13, 2012 - 10:00 A.M.
Farmington Baptist Church - Farmington Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music

"Victory In Jesus" Congregation

Opening Remarks, Prayer Freddie McCann

"I'll Fly Away" Quartet

"It Is Well With My Soul" Annette Windham

Words of Comfort Russell Kelley

Closing Prayer

"In The Garden" Annette Windham

Family Memories Video

"Instrumental Selections"

"Taps"

Presentation of the American Flag Military Honor Guard

Postlude Music

GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY.
THE FAMILY WILL REMAIN AFTER THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.

FINAL RESTING PLACE
Farmington Cemetery

PALLBEARERS
Chad Yancey - Jay Haynes - Jim Yancey
Jeff Reece - Boone Bragdon - Greg Hicks

HONORARY PALLBEARERS
Ivan Clayton - Lyle Hayes - Ralph Gurney - Robert Peck

MEMORIALS
Alzheimer's Association - P.O. Box 8104 - Fayetteville, AR 72703
or
Gideon's International - P.O. Box 641 - Prairie Grove, AR 72753
or
Farmington Baptist Church - P.O. Box 847 - Farmington, AR 72730