



## James Alvin Bates

March 1, 1939 - March 9, 2015

Mr. James Alvin Bates, age 76, of Grant, AL, passed away Monday, March 9, 2015 at Marshall Medical Center North in Guntersville, AL.

The family will receive friends at Grant Memorial Chapel on Saturday, March 14, 2015, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. with a memorial service following at 3:00 p.m. Interment will be in Troup Cemetery.

Mr. Bates is survived by two daughters: Cheryl Webster (Jimmy) and Cynthia Burgess (David); grandchildren: Alexandra Hall, Christopher Hall, Bradley Burgess and Wesley Burgess; and niece: Glenna Jane Bates.

He is preceded in death by his wife: Joyce Bates; parents, Thomas E. Bates, Jr., and Phyllis Bates; and brother, Thomas E. Bates, III.

They family suggests memorial donations be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Web address: [www.nationalmssociety.org/Donate](http://www.nationalmssociety.org/Donate)

Mailing address: National MS Society, P. O. Box 4527, New York, NY 10163

Phone: 800-344-4867

# Cemetery Details

## Troup Cemetery

Grant, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **14**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Grant Memorial Chapel  
4930 Main Street  
P.O. Box 484  
Grant, AL 35747  
(256) 728-2000  
grantmemorial@nehp.net  
<https://www.grantmemorialchapel.com>

## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Uncle Jim, I don't know what to say. I'm going to miss you terribly. After my Dad died, you & I got closer. You gave me advice, listened to me, helped me, thought about me & loved me. I don't have that kind of relationship with anyone else. I guess I didn't think as I aged, you did too. I'll never forget the love you gave me.*

*Love Always,  
Glenna & Hiro*

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**Glenna Bates** - March 15, 2015 at 05:17 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of James Alvin Bates.*



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March 10, 2015 at 01:10 PM