



## Joe Glain Young

October 7, 1937 - December 10, 2022

Joe Glain Young, Sr., 85, died of natural causes on Saturday, December 10, 2022, at his home in Hughes. Joe was born in Steele, MO on October 7, 1937. His attention in school was mediocre until the 9th grade at which time he met Julia, the new girl in town. They were married October 17, 1953, he at only 15 years and she at 16 years of age. From that point on, their adventurous life began together, stretching across the US from Louisville, KY to Bakersfield, CA. They settled down in the Delta in 1964 where he began working at Russell Tractor Company. Within a few years, he was awarded the opportunity to start his farming career. Joe made his first 2 crops at Sycamore Bend Plantation and then moved on to make the next 38 crops at Trailback Farms in the area known to most as Twin Bridges. He was a lifelong member, avid attendee, serving as record keeper for the Crittenden County Sportsman's Club, a monthly gathering of gentlemen acquaintances. He also ventured to start other means of business including a grain and gravel hauling service, pawn shop, liquor store and restaurant all with the help of his devoted and beloved wife, Julia. Joe was politically active throughout his life, hosting numerous dinners and farm socials for senators and representatives. His greatest love was his family. He is preceded in death by his parents Jesse and Lola Young and his siblings Janet Young and Jerry Young as well as his son Joe Glain Young, Jr. and daughter Tracy Young Masters. He leaves behind his wife of 69 years Julia Lee Young of Hughes, sister Janelle Williams (AB) of Tupelo, MS., his granddaughter Cheri Young Hale (Kerry) of Hughes, his

grandson Joe Glain Young, III of Marion, his grandson Joseph L. Masters, III (Helen) of Proctor and great grandson Cavitt Young Hale of Hughes. His loss will be mourned deeply by his two beloved dogs, Dolly and Emmy. He will be missed immensely by his family, his dear friends and close acquaintances made throughout his lifetime. Joe's biography would be full of ups and downs, droughts and floods, but "O! Poor Joe" always persevered and will forever be remembered by those who love him as "Mighty Joe Young". The family asks respectfully that any memorials be considered and made to the National Right to Life (NRLC) or to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Mr. Young's wishes were to be cremated.

# Tribute Wall



“ Joe Young was “The Rock of the Young family “ he will be missed.  
Also best uncle ever. Mike Young

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**Mike Young** - December 13, 2022 at 06:21 PM



“ Sad to learn of Joe's passing, prayers for his family.

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**Jane Krablin** - December 12, 2022 at 11:32 PM



“ So sorry for your loss, he was always smiling.  
Gail Cagle

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**Gail Cagle** - December 12, 2022 at 05:57 PM