



## Melvin Lucas

December 17, 1940 - April 25, 2013

Mr. Melvin Eugene Lucas, age 72, of Forrest City, died Thursday at his home in Forrest City. He had been in poor health for the past several months.

Mr. Lucas was born December 17, 1940, in Earle, Arkansas, and was the son of Jabe Lucas and Lorene Dugan Lucas. He lived in Crittenden County, Cross County, and St. Francis County most of his life, was a maintenance supervisor, a Veteran of the Vietnam War, and was a Baptist.

Mr. Lucas married Martha Smalley in 1973, and she survives him along with one son, Michael Lucas of Forrest City, two daughters; Melanie Abram of Haynes and Debra Colinger of Magnolia, Arkansas, one brother, Cecil Lucas of Forrest City, three sisters; Marilyn Lucas, Hazel Martin and B Thrower, all of Nashville, Tennessee, ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. He had one son, Johnny Lucas, who preceded him in death.

Services for Mr. Lucas will be held at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, 3:00 P.M., Sunday with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday, 2:00 P.M. until the time of the service, Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the on line registry.

# Tribute Wall

BT

“ I loved you so much and always will. I will miss you terribly until we see one another again in Heaven. My heartbreaks for us left behind. God's speed Melvin!

**Bertha Lucas Thrower** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

PJ

“ Melvin Lucas

**Patricia Hughes Jones** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

HM

“ I thank God that Melvin is at peace. I thank God for giving Melvin his own special angel named Martha.

**Hazel Lucas Martin** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

HP

“ Melvin--you were always a very special person and best man at my wedding! I treasure the many memories of you and I still have the pajamas you sent my son Daryl from Vietnam when he was born and the pictures-a very special treasure that I will always keep-God Bless and comfort Martha and all your family- Your pain and suffering are no longer-rest in God's arms in blissful peace. Helen Fleming Ponder-McWilliams.

**Helen Ponder-McWilliams** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

MG

“ may God be with you all during this time of your loss I will keep you all in my prayers

**marnie garner** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

BT

“ *God's soldiers march eternal!*

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**b thrower** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

ER

“ *My Prayers are with You all ! Love...Love..Love ..Melvin .....*

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**Elizabeth Lucas Roberts** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

SP

“ *Praying for peace and comfort during this difficult time.*

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**Sherry Lucas Palmertree** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

JM

“ *So sorry for your loss, you are in our thought during this difficult time.*

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**James Ray & Marveta** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM

SP

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

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**Samuel Pettus** - November 13, 2013 at 12:00 PM