



## James Gant Jr.

March 2, 1943 - September 18, 2024

No obituary found for this tribute.

# Cemetery Details

## Bellefontaine Cemetery

4947 W Florissant Ave.  
St. Louis, MO 63115

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 26. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (Cst)

Archway Memorial Chapel  
111 Taylor Road  
Hazelwood, MO 63042  
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SEP 27. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

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## Funeral Services

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# Tribute Wall

RG

“ Coaching with Coach Gant was a daily adventure. His passion was basketball. He put in many hours at practice, always striving for perfection. As his assistant, I'll never forget the fierce battles against Vashon, Soldan, Beaumont, and Sumner. Gant, God has called our final timeout You ran the race( always attacking the basket). You fought the good fight (full court pressure defense). You have tasted many glorious victories. Time now to relax and enjoy your eternal reward in heaven. May your memory be everlasting! Your white shadow assistant at Central High School, Coach Randy Guber

Randy Guber - September 26, 2024 at 04:11 AM

RH

Playing for and coaching with coach Gant is something I will always cherish. He my mentor and a true friend. He took a small city high school and turned it into a basketball powerhouse. He was father a figure to all of his players. He instilled in us family values and raised us to be men of character. Coach Gant inspired his players to be the best version of themselves. We will always love and cherish him. Thank you Coach Gant for everything you did for your players from Central, Roosevelt and Block Yeshiva High Schools.

Rest In PARADISE  
Richard ' Bird' Hamilton

Richard Hamilton - September 29, 2024 at 10:06 AM

DP

RIP

Delores Gatewood Poe - March 31, 2025 at 03:42 PM

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*From the class of 1961 Hadley Technical High School. Goo goo Team Goo.RIP*

**Delores Gatewood Poe** - March 31, 2025 at 03:44 PM

GW

*I was a 6th grade student at Mark Twain school in 1967 .. Mr. Gant was my teacher .. what an influence. Best teach I ever had !*

**Gene Wercjow** - July 31, 2025 at 05:09 PM

KC

“ *Kustom Corvette Club purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of James Gant Jr..*



**Kustom Corvette Club** - September 23, 2024 at 08:47 PM

KT

“ *Kimberly and Gwendolyn Thomas purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Gant Jr..*



**Kimberly and Gwendolyn Thomas** - September 23, 2024 at 03:45 PM

KS

“ *Ken McGhee & Archway Staff lit a candle in memory of James Gant Jr.*



**Ken McGhee & Archway Staff** - September 23, 2024 at 01:04 PM

DP

*Remember the Hadley Technical High school Spirit. All sports program and For the Green Green for the Gold Gold Hadley Team let's Goo. One of the Gatewood sisters. Heart felt sympathy to the entire Gant Family. RIP. Delores Gatewood Poe*

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**Delores Gatewood Poe** - March 31, 2025 at 03:30 PM

DP

*In remembrance of our former classmate. From Hadley Technical High School. Sports figure Coach. To the Gant Family.*

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**Delores Gatewood Poe** - March 31, 2025 at 03:34 PM