



## James "Bubba Gap" Gadson

November 2, 1957 - November 28, 2025

James "Bubba Gap" Junior Gadson, 68, of Branchville, SC, passed away peacefully at his home on Friday, November 28, 2025.

Mr. Gadson will be remembered for his warm spirit, his steady presence, and the love he shared with family and friends throughout his life.

He is survived by two sons, James T. Gadson and Terrence D. Gadson both of Branchville, and one daughter Vametra Gibson of Bamberg.

A visitation for Mr. Gadson will be held on Friday, December 5, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Ott Funeral Home. Funeral services will follow on Saturday, December 6, 2025, at 12:00 p.m. (Noon) at Ott Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Ott Funeral Home.

The family invites all who knew and loved him to join in honoring his life.

# Tribute Wall



“ 3 files added to the album *Obituary Wall*



**Ott Funeral Home** - April 08 at 05:18 PM

VG

“ *James "Bubba Gap" Gadson*

**Vametra Gibson** - December 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ *I remember James delivering groceries to my grandmother. He was always respectful and funny. My condolences to his family. R.I.P. James.*



**Denise Person** - December 06, 2025 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ *James was always a nice person to deal with. I taught James at Branchville High school. He had great respect for everything. Sleep in peace James.*  
*Edith Williams*

**Edith Williams** - December 05, 2025 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ We went to school together, he was always nice and very funny. Condolences to his family.



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**Sarah Byrd** - December 04, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ We all played together ❤️ as children growing up on the Hill together ❤️. Cousin James you will be missed.

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**Dorothy Hodges** - December 04, 2025 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Rest in peace my friend, we shared so many memories of us growing up as kids to adulthood that I will always cherish, could not have asked for a better friend. Rest on my Brother, my friend! 🙏🙏  
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**Curtis Shilow** - December 04, 2025 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ It was rare for a day to pass without seeing James. Whether he was on his bicycle or walking, he always seemed to be moving with purpose. I stopped to chat with him plenty of times, just two guys talking about nothing in particular; but those small, easy conversations always seemed to brighten the day. And if I was out walking and hadn't noticed him, he'd call out from across the road, pulling me back from whatever thoughts I was lost in, and I'd wave or shout back without a second thought. Bringing me back to the moment, that was James's quiet gift. He had a way of reminding me that we're all here together, sharing the same small stretch of time. Mr. James Gadson will always be a part of what we remember and love about Branchville.

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**Tim Harmon** - December 04, 2025 at 12:00 AM

VG

“ I was shocked and saddened to hear of the transition of BubbaGap. A fond memory of him; years ago he came to our home in New York, he and John had a good time together. I remember his quiet, respectful manner. Sleep in peace nephew, in God's eternal care.

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**V. Louise Gordon** - December 03, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Praying for the family and friends. God is able to heal all hurts and pain. Hold on to his unchanging hand.



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**Dr. Sylvia Bruce-Stephens** - December 03, 2025 at 12:00 AM

NW

“ James we were cousins by blood, its hard to believe you're gone. We're so incredibly sorry for your loss. Thinking of you during this difficult time. Sending prayers to the Family! Cuz Edna Mack Parker, Nadine & Family

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**Nadine Washington** - December 03, 2025 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ I remember Mr.James as a friendly lovely man and he helped the town of branchville people all his life and a very hard working man and he will be missed and always loved and my love and condolences go to the family and I will miss seeing him on his bike that he loved to ride a very active strong man and we your family will miss you and he knows everytime I saw him on the bike I would always wave and I will miss you we all will. We love everyone.

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**Sonya Mcalhany** - December 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Ott Funeral Home

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**A Memorial Tree was planted for James "Bubba Gap" Gadson** - December 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM