Ricky Gene Byers

Ricky Gene Byers, 60, of Brookhaven, Miss., died Jan. 7, 2016 at King’s Daughters Medical Center in Brookhaven.

A memorial service was held Monday, Jan. 11, at Mallalieu United Methodist Church. Memorials may be made to Blair E. Batson, 2500 N State St, Jackson, MS 39216.

He was born in Knoxville, Iowa, on July 31, 1955, the son of Hughey Byers and Juanita Winkleman. He was a member of Mallalieu United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Shelia Byers; daughter, Misty Byers; father, Hughey Byers; brothers, Michael Byers, Peyton Byers and Eldon Byers; and sisters, Roxanne Wozny and Sharon Gersdorf.