



Bedford Jeffries Terry

June 14, 1961 - January 30, 2026

Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven

Bedford Jeffries Terry, 64, passed away on Friday, January 30, 2026, at his home in Hernando, Mississippi. A graveside will be held Thursday, February 19, 2026, at 1:00 p.m., at New Cleveland Cemetery (904-1118 North Bayou Road, Cleveland, MS 38732). Rev. Bill Hurt will officiate. Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven is honored to serve the Terry family.

Jeff was born on June 14, 1961, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham Terry of Cleveland, Mississippi. He attended Margaret Green Junior High School and graduated from Cleveland High School in 1979.

Jeff continued his education at Delta State University, where he earned a degree in music in 1984. A gifted and accomplished musician, he was recognized during his high school years as a member of the State of Mississippi All-Star Musicians. In his junior year at Cleveland High School, he was selected for the All-State High School Band as a percussionist. Ed Shaughnessy, longtime drummer for Doc Severinsen's band on The Tonight Show, once described Jeff as "one of the finest young percussionists" he had ever met.

Throughout his life, Jeff shared his musical talents with many, performing as a

drummer in several local Memphis bands. He was most notably a member of the Led Zeppelin tribute band, Dazed and Confused.

In addition to his musical career, Jeff worked for several years as a surveyor for his brother-in-law.

He is survived by his loving siblings, Sharon Terry Clark of Hernando and Fletcher Terry and his wife Cindy of Memphis, TN.

Expressions of condolences may be shared on Mr. Bedford Jeffries Terry's Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhomesh.com.

Cemetery Details

New Cleveland Cemetery

804-1118 North Bayou Road
Cleveland, MS 38732

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB **19**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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