

Darwin, James Thomas

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James Thomas Darwin was born April 13, 1933, in Decatur. He was the son of Dr. James T. Darwin and Cecil Taylor Darwin. He passed away Feb. 28 in Picayune, Miss. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

An avid reader and lifelong learner, he enjoyed languages, music, genealogy, and travel. He was a mathematician, computer scientist and professor and was a member of the Methodist Faith. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran. James graduated as valedictorian from Decatur High School. From there, he attended the University of Texas, eventually earning a doctorate in mathematics. James moved to Picayune, Miss., from Houston to be close to family a few years after he retired from work.

James was preceded in death by his parents.

Left to cherish his memory are his sister, Cecile Darwin Ingram; nieces and nephews, and great-niece and great-nephew.