



Terry Cavanaugh James

JUN 20, 1956 - DEC 12, 2020



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Terry Cavanaugh James, 64, of Chattanooga, transitioned this life on Saturday, December 12, 2020 in a local hospital. He was a 1975 graduate of Riverside High School. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse James, Jr. and Bertha Foster; brother, Gary James; sister, Karen Holland; and best friend, Herbert Strickland. Survivors include his loving and devoted wife, Sophelia James; daughters, Brandy (Clyde) Parker, Stephanie (Dennis) Bell, Terri (Kenneth) Cameron, all of Chattanooga, and Arie (Tavaros) Herring of Sacramento, CA; fourteen grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sisters, Sharon (Gary) Howard and Latoya Foster; devoted friend, Warren Hines; a host of other relatives and friends. Brother John Taylor, Sr. will serve as the eulogist.



Events

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Lie-In-State

 **Monday**, December 21, 2020

 9:00 AM ET

 **Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc**
3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411



Family Service

 **Monday**, December 21, 2020

 1:00 PM ET

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Cemetery Details

 **Forest Hills Cemetery**
4016 Tennessee Avenue , Chattanooga TN 37409





Tribute Wall

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LD

Lafonda Duckett posted:

Would like to express our condolences and deepest sympathy to the family of our dear cousin, Terry James. You will be missed. Rest in Heaven, cousin. From the Andrews, Duckett, and Price Families.

December 22 at 11:52 AM

AS

Anthony O. Sammons lit a candle in honor of Terry.



December 21 at 9:04 AM

AS

Anthony O. Sammons posted:

To the family of my dear classmate. I give my condolences and pray comfort for each of you during this time. God blessed my life with Terry in it from elementary to high school. Memories I will always cherish. My prayer is that each of you hold close the memories of a husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend Terry has left you. He is resting now in the comfort of God's arms.... Blessings. 🙏🙏

December 21 at 9:02 AM

JH

Jamie Harris lit a candle in honor of Terry.

You're certainly missed sir. Miss seeing you around the office.



December 21 at 4:27 AM

DT

Deborah Thomas lit a candle in honor of Terry.

"We were friends from childhood to adulthood. Anytime that I came home and was able to see you was added bonus to my trip!" My sincerest condolences to your wife, children and grandchildren and sister, my friend Sharon Howard. Tell Strick hello...Riverside Class of 1975 Deborah Carter Thomas



December 20 at 9:16 PM



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DH

Demetrius Howard posted:

Uncle I Love you and you will be missed

December 20 at 8:04 PM

PH

Paula Hughes posted:

To Sophia, the girls and my good friend Sharon Howard and Nikki: I'm sending my deepest and heartfelt prayers to you all at this time of bereavement asking God to give you the peace that only he can provide for such a time. Terry will be deeply missed but his time for suffering is surely over is the consolation you must grasp. God bless and keep you all is my prayer.. Paula Wheeler-Hughes
Riverside class of "75"

December 20 at 5:35 AM

AB

Alexia (Alexander) Burnett posted:

To the family of the late Terry James, it's with deep sympathy to hear about your loss. May God's grace bring strength, comfort and healing in this time of sorry. Terry you will truly be missed. Riverside class 1975. Alexia (Alexander) Burnett

December 19 at 11:40 AM

AB

Alexia (Alexander) Burnett lit a candle in honor of Terry.



December 19 at 11:16 AM



Terry Smith posted:

My prayers of comfort and peace cover you Sophelia, & the entire family during your time of loss. Terry Moore Smith

December 19 at 10:48 AM



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ER

Erika lit a candle in honor of Terry.

My prayers are with the family as they lay mr. Terry James to rest. May God be with all and comfort them with his loving arms and presence.His daughter Arie and I are best friends . Rest in heaven Mr.James

December 19 at 6:33 AM



MA

Marquitta posted:

..Sending my condolences to Mrs. FeeFee and the girls, my sisters ❤️❤️❤️❤️! I love y'all may he Rest in Paradise. May the Lord give you all strength during these times..Marquitta and Family!!

December 18 at 10:32 PM

CM

Carolyn Mcbroom posted:

Sending my condolences to the family too (I work with Stephanie & Dennis).Carolyn McBroom

December 18 at 12:00 PM

IH

India Houser lit a candle in honor of Terry.

My condolence To the family rest in peace you will be missed and never forgotten. Anthony (AC) Chambers

December 17 at 6:47 AM



JW

Janet Wordlaw lit a candle in honor of Terry.

He is Gone (Remember Me)You can shed tears that he is gone,Or you can smile because he lived,You can close your eyes and pray that he will come back,Or you can open your eyes and see all that he has left.Your heart can be empty because you can't see himOr you can be full of the love that you shared,You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday,Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.You can remember him and only that he is goneOr you can cherish his memory and let it live on,You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back,Or you can do what he would want: smile, open your eyes,love and go on. "Rest In HeavenTerry" Minister Janet Hughley Wordlaw

December 16 at 5:14 PM





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SP

Shirl Posey lit a candle in honor of Terry.

I am sorry to hear about terry. He worked with my husband at s and h.He will be missed and never forgotten . Hope for peace for the family. James and shirl posey.

December 16 at 8:08 AM



ET

Everyone At S &H Trucking lit a candle in honor of Terry.

December 16 at 5:57 AM



JW

Janet Hughley Wordlaw lit a candle in honor of Terry.

December 15 at 3:43 PM



SH

Sarah Holland sent a virtual gift in honor of Terry.

We will miss you Terry James, You have worked for S&H Trucking for over 15 years. You was our family and we will never forget you. Rest in Peace our friend. Glenn and Sarah Holland

December 15 at 9:56 AM



DD

Denise (Della)Drake lit a candle in honor of Terry.

December 14 at 7:41 AM



DW

Diana Sanford Watt posted:

My condolences to the family he was a classmate

December 14 at 2:34 AM



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LB

Linda Bennett lit a candle in honor of Terry.

Sorry hear of a good friend Terry James that gain his wing. Rest In Glory you will be miss by many, that smile will always be remember. See you on the other side my brother

December 13 at 11:45 PM



DH

David Hicks posted:

I'm gonna miss you buddy...we were trucking buddies for about 6 years....love you buddy....David Hicks

December 13 at 5:00 PM

ES

Edie(Wadley) Starkey lit a candle in honor of Terry.

December 13 at 8:09 AM



BC

Bob Claytob posted:

Terry was a hard working man as I used to be one of his dispatchers. He loved his wife and family very much as we all did Terry. He will surely be missed, but never forgotten. Bob Clayton

December 13 at 7:02 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Terry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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