



# Larry Jay Cunningham

JUN 21, 1972 - SEP 18, 2021



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## Larry Jay Cunningham

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Larry Jay Cunningham, 49, of Chattanooga, passed away Saturday, September 18, 2021, in a local hospital. He graduated from Tyner High School and attended Chattanooga State College for welding. Jay married his wife, Shanii Cunningham in 2009. He was an active member of New Covenant Fellowship Church. Jay was preceded in death by his father, Larry Cunningham; grandparents, William and Flora Cunningham, Henry and Cozette Rittenberry; and his son, Larry Cunningham, Jr. Survivors include his wife, Shanii Cunningham; three children, Lala Cunningham, Ajujuan “AJ” Gields, and Ajani Gields “Mylke”; mother, Gwendolyn Cunningham; brothers, Sean (Lyn) Cunningham of Cartersville, GA, Nicolas (Rena) Cunningham, and ShunJay “Mitchell) Edwards, and Canira Edwards; mother-in-law, Juanna Jackson; sister-in-law, Danielle Jackson; brother-in-law, Tyrus “Duce” Lawrence; close cousin, Bretton Benson; close friend, Eric; a host of aunts; uncles; nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friends. Elder Joe Vesselles will serve as the eulogist.



# Events

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## Lie-In-State

 **Friday**, September 24, 2021

 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM ET


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

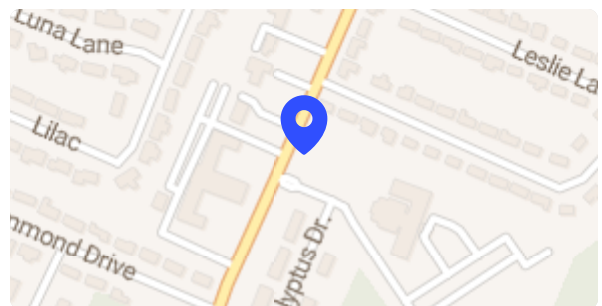


## Service

 **Saturday**, September 25, 2021

 10:00 AM ET

 **New Covenant Fellowship Church**  
1326 N. Moore Road, Chattanooga TN 37411



## Cemetery Details

 **Lakewood Memory Gardens East**  
4621 Shallowford Road, Chattanooga TN 37411





# Tribute Wall

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**Kheisa M. Penn** posted:

My deepest and sincere Condolences to his family and friends. Jay was a well respected guy. We worked together at Brock/Brach's Candy Company. So sorry for your loss, may the Lord continue to strengthen and comfort each and everyone. Ms. Kheisa Penn

October 22 at 6:49 AM



**Davidia Hudson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

I'm in deep disbelief. I'm so sorry for the loss of Jay. I've been knowing Jay a long time. Sending all my prayers, love and hugs to his family. I'm so sorry Shani! Keep your head up Queen. Our deepest sympathy, Dee and John Hudson



September 27 at 4:15 AM



**Lisa Thompson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

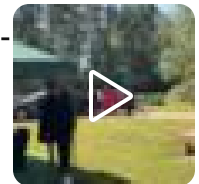
My condolences to the Cunningham family. My prayers and thoughts are with you all!



September 26 at 11:09 AM



**Taylor Funeral Home Of Chattanooga, Inc.** shared an album called **CemeteryService-LarryCunningham.**



September 25 at 7:07 PM



**Linda Stamper** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



September 25 at 7:52 AM



**Diane Sutton** September 26 at 10:37 AM

The Cunningham Family are in my Prayers a great guy he will be Missed



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RS

**Regina Kelley-Starr** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Condolences and Prayers 🙏

September 24 at 6:56 PM



NT

**Norquitta Trimble** posted:

To all of the Cunningham family, you are in my prayers. Jay had a great heart, witty spirit and just genuine. Her will be missed. May God continue to bless you and keep you. Love, Danni (Norquitta T)

September 24 at 3:19 PM

RH

**Rhonda** posted:

The world has lost a truly gentle soul. My heart, thoughts, and prayers go out to Jay's family and close friends. May you hold close to the Lord to help you through and reflect on fond memories to always keep him close. -Rhonda McWhorterTyner Alumni

September 24 at 12:11 PM

AU

**Adrienne Usher** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

The Cunningham family are in my thoughts and prayers. Adrienne Montgomery Usher and family

September 24 at 5:31 AM



TF

**Traci Whitehead And Family** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Sending prayer and love to the Cunningham family 🙏

September 24 at 5:19 AM



KR

**Kelvin Russell** posted:

Jay was a great guy. One time Jay, along with my wife & I were out eating. Our server came to our table and informed us that our meal was taken care of. To our Surprise, we asked why? The server then told us, it was because Jay had helped a homeless woman outside the restaurant before we were seated. Jay Cunningham will be sorely missed.

September 24 at 4:16 AM



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WL

**William Leak** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

I grew with up Jay's younger brother Nick Cunningham. Jay was always a great older brother, always smiling, joking and in great spirits. He will be truly missed by all he came in contact with.

September 23 at 9:02 AM



WJ

**William Powell Jr.** September 24 at 6:21 PM

I met Jay at Elchico Mexican restaurant on shallowford rd he was a Bust boy and I was in the dish room! We became good friends after that and I never ever seen a frown on his face! It wasn't hard to make Jay laugh he was silly and had a huge heart for people! Rest my brother! Tiny.. Jacksonville Florida

JH

**Jennifer Hixson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

I remember "Jay" as always upbeat, always smiling and laughing and cutting up with others around him. I pray comfort to those closest to him ❤️ Hold on to the best parts and remember all the positive all the love all the laughter.

September 22 at 5:38 PM



TS

**Tyrone Strickland** posted:

Jay and I worked @US.Pipe together, he was a good guy and always was smiling. I seen him a couple of months ago, he introduced me to his wife he seemed so happy and full of life, I'm going to miss you my brother,you was one of the boys.

September 22 at 1:19 PM

CB

**Carla Bentley** September 23 at 3:04 PM

Jay and his wife and I are really Good Friends We had a really Good time in New York he and my husband hit it off totally ♥ I am going to miss you my friend Rest in Heaven



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**Maxie Benton** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



September 22 at 8:42 AM

**MB** **Maxie Benton** September 22 at 8:44 AM

I am so so sorry to hear of Jay passing. Family stay strong and He will be truly missed. I will continue to lift the family in prayer. XO-U and all the Family.



**Johnny & Chrystal Horne** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



September 22 at 5:14 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Cunningham family.



September 21 at 1:01 PM



**Brian Coker** posted:

Plastic Omnium already misses having Jay as a part of our Production Team as an Injection Mold Setter. Jay joined our team here in May of 2015 when we were launching the plant. He was always in good spirits and willing to help out his teammates. My prayers are sent to his family during this difficult time. Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4

September 21 at 11:53 AM



**L.D.H.** posted:

I am truly sorry. Jay was always a nice and kind person. God bless the family again, I really am truly sorry for your loss.

September 21 at 10:06 AM



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TR

**Treasa** posted:

I will miss Jay he was a really nice person I have enjoyed him as a neighbor these last 11 years . shan I I am truly sorry and I am here for whatever you need. Sincerely Samantha ,Treasa,and family.

September 21 at 8:04 AM

KS

**Kimberly Smith** posted:

Our prayers, thoughts and hearts are with you all Shanii. We love you guys. Sorry for your loss. This really breaks our hearts. Praying for peace and comfort. -Kim, Summer, Sherri & Earl....

September 20 at 5:23 PM

JF

**Jameca Forrester** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Jay was such a great and fun person! He will be missed . Love you Shanii. Meca, Kobe and Kaleb

September 20 at 3:46 PM



DM

**Darlena Lee Toney In Loving Memories** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Keeping you all in my prayers.....Love You Aunt DARLENA TONEY

September 20 at 12:34 PM



RP

**Rhonda Pender** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

We, the Plastic Omnium Chattanooga team, are extremely saddened by the passing of our co-worker and friend "Jay". Our thoughts and prayers are with his wife and kids during this difficult time.

September 20 at 5:23 AM



DW

**Daphne Wofford** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Sending love to Cousin Shanii and family. 💙🙏💙

September 20 at 4:42 AM





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**Sharon Walker** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



September 19 at 6:23 PM



**Sharon Walker** September 19 at 6:30 PM

I'm continuing to lift the family up in prayer during this time of sorrow. 🙏🙏🙏



**Direaka Brown** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



September 19 at 3:53 PM



# Media

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Taylor Funeral Home Of Chattanooga, Inc. shared a video to the CemeteryService-LarryCunningham album.

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## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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