



# James W. Stockdale, Jr.

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## **James W. Stockdale, Jr.**

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**J**ames W. “June Bug” Stockdale, Jr., 66, of Chattanooga, passed away Wednesday, January 4, 2023, in the Hospice Care Center after a brief illness. He was born in Chattanooga Tennessee, August 4, 1956, to the late Mr. and Mrs. James Stockdale, Sr. He graduated from Central High School in 1974 and attended Chattanooga State Community College where he studied Computer Science. He worked much of his career at Erlanger Medical Center and the Krystal Company before retiring. James loved and adored his family and friends, his animal, tennis, and a good fish fry. James was a crossword puzzle enthusiast. Otherwise, James lived a simple happy life. James was a lifelong member of Orchard Missionary Baptist Church, where his father served his church for many years. He was preceded in death by his parents, James Stockdale, Sr. and Doris Stockdale; grandparents, Archie and Velma Church and Carnell and Maebell Woods. James is survived by his sisters, Letitia Tatum of Atlanta, GA, Angela Smith, and Audrey Stockdale, both of Chattanooga, TN; one niece, Terrious Smith; two nephews, Brandon Tatum and Cameron Tatum, Sr; three great-nephews, Javon Tatum, Jaylen Tatum, and Cameron Tatum, Jr.; one great-niece, Angelica Smith; one great-great-niece, Autumn Smith; one aunt, Addie Elston; several cousins; relatives; close friends, Vivian Brown, Bryant Lowery, Elaine Swafford, and David Green.



# Events

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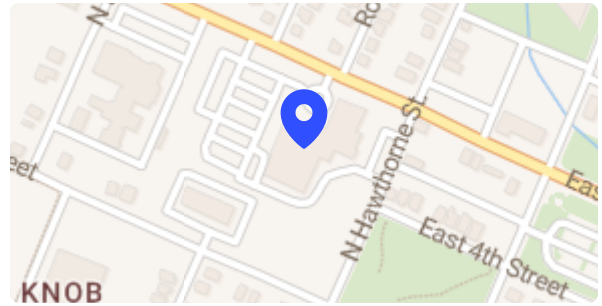
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## Memorial Service

 **Wednesday**, January 11, 2023

 1:00 PM ET

 **Orchard Knob Missionary Baptist Church**  
1734 E 3rd St, Chattanooga TN 37404





# Tribute Wall

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**Darlana Toney** sent a virtual gift in honor of James.



January 14 at 11:23 AM



**Darlana Toney** posted:

James and I was neighbors on Goodson Avenue and both worked at Erlanger. He was a neighbor to have and a wonderful friend. RIP 🙏. Darlena Lee-Toney

January 14 at 11:22 AM



**Letitia Stockdale Tatum** June 15 at 12:49 AM

Thank you Darlene!



**Sarah Allen** lit a candle in honor of James.

Latitia, Angela, Audrey & family, My heartfelt condolences to you with the loss of "June Bug." I fondly remember he and your family, as we were neighboring families. It is my prayer that you find comfort and peace in memories of your childhood together and shared experiences. God's peace and blessings. Sarah (Frances) Brown Allen



January 14 at 10:35 AM



**Sarah Allen** lit a candle in honor of James.

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January 14 at 10:31 AM



**James Ardis Toney** posted:

condolences to james family may god forever bless you all

January 13 at 10:19 AM



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SK

**Sharon M. Kennard** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 11 at 10:18 PM

LT

**Letitia Stockdale Tatum** March 8 at 3:12 PM

Hi Sharon, thank you for your condolences! Hope all is well with you and family!

MR

**Margaret Ryan** lit a candle in honor of James.

My condolences to the Stockdale Family, I stayed around the corner from the Stockdale Family, on Rosemary Drive, I pray that God will give the Family the strength to endure this tragedy, my prayers will always be with you! Margaret Ryan



January 11 at 7:01 AM

VB

**Vincinetta B. Brown** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 11 at 5:41 AM

VB

**Vincinetta B. Brown** January 11 at 5:45 AM

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Stockdale and Tatum families. May comfort and peace be with in the days ahead.

CS

**Carolyn Babbs Sanderfer** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 10 at 7:45 PM

CA

**Carolyn** January 10 at 7:46 PM

Condolences and prayers to the Stockdale family. RIP childhood neighbor and friend.



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TI

**Trevor H. Ingram** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 10 at 1:41 PM

TI

**Trevor H. Ingram** posted:

Letitia and the entire Stockdale family: I was so sorry to learn of the passing of your dear brother. Please know that I am thinking of you at this time and praying for your peace, comfort and strength in the days to come. Sincerely, Trevor Hamilton Ingram

January 10 at 1:39 PM

DH

**Dianne Hicks** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 10 at 9:06 AM

WC

**Winifred Careathers** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 9 at 7:46 PM



**Winifred Careathers** January 9 at 7:46 PM

My Condolences to the family,Sorry for your loss !

DO

**Doug** posted:

I worked closely with James at Erlanger for many years. Our work benches were next to each other in the shop. We talked about a lot of things and I learned many life lessons from him. James cared about people and would take time to ask how you're doing. And then really listen to you. Thank you Lord for sharing James with us. He's home now.

January 9 at 10:13 AM



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KS

**Kelly Satterfield** posted:

We are so sorry for your loss. Praying for God's comforting hand during this difficult time. With Love, Newcomb Spring of Tennessee family

January 9 at 8:37 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Fiery Lily and Rose to the Stockdale, family.



January 9 at 7:55 AM

H1

**Howard Class 1970** lit a candle in honor of James.

To our dear class member Ms. Letitia Stockdale Tatum, Howard Class of 1970 sends our sincerest condolences and prayers to you and your family.

January 9 at 7:27 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Stockdale, family.



January 9 at 5:08 AM

HH

**Hilda Harris-Hardaway** lit a candle in honor of James.

January 8 at 11:39 PM



LB

**Linda Beavers** January 9 at 9:07 AM

Beavers-Stockdale Family, We pray the Lord of all comfort will shower you with His loving comfort during this season of grief. You are in our prayers The children of the late Mr. & Mrs. Henry (Lennie) Beavers.



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**Jacqueline Jones Wood** lit a candle in honor of James.

RIH James. He always had a smile on his face. So nice and kind. Sending prayers to his family.

January 8 at 11:26 PM



**MW** **Mary Wright** January 11 at 4:08 AM

I met James at Orchard Knob Jr HI, we were in 7th grade and we became good friends. We went to different high schools, but whenever we so one another we would always talk. T he last time we saw each other I was getting brakes on my car, he came in to get brakes and we laughed and talked the entire time. James was a great guy, and I am proud to say he was my friend. My prayers go out to his family



**Tonya R Colvin** lit a candle in honor of James.

Dearest Family: I was sad to learn of the illness of my dear cousin. He was and will remain in my memory and loved at heart as our "June Bug". My sincere condolences go out to the precious sisters that are left to mourn his transition. His wings have lifted him up and away from pain and suffering. Rest in Perfect Peace James Jr. Much Love ❤️ Tonya

January 6 at 10:06 PM



**Marva Brown Taylor** lit a candle in honor of James.

January 6 at 4:36 PM



**MT** **Marva Brown Taylor** January 6 at 4:40 PM

The best IT man at Erlanger I know he got sick of me but when I called he was always there with a smile loved my June Bug you would be proud of me I got a lil better with the computers. Rest my brother I'll see you in the morning.



**Kathy Cooper- Sligh** lit a candle in honor of James.

Sending Condolences inthe Home going of James. He will be missed. Kathy Cooper-Sligh.

January 6 at 2:45 PM





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**Vincinetta B. Brown** lit a candle in honor of James.



January 6 at 7:18 AM

**HA** **H "Cold Duck " Akins** January 20 at 7:46 AM

I'm "really" SAD to see this.( Just seeing this) I most likely saw the name earlier, but the thing is i never knew his name as many times as we have talked. I actually met him when i worked security behind the Library, the Crystal Building. The last time i saw him on McCallie Ave he had just got "another" vehicle, we were talking about some things that may have to be done to it. For me he was mild mannered no drama type person. I enjoyed talking, having a good laugh with him. CONDOLENCES to the Family, may he RIH!!! H "Cold Duck" Akins/ Family

**LB** **Linda Beavers** January 9 at 9:14 AM

Beavers-Stockdale Family, we pray the God of all grace will comfort you during this season of grief.The children of the late Mr. & Mrs. Henry (Lennie) Beavers

**DA** **David Aaron** January 7 at 7:09 PM

James was a dear friend to me and many others at the Krystal Company. I was blessed to continue that friendship ever since. He will be sorely missed.

**VB** **Vincinetta B. Brown** January 6 at 7:23 AM

Our heartfelt condolences and thoughts go out to the Stockdale family. We hope the special love this brings will help to see you through this special time. Vincinetta Brown & Family.



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

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



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