



James R. Carothers

February 22, 1955 - November 14, 2021

James Richard Fant Carothers (Jimmy) was born on February 22, 1955 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania to the late Alvin and Frances Carothers and Tommy Alexander. Jimmy was baptized and a member of Eleventh Street Baptist Church in Bowling Green, Kentucky at an early age and participated in the Male Quartet. Jimmy graduated from Bowling Green High School and participated in JROTC. He attended Bowling Green Junior College while working as a store manager at Hardees Restaurant. Then went on to serve in the United States Army. He returned from the army and joined the workforce in the field of construction in Indiana with Sears Bathroom and Kitchen, which was one of his passions. He went on to work in the profession of sales with Montgomery Wards and Kelly King Nissan. He was the top seller for many years in both businesses throughout his career with the companies. Jimmy had aspirations of owning his own business which became a reality. He started the Indiana branch of TAZ Remodeling & Construction to fruition. He had a very successful business and gained ownership of several properties around Gary, Indiana.

Jimmy transferred his membership and was a devoted member of New Revelation Missionary Baptist Church in the 1980s. He served in the Gospel Chorus, Male Chorus, Mission Circle, Ruth Circle, Laymen's Committee, Van Ministry, Interfaith Community Partners, and several other committees. He loved his church and the members.

Jimmy loved his family. He was a devoted father, brother, uncle, grandfather, and friend to many. He loved to sing, watch sports, play dominoes, play frisbee golf, bowl, play phase 10, and watch movies. He served as an assistant coach with Dallas Angles in the WPBA during the 2000s.

He was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, Buford and Ida Carothers, Robert Fant, Virgie Bailey, brothers, Randy Carothers, Christopher Carothers. Jimmy leaves his children and family to honor his memory: Rian Chambers, Tinisha Morris, Calvin Taylor, Kenyah Ferguson, Jayme Carothers, and James Carothers II, Takessa Lawal. Brother and Sisters, Danny Carothers, Tracy (Bobby) Whitney Shannon (Myrick) Byrd, Wrenn, Patricia, Jane, Linda, Joyce, Eunice, Tim, and Donald. 8 grandchildren, stepmother, Mable Alexander, and a host of nieces and nephews. Uncles, Joe Patterson and George Kenneth (Shirley) Fant. Sister-in-law, Lenore Carothers, and many other relatives. and friends

Sincerely,

-Your friends at Burnam and Son

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

1209 Fairview Ave
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Eleventh Street Baptist Church
1035 Kenton Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Funeral Service

NOV **20**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Eleventh Street Baptist Church
1035 Kenton Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Burial

NOV **22**. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Fairview Cemetery
1209 Fairview Ave
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of James R. Carothers*



Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. - November 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM



“ *To my friend Tinisha. You and your family have our prayers & condolences during this difficult time.
Peace & Blessings
Aisha Ford & Family*

Aisha Ford - December 04, 2021 at 09:50 AM



“ *Melanie Llontop lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Melanie Llontop - November 30, 2021 at 01:03 PM

MW

“ *Mona Ware*



Mona Ware - November 22, 2021 at 04:09 AM

EH

“ *Estella Hill lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Estella Hill - November 20, 2021 at 05:11 PM

 Marilyn Stockton

“ *Prayers & Condolences from the Graham family.*



Marilyn Stockton - November 20, 2021 at 08:08 AM

SC

My dear cousin. There are no words to express how it feels to family and friends right now. You will be missed. Love ya! Cousin Sharron Jackson Coffie Dallas, Tx 🌸❤️🙏

Sharron Coffie - November 20, 2021 at 09:47 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of James R. Carothers.



November 20, 2021 at 12:25 AM



“ *Faye Gamble lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Faye gamble - November 19, 2021 at 06:57 PM



“ *Oraoffutt@gmail.com lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Oraoffutt@gmail.com - November 19, 2021 at 04:59 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of James R. Carothers.



November 19, 2021 at 04:49 PM

SW

“ *To The Family... You are in our thoughts and prayers.*



Sarah Whitney - November 19, 2021 at 07:52 AM

AF

“ *There's special comfort in knowing that the words " WELCOME HOME" have been heard in HEAVEN, as the beautiful memories of Jimmy remain here in our hearts.*



Aunt Hannah Whitney & Family - November 19, 2021 at 07:49 AM

SF

“ *Shell & The Entire Heater Family lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Shell & The Entire Heater Family - November 18, 2021 at 11:42 PM

WF

“ *Praying for the family.*



Whitney Family - November 18, 2021 at 07:55 PM

BD

“ *Brenda Duncan lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Brenda Duncan - November 18, 2021 at 07:43 PM



“ *Frank Alexander lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Frank Alexander - November 18, 2021 at 01:27 PM

DB

“ *Dano & DeWanda Byrd lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Dano & DeWanda Byrd - November 18, 2021 at 12:37 PM

LI

“ *LIVELY-CLARK lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



LIVELY-CLARK - November 18, 2021 at 08:52 AM

TF

“ Tina Fant lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Tina Fant - November 18, 2021 at 08:49 AM

TF

To my Family
This storm to shall pass, We all loved Jimmy but realizing that God loved him more. My prayers are that we will feel the comfort and strength from the support of each other and knowing to that our Heavenly Father cares .

Love each of you
Tina

Tina Fant - November 18, 2021 at 01:12 PM

CH

“ Cardine & Shawna Harrison sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Carothers



Cardine & Shawna Harrison - November 18, 2021 at 07:57 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James R. Carothers.



November 18, 2021 at 12:45 AM



“ *Deborah Claypool lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Deborah Claypool - November 17, 2021 at 10:15 PM

BP

“ *Barbara Page lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Barbara Page - November 17, 2021 at 10:00 PM

GB

“ *Gladys Beason lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Gladys Beason - November 17, 2021 at 09:59 PM

JD

“ *Jennifer Donnell lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Jennifer Donnell - November 17, 2021 at 06:29 PM

CW

“ Chucky Whitney lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Chucky Whitney - November 17, 2021 at 03:09 PM

KC

“ Kenny & Crisandra Coleman lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Kenny & Crisandra Coleman - November 17, 2021 at 12:31 PM

 Brittney Brooks

“ Brittney Brooks lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Brittney Brooks - November 17, 2021 at 10:49 AM

YW

“ Please know that I share your hurt, and I'll be here for you during this time. I love you all greatly. ❤️🙏🙏🙏



YvonneBryant Williams - November 16, 2021 at 09:20 PM

FG

“ *Faye Gamble lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Faye gamble - November 16, 2021 at 07:11 PM

MG

“ *Mrs. Hannah Whitney & Girls lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Mrs. Hannah Whitney & Girls - November 16, 2021 at 07:02 PM

SW

“ *Sarah Whitney lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Sarah Whitney - November 16, 2021 at 07:01 PM

WB

“ *Wathetta Buford lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Wathetta Buford - November 16, 2021 at 04:27 PM

CH

“ Cheryl Hewitt sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Carothers



cheryl hewitt - November 16, 2021 at 11:19 AM

DJ

“ Debra Jewell sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Carothers



Debra jewell - November 16, 2021 at 06:03 AM

SY

“ Sandra K Young lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Sandra K Young - November 16, 2021 at 05:40 AM

BY

“ Buel Young lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Buel Young - November 15, 2021 at 11:26 PM

WA

“ *Wanda Anthony lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Wanda Anthony - November 15, 2021 at 10:20 PM

WA

“ *Wanda Anthony lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Wanda Anthony - November 15, 2021 at 10:19 PM



“ *Marian Benton lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Marian Benton - November 15, 2021 at 08:26 PM

RC

“ *Regina Caulfield lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Regina Caulfield - November 15, 2021 at 08:21 PM

RM

Your family is in our prayers

Ruth Morrow - November 17, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ *Shirley Whitney sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Carothers*



Shirley Whitney - November 15, 2021 at 07:52 PM

PR

“ *Peggy Ralston lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



peggy ralston - November 15, 2021 at 07:00 PM

LC

“ *Lisa Cook lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Lisa Cook - November 15, 2021 at 05:10 PM

SF

“ Sue Sweatt And Family lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Sue Sweatt and family - November 15, 2021 at 04:56 PM

FC

“ Florence W Claypool lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Florence W Claypool - November 15, 2021 at 04:44 PM

WW

“ William Walker lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



William walker - November 15, 2021 at 03:51 PM

NM

“ Nathaniel Bernadine Martin lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Nathaniel Bernadine Martin - November 15, 2021 at 03:46 PM

WB

“ *Many prayers and condolences to the family of thr late James Carothers. May the Lord,in heaven grant you peace.*

Willa Blewett - November 15, 2021 at 03:31 PM

BW

“ *Brenda Williams lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Brenda Williams - November 15, 2021 at 03:09 PM

EH

“ *Estella Hill lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Estella Hill - November 15, 2021 at 02:32 PM

CR

“ *Charletta Ray lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Charletta Ray - November 15, 2021 at 02:09 PM

KB

“ *Kenetha Bryant lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



kenetha bryant - November 15, 2021 at 01:27 PM

SH

“ *Sharon Haynie-Cosby lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Sharon Haynie-Cosby - November 15, 2021 at 01:22 PM

CS

“ *Carolyn Sydnor sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Carothers*



Carolyn Sydnor - November 15, 2021 at 01:14 PM

LH

“ *Lisa Huskey lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Lisa Huskey - November 15, 2021 at 01:13 PM

LW

“ Loretha Burton Withrow lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Loretha Burton Withrow - November 15, 2021 at 12:15 PM

DH

“ Delores Holland lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Delores Holland - November 15, 2021 at 11:15 AM

MF

“ Mary M Barber & Family lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Mary M Barber & family - November 15, 2021 at 10:37 AM

JB

“ Judith Boards lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Judith Boards - November 15, 2021 at 09:49 AM



“ *Vivian Hibbitt lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Vivian Hibbitt - November 15, 2021 at 09:19 AM

DO

“ *Doraconyers@gmail.com lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



doraconyers@gmail.com - November 15, 2021 at 08:44 AM

SC

“ *Prayers for strength and comfort to the Carothers family.* 🙏🙏🙏



Sandra Claypool - November 15, 2021 at 08:17 AM

MC

“ *Marilyn Cullom lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers*



Marilyn cullom - November 15, 2021 at 07:07 AM

VW

“ Vicki Withrow-Franklin lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Vicki Withrow-Franklin - November 15, 2021 at 06:45 AM

ES

“ Edwin & Jakki Snowden lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Edwin & Jakki Snowden - November 14, 2021 at 10:48 PM

DB

“ DeWanda Byrd lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



DeWanda Byrd - November 14, 2021 at 09:30 PM



“ Darlene Collins lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



Darlene Collins - November 14, 2021 at 08:06 PM

YW

“ I'm so sorry family! I love you all. ❤️😭

YvonneBryant Williams - November 14, 2021 at 06:24 PM

CH

“ Cheryl Hewitt lit a candle in memory of James R. Carothers



cheryl hewitt - November 14, 2021 at 04:48 PM



“ Dear Carothers Family,

There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.



Respectfully,

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly
2nd Generation Owners*

Cedric Burnam - November 14, 2021 at 04:23 PM