

James "Jim" Orr

May 22, 1947 - July 3, 2018

James "Jim" L. Orr, 71, of Ringgold, Georgia passed away Tuesday, July 3, 2018. A lifelong resident of the Ringgold area, he was a Veteran of the U.S. Army, a former employee of Cherokee Carpet where he worked as a CPA, a member of Rockbridge Church in Dalton, and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Jim also played the steel guitar for the Representatives Gospel Quartet. He is preceded in death by his parents, David Houston and Bernice Irene Land Orr; and brother-in-law, Danny Clark. He is survived by his loving wife, Vickie Maffetone Orr of Ringgold, GA.; sister, Davina Clark of Chickamauga, GA.; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Frank and Karen Maffetone of Dalton, GA., and Joe and Cheryl Maffetone of Chatsworth, GA.; "very special grandson", Aidan Tucker who affectionately referred to him as Nye; special aunt, Judy Wise; special uncle, Ray Land; several awesome nieces and nephews; special friends, Paul Cross and Connie Smith-Byers. Funeral services will be held 1:00 P.M. Friday July 6, 2018 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Stephen Hare officiating. Interment will follow at Catoosa Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends Thursday from 5-8 P.M. and 9 A.M. until funeral time Friday at the funeral home. Arrangements are by Wilson Funeral Home Wallis-Stewart Chapel Ringgold, Georgia.

Cemetery Details

Catoosa Memorial Gardens

Boynton Dr.
Ringgold, GA 30736

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Ringgold Chapel
443 Boynton Drive
Ringgold, GA 30736
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

MB

“ *Love and Prayers to you!*

Marla Orr Birkelbach - July 06, 2018 at 04:21 PM

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“ *Marla Orr Birkelbach lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Orr*



Marla Orr Birkelbach - July 06, 2018 at 04:20 PM

CD

“ *Jim was one of a kind . I am so blessed to have been his friend . I loved how he would always ask me where I was going ? And for me to take Vicki with me .. he needed a break .. lol. Even when we did go. Vicki you would stay on the phone with him. He was afraid he was missing something . And our trip to NYC was unforgettable . I will always cherish our memories ..*

connie Duncan - July 05, 2018 at 10:16 PM

TP

“ *Vickie, you are in our thoughts and prayers!*


Todd and Stacy Pritchett

Todd and Stacy Pritchett - July 05, 2018 at 09:12 PM

JM

“ Vicki, we are so saddened to hear of the passing of Jim. He was a dear friend to my family and will be greatly missed. So thankful though for the blessed hope that our separation is only temporary and we will all be reunited again soon. Praise the Lord for this !! You will be in our thoughts and prayers throuout the coming days. Love and prayers, Jewel Mitchell, Harry & Dianne Hullender and Jason and Julie McCurdy

julie mcurdy - July 05, 2018 at 03:59 PM

 Linda Sterlacci

“ Vickie, so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love you, Linda Sterlacci

Linda Sterlacci - July 05, 2018 at 02:41 PM

DH

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of our dear friend. Jim was one of my favorite steel guitar players. We will be praying for you Vickie and the family. God Bless.

Dewayne and Wyondia Hill

Dewayne Hill - July 05, 2018 at 11:29 AM

LB

*Vickie,
Jim was my supervisor when we worked at Galaxy Carpet Mills, he was always kind and a gentleman. I am sorry for your loss.
Linda Bartenfield*

Linda Bartenfield - July 05, 2018 at 05:39 PM

FT

“ Vickie, we are so sorry for your loss; please know you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Much love to all of you. Alan & Freida Talley

Freida Talley - July 05, 2018 at 07:22 AM

MK

“ Vickie, our thoughts and prayers are with you. Jim was such a kind person. I am broken hearted for you. All our love. Erick, Mary Ann and Brandon Kimmerling.

mary ann kimmerling - July 05, 2018 at 07:00 AM

JB

Went to school with Jim. Great friend and also Ray Land. Sorry to hear this. James “Ozz” Bullard Portland O.

james bullard - July 05, 2018 at 10:24 AM

KH

Worked with Jim in public accounting many years ago. He was a dear friend and we enjoyed many laughs and stories together. I will miss the emails that we shared these past several months and was deeply saddened when he told me he was ill. My prayers are with you the family. Kenneth Hall, Chatt., TN

Kenneth Hall - July 05, 2018 at 11:15 AM

RC

I worked with Jim for 8 years at SonnenBraune and he was a great boss! He was always there for me whenever I needed advice or just needed someone to talk to. He always made me laugh and was such a kind, sweet man. My prayers are with Vickie and the family. Rhonda Cawood

Rhonda Cawood - July 05, 2018 at 03:06 PM

MT

Vickie, so sorry to hear about Jim's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mark and Kay Tate - July 06, 2018 at 08:54 AM

DW

VICKIE, WE ARE SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS WE LOVE YOU AND WILL BE PRAYING FOR YOU IN THE FOLLOWING DAYS.

DOVIE WILLIAMS - July 06, 2018 at 09:42 AM