



## James Ryan Turner

October 4, 1992 - December 21, 2023

James Ryan “Turtle” Turner, 31 of East Ridge passed away December 21, 2023. He has lived in Chickamauga, Ga. and East Ridge Tn. Ryan played baseball, football, soccer, wrestled, but was most passionate about basketball. He put his whole heart in everything he did, and had such a zest for life; his personality was radiant and his smile lit up rooms. He loved the Tennessee Vols. Ryan impacted everyone’s life who he met and he would want everyone to remember the smile he left on your faces.

He is preceded in death by his great grandmothers June Hicks, Letha Mullis; great grandfather Buddy Brown; and uncle Garry Mooney Jr.

Ryan is survived by his girlfriend whom he loved very much Katie Lowe; parents Hillary Turner & Chris Gentry, Ryan Mooney; children Kobe Turner, Lanie Turner, Eli Kirby, Kinley Kirby; grandfathers Steve Turner & Garry Mooney Sr.; grandmothers Elizabeth “Betsy” Turner, Gail Mooney Overall; sister Rylie Gentry; cousins Kara Parm, Ben Turner, Peyton, Micah, & Sara Beth Mooney, uncles Justin, Larry, and Greg Turner. Also surviving are numerous extended family & friends.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Friday December 29, 2023. A service will be held in the chapel on Saturday December 30, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in the Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel of Wilson Funeral Home with Rev. Trey

Holland Officiating.

Condolences may be left at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by  
Wilson Funeral Home Wilson Funeral Home Ft. Oglethorpe Ga.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **29**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
555 West Cloud Springs Road  
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742  
(706) 866-5555  
info@wilsonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

DEC **30**. 3:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
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# Tribute Wall

MG

“ Love you, Neph! Forever and always! Will see you again some day  
❤️

Mistie Goins - December 30, 2023 at 06:33 PM

TS

“ I have known Turtle since he was a little boy! He was a life long friend to my son Ron. Every time I would see him he would have a smile on his face that would light up the entire room! It was a contagious smile! He was funny, smart, kind and will be missed by so many! My prayers go out to his family as they grieve the loss of a precious soul that will never be forgotten!

Tammy Setliffe - December 29, 2023 at 01:26 PM

KL

“ We love and miss you much! Please keep us all in y'all's prayers!



katie lowe - December 28, 2023 at 10:23 AM

AB

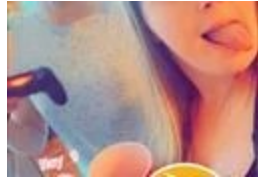
“ I'm so sorry for your loss Katie, I know your heart is hurting. I'm so sorry for this family and pray the Lord lifts and comforts you all during this time of grief in the blessed name of Jesus.



Angie Begley - December 28, 2023 at 09:38 AM

LJ

“ Gonna miss you Turtle. ❤️ Love you forever!



Lace Jackson - December 28, 2023 at 02:09 AM

LM

“ Lakelia Marsh lit a candle in memory of James Ryan Turner



Lakelia Marsh - December 27, 2023 at 10:25 PM

AH

“ I pray you are at rest Ryan. You were loved by so many. I love your mom & dad dearly and I know they loved you more than words. I will miss that sweet smile! Go VOLS! 💙



Annie Herrmann - December 27, 2023 at 09:46 PM

KO

“ Sending our deepest condolences to the family over the loss of Ryan. We offer you all our heartfelt support and friendship in this difficult time.



Kim Ogle - December 27, 2023 at 08:43 PM

DD

“ *Debbie & Mike Driggans lit a candle in memory of James Ryan Turner*



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**Debbie & Mike Driggans** - December 27, 2023 at 06:44 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of James Ryan Turner.*



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December 27, 2023 at 05:10 PM

KF

“ *Kobe, Kerri,Linda & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Ryan Turner.*

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**Kobe, Kerri,Linda & family** - December 27, 2023 at 05:10 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of James Ryan Turner.*



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December 27, 2023 at 04:41 PM