



## Leslie "Les" James Parker

December 9, 1971 - September 15, 2023

Leslie "Les" James Parker, 51 of Chickamauga, went to sleep in Jesus on Friday, September 15, 2023, awaiting his Lord and Saviour's return. The next voice he'll hear will be when "the Lord Himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first." I Thessalonians 4:16

Les was born in Portland, Tennessee on December 9, 1971 and had lived in the North Georgia area for most of his life. He was a member and deacon at Battlefield Community Seventh Day Adventist Church for many years and always greeted everyone with a smile. He was very active in Celebrate Recovery for various churches over many years and was truly devoted to helping others. He was a true sports fanatic, an avid Tennessee Vols football fan, loved the Atlanta Braves and he would drop everything to watch WWE. He was a loving and truly devoted friend, that will be missed by all who knew him.

He is loved and survived by his father & step mother, Roger & Gwendolyn Parker; mother and step father, Virginia and Buck Buckley-Gray; brother, Allen Parker; niece, Katelyn Parker; numerous cousins; his extended family & caregivers, Paul Clayton, Sherry Cobb Clayton and Josh Clayton; and a host of friends.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, September 24, 2023 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with former pastor Robert DeForest officiating. The family will receive friends from 1 p.m. until the time of service in the funeral home chapel. A reception will follow the service on Sunday at the Battlefield Community Seventh Day Adventist Church, 96 Hillman Lane, Ringgold, GA 30736 (706) 861-5999.

Graveside services will take place at 10 a.m., Monday, September 25, 2023 at the Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to your local Celebrate Recovery in honor of Les. Online guest book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

# Cemetery Details

## Tennessee/Georgia Memorial Park

724 Hogan Rd.  
Rossville, GA 30741  
(706) 866-5533

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 24. 1:00 PM - 2:00 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

SEP 24. 2:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
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## Graveside Service

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SEP **25**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Tennessee/Georgia Memorial Park  
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# Tribute Wall



“*Leslie (my niece's child) was the most beautiful baby. I never heard him complain about his disabilities. He worked hard to get his driver's license so he could be more independent and have a job. What a joy he was, and an inspiration.*

johnnie sue lorren - September 24, 2023 at 01:44 PM



“*Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Leslie "Les" James Parker.*



September 22, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“*Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Leslie "Les" James Parker.*



September 21, 2023 at 10:26 AM



“*A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Leslie "Les" James Parker.*

September 20, 2023 at 08:54 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Leslie "Les" James Parker.*



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September 20, 2023 at 08:54 PM