



James David "JD" Coffman III

July 22, 1936 - October 2, 2023

James David "JD" Coffman III, 87, passed away Monday, October 2nd, 2023, at Signature Healthcare of Hartford, Kentucky. He was born in Giles County on July, 22nd, 1936 and was 87 years old.

JD worked as a truck driver in the lower 48 before moving to Alaska to drive a truck and work as a diesel mechanic. He spent his free time fishing, hunting, and camping mostly with family. JD was a Christian and you could find him every morning reading his bible and every Sunday at Music City Baptist Church in Mt Juliet TN where he was a member.

A graveside service will be 9:00am Friday, October 6th, 2023, at Maplewood Cemetery in Pulaski, Tennessee.

JD was preceded in death by his parents James David and Marie Burton Coffman, Jr, brother Wilson Coffman, wife Shirley Coffman of 47 years, daughters Rebecca Morrison and Julie Vaughn and son Gary Mehrtens.

He is survived by his children David Coffman of Lubbock, Texas and Bobby (Pam) Coffman of Mt Juliet, Tennessee.

16 Grandchildren and 14 Great grandchildren also survive.

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of the arrangements for James David "JD" Coffman III.

Cemetery Details

Maplewood Cemetery

500 Ballentin Street
Pulaski, TN 38478

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 6. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JP

“ *Jacob Perry lit a candle in memory of James David "JD" Coffman III*



Jacob Perry - December 13, 2024 at 01:52 PM

JP

“ *He was a good man.*

Jacob Perry - December 13, 2024 at 01:51 PM

KC

“ *Bobby, David & family I wanted to express my sincere sympathy. I didn't know about JD's death until after the service. I truly wish I could have expressed my heartfelt feelings in person. Sending love & prayer.*

Kathy Newton Chappell

kathy chappell - October 12, 2023 at 05:58 PM

CW

“ *Carl (Woody) Woodard lit a candle in memory of James David "JD" Coffman III*



Carl (Woody) Woodard - October 05, 2023 at 07:30 PM

RT

“ Our deepest sympathy and many prayers to the family of James David Coffman. We love you all. Ray, Pam, and Scotty Twyman

Ray Twyman - October 04, 2023 at 09:51 PM

DS

“ JD was a great joy to sit with and talk Bible, sports and watch football!! We had great times at our house where he would stay on trips from KY to TN! He loves to go to Music City Baptist Church. Also, he loves Susan's cooking and driving on our crooked country roads between our house and church!! JD was loved by all and will be greatly missed!! We love you JD ❤️❤️❤️🙏🙏🙏

Dan Strouth - October 04, 2023 at 09:35 PM

DA

J D will be sorely missed by our adult Sunday School class. He always had great contributions with things to say about his love for Gods Word and his love for Music City Baptist. He never met a stranger and looked for reasons to share his Christian Faith. I look forward to seeing you again friend and brother!!
David Wilkerson

David - October 04, 2023 at 10:20 PM

AM

We first became acquainted with JD and Shirley at Good Shepherd Church in Owensboro, Ky. The more we interacted with them the more we appreciated their friendship. JD and Shirley were consummate examples of Godly values. After Shirley's passing, JD has struggled but led a victorious life through Jesus Christ. His strength and tenacity will always be an example to us and many others. We will miss him!
Avery and Judy McDonald

Avery McDonald - October 05, 2023 at 04:04 PM

BB

I was Shirley and JD's neighbor in Owensboro for many years . I found out way after his funeral that I had loss my friend. My husband and I would sit on patio in summer to visit

Barbara Brearley - October 30, 2023 at 02:45 PM