



James Murray Taylor Jr.

August 11, 1955 - February 19, 2022

James Murray Taylor Jr. was born on August 11, 1955, in Saint Louis, Missouri, to James Sr. and Winne Mae (Richie) Taylor. James was the oldest of three children in their union. Both of his parents preceded him in death. James was a very active child growing up. He accepted Christ at an early age was baptized at Bostic Temple Church of God and Christ. He was educated in the Saint Louis Public School System and graduated from Sumner High School in 1974. He later became a member of Have Bible Will Travel Church. James had a BIG personality. He enjoyed working on new projects, fixing things around the house, and helping others. He took pride in everything he did. He was always the loudest person in the room, no matter the topic! He had a love of classic cars and even purchased two of his own. He attended many car shows and competed in several shows as well, winning first place in some of them. He loved playing cards, going skating, and watching football. James was best known for saying: "You can't fix stupid!"

James married Judy Deering in 1991. The two of them traveled all over the world together, attended many concerts, horse shows, and float trips. He even learned to ride a horse. James really enjoyed life!

After battling cancer for two years, James departed this life on Saturday, February 19, 2022. He was surrounded by family and loved ones. He will be deeply missed by many. He is survived by his wife, Judy; his siblings, Erma Jean, Norman, and Connie; his four children, Latrese (William), Buzz (Michael), Natosha (Paul), and James III (Arnitrus); 12 grandchildren, 4 great-

grandchildren, and a host of nieces and nephews

Cemetery Details

St. Peters

2101 Lucas & Hunt Rd
St Louis, MO 63121

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Have Bible Will Travel
1745 Craig Rd, St. Louis, MO 63146

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ I do not share in social media, but for James this has to be an exception for me. James brought light into a room when he entered. With his smile, hug & kiss ever warming. Always there to help and some of our times and stories legendary! Will miss you physically being here, but you will be in my heart. Thanks for being part of my world-then, now and always.

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Thommi - March 01, 2022 at 12:56 PM

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“ To Our Dearest Friend,

Your larger than life personality will be missed more than you know, by so many. You did so much for others. We all will share so many memories and a toast of Crown Royal to you, our true friend and debate buddy. Peace Out!

Ucladyd - February 28, 2022 at 08:47 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James Murray Taylor Jr..



February 28, 2022 at 12:12 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Murray Taylor Jr..*



February 26, 2022 at 08:12 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Murray Taylor Jr..*



February 25, 2022 at 03:37 PM



“ *You will be greatly missed. Rest In Heaven.*

The Chilton family.

Chilton family - February 24, 2022 at 11:07 AM



James you will terribly missed by so many RIH

shirley Tyler - March 01, 2022 at 12:40 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of James Murray Taylor Jr..*



February 22, 2022 at 02:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of James Murray Taylor Jr..



February 22, 2022 at 01:10 PM