



T. J. Carver

October 15, 1944 - March 13, 2023

Mr. T. J. Carver, age 78 of Ambrose, GA passed away Monday morning, March 13, 2023 at Coffee Regional Medical Center following a brief illness. Mr. Carver was born October 5, 1944 to the late Elmer Carver and the late Mary Lee Story Carver. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by 2 Sisters: Earnell Carver and Vernell Williams.

Mr. Carver, a native of Coffee County, was a retired truck driver for Elixir Industries, Justice Trucking and Coffee County Gin. He was a member of Wray Holiness Baptist Church where he had been a deacon for approximately 20 years. He loved spending time with his grand children and great grandchildren. In his younger days, he enjoyed hunting and fishing. Later he developed a love for antique collecting , especially antique clocks. His favorite place to be was either in the prayer closet or in church worshipping his Lord and Savior. If you have ever been in church with him you saw him do the "TJ Shuffle".

Survivors include:

His wife of 56 Years: Brenda Medders Carver of Ambrose, GA

4 Children: Buddy Carver and wife Cindy of Douglas, GA

Silas (Doodlebug) Carver and wife Sherry Carver of Alapaha, GA

Gail Merritt and husband Michael of Douglas, GA
Hope Hall and husband Jody of Ambrose, GA

8 Grandchildren: Ethan Carver and wife Kayla of Willacoochee, GA
Whitley and husband Matthew "Fred" Merritt of Ambrose, GA
Brittany Phillips and husband Jesseof Douglas, GA
Brandi Merritt of Douglas, GA
Brenley Wilson and husband Jarrett of Willacoochee, GA
Brooke Carver of Alapaha, GA
Anna Hall of Ambrose, GA
Evan Hall of Ambrose, GA

7 Great Grandchildren and 1 on the way

2 Brothers: W. A. Carver of Wray, GA
Billy Carver and wife Kathy of Ambrose, GA

A Number of Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Many Friends

The family will receive friends on Tuesday evening, March 14, 2023 from 6:00 PM until 9:00 PM at Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home.

The funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon, March 15, 2023 at 2:00 PM at Wray Holiness Baptist Church with Rev. Howard Holt, Rev. Steve Willingham, Rev. Daniel Smith and Rev. Kevin Vickers officiating. The internment will follow in Wray Cemetery.

Active Pallbearers for the service will be: Ethan Carver, Matthew "Fred" Merritt, David Medders, Jamie Medders, Jarrett Wilson and James Griffin.

Honorary Pallbearers for the service will be: Congregation of Wray Holiness

Baptist Church, Bro. Edsel Young, Bro. Larry Bowen, Bro. Stanley Tyson, Bro. Marshall Dye, Bro. John Sewell, Bro. Junior Morgan, Bro. Rob Merritt, Bro. Brad Fuller, Bro. Harold Barnes and Bro. Darin Wilson.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Wray Cemetery

1059 Wray Road
Wray, GA 31798

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 14. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533

Funeral Service

MAR 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

Wray Holiness Baptist Church
1059 Wray Road
Wray, GA 31798

Interment

MAR 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

Wray Cemetery
1059 Wray Road
Wray, GA 31798

Tribute Wall



“ *Ricketson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of T. J. Carver*



Ricketson Funeral Home - March 14, 2023 at 05:14 PM

CV

“ *Curt , Tracey And Micajah Vickers lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver*



Curt , Tracey and Micajah Vickers - March 26, 2023 at 09:25 PM

HO

“ *Helen Kirkland Ogden lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver*



Helen Kirkland Ogden - March 15, 2023 at 09:29 PM

GB

“ I was just informed of the death of T. J. Carver. His daughter and my daughter were close friends when we lived next door to T. J. and his family in Ambrose. I would like to extend my deepest sympathies to his family. I pray that God will wrap his loving arms around this family and comfort them during this most difficult time.

Gary Gene Burson - March 14, 2023 at 07:49 PM

CS

“ Heaven is a little sweeter now Prayers for the Family. The Setters Family

Charles Setters - March 14, 2023 at 07:15 PM

MH

“ Miriam Vickers Holland lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver



Miriam Vickers Holland - March 14, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ 97 files added to the album LifeTributes



Ricketson Funeral Home - March 14, 2023 at 04:36 PM

JC

“ *May God bless and comfort each of you. Sorry for your loss. Heaven surely gained one of the best! A good man went HOME!*

Jewel Call - March 14, 2023 at 04:17 PM

DF

“ *Dana Fales lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver*



Dana Fales - March 14, 2023 at 12:34 PM

WC

“ *W L & Betty Coley sent a virtual gift in memory of T. J. Carver*



W L & Betty Coley - March 14, 2023 at 10:43 AM

RF

“ *Regina Fowler lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver*



Regina Fowler - March 14, 2023 at 08:29 AM

AC

“ Angie Lott Carver lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver



Angie Lott Carver - March 13, 2023 at 10:12 PM

RA

“ Rhonda H. Anderson lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver



Rhonda H. Anderson - March 13, 2023 at 10:11 PM

JH

“ Jerome & Vickie Harrell lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver



Jerome & Vickie Harrell - March 13, 2023 at 09:35 PM

WM

“ Wanda H Medders lit a candle in memory of T. J. Carver



Wanda H Medders - March 13, 2023 at 08:45 PM

LM

Kenneth and Linda Mathews thought so much of Bro. T.J. He was such a blessing to the church services and a very friendly man; always spoke. He will be missed by so many. Had a wonderful family!

Linda Mathews - March 14, 2023 at 12:37 PM