



James R. Winslett

May 7, 1947 - September 16, 2018

James R. Winslett, age 71 of Bessemer, AL went home to be with the Lord on September 16, 2018. He is a retired Charter member of Boilermakers Local 108. He was on various pool leagues and loved by many friends and family. He was preceded in death by son, Greg Jordan; parents, Emma and Orbie Winslett; sister, Dale Monk; brother, Thomas Winslett. James is survived by his wife, Lynda Winslett; sons, Jeffrey Jordan and Michael (Angie) Roberts; daughter, Darlene Roberts; 12 grandchildren and many great grandchildren; sisters, Mae Adams and Mary Willis; brother, Al (Joan) Winslett and many other family members. Visitation will be Wednesday, September 19, 2018 from 6 PM until 8 PM at McCalla Memorial Funeral Home. The funeral service will be Thursday, September 20, 2018 at 10 AM at McCalla Memorial Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Valhalla Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Cemetery

839 Wilkes Road
Birmingham, AL 35228

Previous Events

A Celebration of Life

SEP 19. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McCalla Memorial Funeral Home
4780 Letson Farms Parkway
Mc Calla, AL 35111
(205) 477-4888
info@mccallamemorialfuneralhome.com

Funeral Service

SEP 20. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I did a lot of motorcycle riding with James. We did a trip on the bikes to Mobile with him and Lynda. Later a trip to Thunder Beach in Panama City with everyone. Then a trip out west with Tim and Gary to Sturgis, thru Wyoming and down thru New Mexico across Texas and back home. (when we could keep Tim and James awake....and all of us could keep our bikes up on both wheels lol). Then James, Nate Goode and myself left Hueytown one morning at 4:00am and took off for Vega Texas, west of Amarillo then back to Pine Bluff Arkansas, 1500 miles and we had to do it in 36 hours to get our Iron Butt certificate. We DID IT !!! We also did a lot of trips around here over several years. Then come back and played pool in a league although I was not good at it. Sometimes him and Farris Wilson came to my house and we would shoot pool all night into the next day.

I have a lot of great memories riding with him and just hanging out with him, eating at his and Lynda's restaurant and listening to him preach. There is no one that was more fun to ride and hang out with.

James, you made this world a better place for a lot of people.

We love you,

Tony & Deb Doss



Tony Doss - September 19, 2018 at 10:23 PM

TF

“ *Teddy Lee & Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of James R. Winslett.*



Teddy Lee & Family - September 19, 2018 at 02:29 PM

BB

“ *Rest in Peace Brother James. The " Preacher" is asleep in JESUS. He shall not be forgotten. Love and Prayers for his whole family.*

butch brooks - September 18, 2018 at 09:17 PM



“ *I remember being a little girl, My Dad was best friends with Uncle James (My brother, Kevin and I called him our Uncle), and staying with Mike and Darlene while our parents (Ann, Eddie, James & Linda) would go Motorcycle riding and be gone usually until we were fast asleep. I also remember attending Church service where he was preaching. My Husband and I asked if he would marry us... he politely refused - lol. I loved him very much and Aunt Linda too.*

My heart is with you guys - may you rest in peace Uncle James there with God and Jesus and help the Angels rest after they have grown weary from fighting our battles here on Earth.

Kimberly Davis - September 18, 2018 at 08:53 PM

KI

“ *Kimberly lit a candle in memory of James R. Winslett*



Kimberly - September 18, 2018 at 08:41 PM

DS

“ *Debra Shepherd lit a candle in memory of James R. Winslett*



Debra Shepherd - September 18, 2018 at 05:30 PM

KS

“ *We will miss you uncle James, say hello to mom and dad for us.*

Love and miss you

Your nieces

Karen Sampley and Kathy Winslett

karen sampley - September 18, 2018 at 04:20 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of James R. Winslett.*



September 18, 2018 at 04:02 PM



Kenneth
Dunkin

“ *Kenneth Dunkin lit a candle in memory of
James R. Winslett* ”



Kenneth Dunkin - September 18, 2018 at 03:27 PM