



JAMES LAWRENCE

March 10, 1964 - June 9, 2023

James Lawrence, 59, left us on June 7th, 2023 with his family by his side at U.A.B. Hospital in Birmingham, Alabama. James was born March 10th, 1964, in Bessemer, AL. He graduated from McAdory High School in 1983 and entered basic training at Fort McClellan. After basic training, he married his sweet heart, Michelle Ann Calderini, before leaving for his first post in Stuttgart, Germany. During his Army career, he reached the rank of Sargent First Class (E7). He served in both Desert Shield and Desert Storm, as well as holding several posts, including another tour of Germany, Texas, Georgia, Hawaii, Virginia and finally retiring in Huntsville, Alabama, Redstone Arsenal.

His personal interests included his family, being "Grumps" to his 11 grandchildren, his Church family, plus working and hunting at his camp, Big B Hunting Club. He devoted much of his time and energy as a caregiver to family members. He was a member of Liberty Baptist Church, where he served as a Deacon.

James is preceded in death by his Grandparents, his infant Sister, Carin and his Father, Donald Lawrence. He is survived by his wife of nearly 40 years, Michelle Lawrence; brother, Terry Lawrence, his beloved Mother, Betty Lawrence, 3 Sons and their spouses, Corey (Erin), Heath (Katrina) and Chase (Bethany), and a bundle of grandchildren, Kyle, Makenzie, Priscilla, Maddie, Caleb, Emily, Sadie, Malachi, Elizabeth, Hunter and Emma.

He spent his latest years in the company of his family and friends in the home he remodeled for his wife, Michelle, on the Black Warrior River. James will be lovingly remembered and missed.

The visitation will be from 1:00PM, Monday, June 12, 2023, at Liberty Baptist Church, Alliance. The funeral service will be at 2:00 PM at the Church. Burial will follow in the adjoining cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Abel Fuller lit a candle in memory of JAMES LAWRENCE*



Abel Fuller - June 15, 2023 at 03:39 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences for your loss. He was a cranky little fella, but was liked by all he met. He will truly be missed. Regards, Abe*

Abel Fuller - June 15, 2023 at 03:38 PM