



James William Brown

November 4, 1971 - February 13, 2012

Frankfort " James William "Jim♦ Brown, 40 years, passed away Monday, February 13, 2012, at his home.

Services for Jim will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, February 17, 2012, at Harrod Brothers Memorial Chapel with Rev. Josh Rayborn and Pastor Sam Glenn officiating. Burial with military honors will follow in Sunset Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Thursday and Friday 9:00 a.m. until the service at the funeral home.

A native of Frankfort, he was born November 4, 1971. Jim served in the United States Army and the United States Air Force and was deployed during Operation Desert Shield/Storm and Afghanistan. He was a member of The First Church of God. He was a self-taught drummer, played in the church praise band and enjoyed fishing.

Jim is survived by his wife, Gabriela Brown; children, Therese Claire Raymond, William Ayden Brown, Erin Isabel Brown; stepchildren, Juan Pablo Garcia, Gabriela Garcia; his parents, Danny and Diane Hill Harrod; siblings, Mark Shelton (Crystal) Harrod, Danny Lee (Kelly) Harrod Jr.; grandmother, Margaret Saunders Hill; aunts and uncles, Reva Vest, Steve (Veronica) Brown, Rodman (Beverly) Brown, Larry (Loretta) Hill, Judy (Frank) Stevenson, Yvonne Hill; nieces, Katelyn Harrod, Allison Harrod, Maggie Harrod and

nephew, Samuel Harrod.

He was preceded in death by his father, William Stanley Brown Jr.; paternal grandparents, William Stanley Brown, Archie Jane Brown; maternal grandfather, James B. Hill and uncle, William R. "Bobby" Hill.

Pallbearers will be Mark Harrod, Danny Lee Harrod Jr., Chad Hill, Robbie Hill, Derrick Hill and Jason Chapman.

Flowers are welcome, or expressions of sympathy are suggested to Kentucky Veterans Trust Fund, 1111B Louisville Rd., Frankfort, KY 40601 or First Church of God, Mission Fund, 1029 Burlington Dr., Frankfort, KY 40601.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *James William Brown*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I love you and miss you so much.*

Mom - February 13, 2013 at 09:34 PM



“ *I am trully sorry to hear about jim's passing. i just found out and am do shocked! I loved jim very much and i always prayed for him. Jim had the most beautiful smile and heart . It will be tough for a long time. All we can do is to truly serve our lord so that we will get to see him again on s new world lof love joy snd happiness. I will pray god holds his wife mom/dad and his chidren. Again i am so,so sorry. Alice*

Alice morgan - April 01, 2012 at 01:28 PM



“ *You will always be in my heart...*

Gabriela Brown - March 14, 2012 at 09:12 AM



“ *Diane - You have been my friend for 32 years. I feel like I grew up with Jimmy through you at work. My heart breaks for you. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family every day.*

Charlene Galyon - February 22, 2012 at 06:29 PM

TC

“ To my family: Losing Jim has been the hardest thing most of us have ever experienced. I pray that God gives us the strength to deal with losing Jim and we find comfort in knowing that we will one day see him again.

To Ayden, Therese and Erin: I pray you always keep the love and memories of your father close to your heart and never forget he loved each of you very much. Your father served our country well. You should always be proud of that.

To Gabby, Pablo and Gabriella: I am thankful that you are in our lives and will always be part of our family. I pray that you will find some consolation in knowing that we love you.

To Jim: Words cannot express the heartache I feel from losing you so soon. At times, it feels like the grief is unbearable and I'll never make peace with your passing. What I would give to tell you I love you and hug you one more time, but I know that this is not goodbye. It is till we meet again. I love you.

Trista Chapman - February 22, 2012 at 12:41 PM

ES

“ What a beautiful memorial for your beloved son. I pray that God will grant you peace, understanding and blessed assurance.

Emily Spencer - February 20, 2012 at 06:26 PM

JW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers will be with your family.

Julie Wingate - February 19, 2012 at 06:25 PM

JS

“ Dianne, As you may know I had a daughter that died 28 years ago. She was eight years old. I still keep her with me in my heart everyday that I live and will continue to do that until the day I leave this earth. I dont think I dread or fear death in the way most people do because I so much look forward to seeing her again. It will be a day of rejoicing to touch her and hold her in my arms again. Hold on to His promise and you will see him again. Jeannie Powell Stodghill

Jeannie Powell Stodghill - February 17, 2012 at 11:46 PM

AA

“ Man, so sad to see you leave us so soon Jim! I'll always remember the good times. You made me laugh, you were a cool person. I waved on the road today as you were carried to your final resting place until we rise again. We'll all take good care of Ayden, he's turning out to be a fine young man and I'm very proud of him. Take care until we meet again. Your cousin, Angela

Angela Carriss Anglin - February 17, 2012 at 03:30 PM

JA

“ I will truly miss Jim. Loved him since the first time I met him. It was hard not to. He had a smile that could make you smile no matter how your were feeling. One of my favorite memories is from him and I smile and laugh so hard every time I think about it. I love you, Jim. I'll miss you always.

Jenny Antle - February 17, 2012 at 01:48 PM

BH

“ I graduated with Jim. He was a great guy who always had a smile and a nice word for everyone. He will be sadly missed. My prayers to his family.

Barb Sims Hewitt - February 17, 2012 at 01:05 PM

EB

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers today. I am terribly sorry for the loss of your loved one. I attended church with Jim at the First Church of God in Frankfort. What a nice young man. May God comfort your hearts at this time. Love and Prayers, Ellie Proctor Bowling

Ellie Proctor Bowling - February 17, 2012 at 11:35 AM

BH

“ Danny \ Mark,

I am very sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Brian Hiles - February 17, 2012 at 11:14 AM

AR

“ Diane, Danny and Danny Lee, as well as the rest of the Brown, Harrod and Hill families, my heart aches for you. As you know, I have known Jimmy all my life and I will never forget him. He was always such a sweet, gentle, kind, caring soul and that is how I will remember him. He had a smile and a laugh that lit up the room and would do anything to help someone who needed it. Please take care of yourselves and know that you are loved and in my prayers.

Amy Roberts - February 17, 2012 at 11:11 AM

BR

“ Diane my heart breaks for you. I wish I could have been there, but I am down in my back again. Know that you and your family are in our prayers. I pray that God will some how bring some kind of peace or comfort for you during this time. I love you guys and will continue to pray for you.

Barry K. Rucker - February 17, 2012 at 10:16 AM

RB

“ We are so sad to lose our sweet Jimmy. We will love and miss him always. There was never a smile so sweet. Prayers to Diane and Danny and all the family.

Rodman and Beverly Brown - February 17, 2012 at 12:20 AM

EJ

“ Diane,

I'm so sorry to hear of your son's passing! My heart hurts with you.

Eleanor

ELleanor (Redden) Jones - February 16, 2012 at 09:18 PM

JT

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We are so sorry for your loss. Jim was a wonderful guy and all who truly knew him knew that about him. He will be missed.

Jeff and Melissa Trent - February 16, 2012 at 04:26 PM

SC

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I went to school with Jim. Another from the WHHS class of 1989 lost.

Stacy Mitchell Clark - February 16, 2012 at 02:32 PM

PP

“ Diane my heart is breaking for you. Prayers to you and your family.

Pam Landers Perry - February 16, 2012 at 01:29 PM

AE

“ Ayden, sorry to hear about your father. Remember our heavenly father in this time and god bless your family. Your prayers will get you thorough the hard times. Go to the Father in prayer. God Bless.

Albert & Melissa Woodrum Dennis and Elizabeth - February 16, 2012 at 09:05 AM

FB

“ We are very sorry to hear about the untimely passing of Jimmy. We will remember your family in our prayers and pray that God will comfort all of you.

Jimmy's grandfather, Stanley Brown, and my father, John McMillen "Mackie" were brothers. We recognize the "Brown" family resemblance in his photo.

Frank & Martha Brown - February 15, 2012 at 10:06 PM

SW

“ Jim you will be missed, Ayden and Gabrilla my prayers are with you.

Scottie Wise - February 15, 2012 at 09:19 PM

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Scottie Wise - February 15, 2012 at 09:19 PM

LC

“ There are no words invented yet to describe the sadness of this situation and how this family has been through more than their share of sorrow. All of you never stopped being my family. I am so glad that I could show you this. May peace surround all of you tightly. Love.

Lynn Daniel Cruz - February 15, 2012 at 08:05 PM

SA

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers.

Suzanne Johnson Anderson - February 15, 2012 at 06:43 PM

JO

“ Diane, We were so sorry to hear of your loss. We haven't seen you since Peewee's funeral when Jimmy was a small child. Please give our condolences to his wife and children.

Jimmy and Barbara Onan - February 15, 2012 at 05:12 PM

BB

“ Diane and Danny, we are very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers.

Brian, Autumn, and Abby Brewer - February 15, 2012 at 03:15 PM

DJ

“ I will always love you big brother

Danny Lee Harrod Jr - February 15, 2012 at 02:04 PM

ST

“ Our Prayers are with you and the family

Stephanie Turner - February 15, 2012 at 01:44 PM

TW

“ You will be missed, our friend

Tom & Brenda Wise - February 15, 2012 at 01:41 PM

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Tom & Brenda Wise - February 15, 2012 at 01:39 PM

JH

“ Lord watch over this family as they suffer from this loss.

james b. hammond - February 15, 2012 at 10:01 AM

KA

“ Sending prayers to your family during this difficult time. Please know that you are never alone.

Katie - February 15, 2012 at 09:08 AM

SR

“ Diane, my heart breaks for your loss. I love you Lady. May God wrap you in his arms and give you comfort during this most difficult time.

Sharon VanHoose Ryan - February 15, 2012 at 08:45 AM