



James B. "Jim" Ellers, Jr.

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James B. "Jim" Ellers, 69, was born November 25, 1947 and died February 19, 2017. He is survived by his wife, Claire Foote Ellers; daughter, Jennifer Ellers; son, James B. "Chip" Ellers III; mother, Theresa "Terry" Ellers; siblings, Theresa "Resa" Miliara (Alex) of Marion, IL, John Ellers (Cindy) of Scottsdale, AZ and Sharon Kemp (Russell) of Atlanta, GA as well as many cousins, nieces and nephews. Jim was preceded in death by his father, James B. Ellers, Sr. Jim attended Harding Academy and graduated from Bartlett High School. He graduated from Memphis State University where he was a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity. Jim attended White Station Church of Christ, where his parents were charter members, and later joined Christ United Methodist Church when Jennifer and Chip began pre-school there. Jim was an award winning salesman, who began his career at IBM and later retired from Siemens Medical after 25 years. When Jim was not hard at work. He loved to spend time with his family: coaching and watching Jennifer and Chip's teams, supporting his Tiger basketball and football teams, fishing, golfing and hunting. All of Jim's friends have at least one if not many funny stories to tell about him. Please join us as we celebrate his life at 1 p.m. Saturday, February 25 at Memorial Park Funeral Home, 5668 Poplar Ave. Visitation will begin at 12 noon. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children Research Hospital or the American Cancer Society. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5668 Poplar Ave., Memphis TN 38119 (901) 767-8930. "Celebrating Life....Behind the Stone Wall."



Tribute Wall

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DF

Donis Plunk Fought posted:

Claire, I am so sorry you have lost your husband Jim. I am thinking of you, praying for you and sending my deepest condolences to you and your entire family. Donis Plunk Fought

February 23 at 12:02 PM

KH

Kay Halel posted:

claire, your lunch bunch love you and the kiddos beyond the moon and back. much love from us all. kaymo

February 22 at 10:17 AM

PW

Pam Womack posted:

Claire, I am sorry to hear about Jim's passing. I know the journey has been long and hard. Please know you are in my heart and prayers

February 22 at 7:40 AM

YF

Your Enterprise Rent A Car Family posted:

Your Enterprise Rent A Car Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of James Bauman Ellers, Jr..

February 22 at 6:05 AM

AP

Arlene (Davis) Pulner posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you and our family, Claire. May your memories of good times together comfort you in the days ahead. Arlene (Davis) Pulner

February 21 at 12:53 PM

LI

Libby posted:

I'm so sad to get the news about Jim. My thoughts and prayers are with Claire and her precious children during this very difficult time.

February 21 at 11:52 AM



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Libby posted:

My heart is so sad to hear that Jim's journey has come to an end. It has been long road and now he's free. Sending so much love to Claire and her precious children during this difficult time.

February 21 at 11:35 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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