



James Lynn Wilson Sr.

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It is with deep sorrow that the family of James Lynn Wilson, Sr. of Lakeland announces his passing on May 12, 2023, at the age of 77.

James was born in Union City, Tennessee on August 2, 1945, to Marjorie and James Robert Wilson. He graduated from Central High School, Memphis, Tennessee in 1964.

He was a 30-year veteran of the Memphis Police Department, retiring as Lieutenant in 1994. He later joined the Shelby County Sheriff's office, serving as the Director of Accreditation and Policies until retiring in 2018.

He was preceded in death by his father, James Robert Wilson.

James is survived by his wife, Priscilla Wilson; daughter, Candy Smothers (Mark), son, James Lynn Wilson, II; stepdaughter Bridget Davern (Bill); grandchildren James Lynn Wilson, III, Emma Davern, and Cecelia Davern; mother, Marjorie Wilson; first wife Betty Wilson and brother, Stanley Graves (Judy).

Visitation will be held on Thursday, May 18, 2023 from 5:00pm - 7:00pm in the Riverside Chapel at Memorial Park Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, May 19, 2023 at 11:00am in the Riverside Chapel at Memorial Park Funeral Home, with an hour visitation prior to the service starting at 10:00am. Entombment will follow in Memorial Park Mausoleum.

In lieu of flowers or for those desiring memorial contributions the family requests donations be made to the Wounded Warrior Project www.woundedwarriorproject.org

To view the service via live stream, please click on the link below:

<http://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/viewer/88277/hash:76282A5224EBBB72>



Events

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Visitation

 **Thursday**, May 18, 2023

 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM CT


 **Memorial Park Riverside Chapel**
5668 Poplar Avenue, Memphis TN 38119

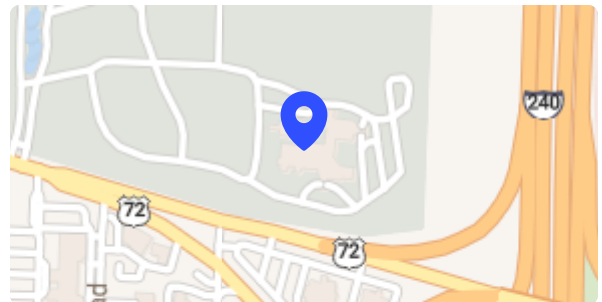


Visitation

 **Friday**, May 19, 2023

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Cst

 **Memorial Park Riverside Chapel**
5668 Poplar Avenue, Memphis TN 38119

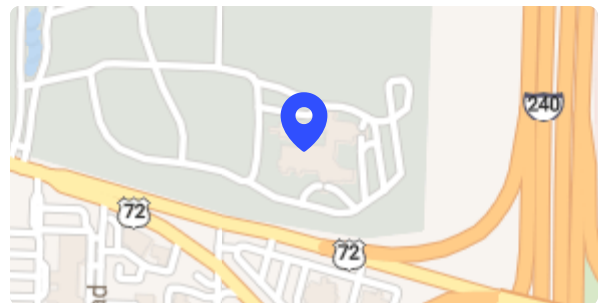


Funeral Service

 **Friday**, May 19, 2023


 11:00 AM CT

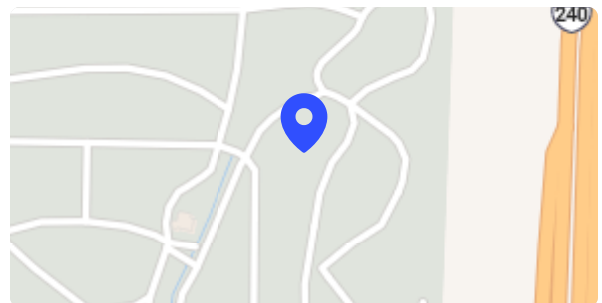
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Cemetery Details

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 **(901) 445-8475**





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a "You Are Loved And In Our Prayers" Comfort Throw to the Wilson family.



May 22 at 3:06 PM



Ed- Sweda posted:

So many years have gone by since college and trips to Chicago. James was one of the best people I ever knew...God Speed you on this journey James... Ed Sweda

May 18 at 6:46 AM



Donna Derden May 21 at 11:19 AM

So terribly sorry to learn of Jim's passing - friends from Fairview and enjoyed keeping up on Facebook. Peace be with and with your spirit.



Alicesue Bridges May 19 at 5:33 PM

I Love You James Lynn...Rest In Eternal Peace ❤️😊👤



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Wilson family.



May 17 at 4:40 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wilson family.



May 16 at 10:12 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wilson family.



May 16 at 8:52 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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