



Mr. James Earl Curry

November 9, 1948 - January 28, 2022

A funeral service with Military Honors for Mr. James Earl Curry, 73, who entered into rest on Friday, January 28, 2022, will be held at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, February 23, 2022, in The Chapel of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home. Lt. Col. (Ret.) Henry Grady Weaver III will deliver the eulogy. The burial will be held at 2 o'clock in Florence National Cemetery, 1001 Stockade Drive, Florence, SC 29506. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home & Crematory are caring for the family.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his honor to the Darlington Veterans Memorial Park, c/o Darlington American Legion Post 13, 1752 Harry Byrd Highway, Darlington, SC 29532, or to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, Kansas 66675-8516, or to the Tunnel to Towers Foundation, 2361 Hylan Boulevard, Staten Island, NY 10306.

Mr. Curry was born in Gastonia, NC, on November 9, 1948, the son of the late Boyd Warren Curry and Nellie Groves Curry. He was married on August 11, 1972, to Mamie Lawton Segars.

James worked as an agricultural pilot with his father and in construction. He enlisted into the U. S. Army on July 11, 1969; served in Vietnam from September 16, 1970, to May 10, 1971; and received an Honorable Discharge July 10, 1975.

He was a beautifully talented artist and seeker of God's wisdom and was a son, brother, husband, wonderfully wise father, caring, grandfather, and friend.

Survived by his daughter, Kellie Lawton Curry Ricca, living in Vail Colorado with her husband, John Cordry Ricca; granddaughter, Marilyn Frances Ricca; grandson, Cordry James Ricca; granddaughter, Claire Elsas Ricca; son, James "Jay" Earl (Michelle Nye) Curry Jr., of Leadville, CO; grandson, Ethan Michael Curry; granddaughters, Elizabeth Mamie Curry, Sophia May Curry; brothers, Boyd Curry of Longwood, FL, David Curry of Hartsville, SC, and Gary Curry of Hartsville, SC.

Cemetery Details

Florence National Cemetery

1001 Stockade Road
Florence, SC 29506

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel
306 W Home Ave
Hartsville, SC

Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a James Earl Curry Service in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - February 22, 2022 at 11:06 PM

KR

“ *Mr. Grady Weaver sent this photo to me.*



Kellie Ricca - February 12, 2022 at 10:48 AM

KR

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Kellie Ricca - February 03, 2022 at 04:48 PM

KR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kellie Ricca - February 03, 2022 at 03:35 PM

AS

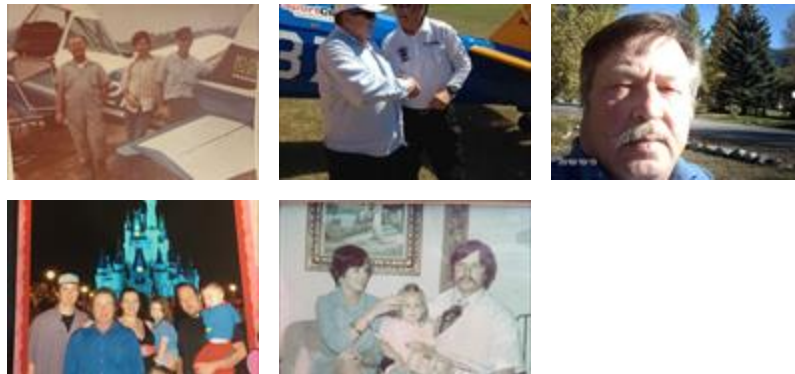
“ Remembering James & Mamie when we met
in 1979-80 in Lamaze classes in Darlington!
To the Curry family, Sorry for your loss !
Remembering these very nice people today
2022 !
Andy Shirley
Surfside Beach, SC



andy shirley - February 02, 2022 at 07:46 PM

KR

“ 19 files added to the album Photos of Dad



Kellie Curry Ricca - February 02, 2022 at 04:18 PM

JD

“ Farewell James. I hold dear many fond memories of your unsettled creative genius...The homemade dune buggy, welded together with coat hanger wire for welding rod; Exciting airplane rides; and the stories you brought back from exotic Vietnam, back when we really didn't know what or where it was.

Jim Dunlap - February 01, 2022 at 09:37 PM

GD

“ James was a rebel and a good friend to me. Farewell James, and we will move a little further down the road.”

Gus Dunlap - January 31, 2022 at 12:25 PM

SR

“ Sedell Rowe lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry



Sedell Rowe - January 31, 2022 at 09:14 AM

TW

“ Travis And Marilyn Walters lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry



Travis and Marilyn Walters - January 30, 2022 at 09:10 PM

DG

“ Don And Bess Gore lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry



Don and Bess Gore - January 30, 2022 at 11:23 AM

JP

“ Sorry for your loss Gary, will keep in our thoughts and prayers. 🙏

Jeff Poole - January 29, 2022 at 12:10 PM

JB

“ Jill Beckham lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry



Jill Beckham - January 29, 2022 at 09:35 AM

II

“ I have fond memories of James Earl growing up and hanging out at our house. He was an independent spirit. Prayers for his family.



Irene Ingram - January 29, 2022 at 09:17 AM

William
Gary
Curry Jr.

“ *RIP uncle James Earl Curry. Love and miss you..*



William Gary Curry Jr. - January 29, 2022 at 01:01 AM

JA

“ *JIMMY ANDREWS lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry*



JIMMY ANDREWS - January 28, 2022 at 07:40 PM

LH

“ *Larry Huggins lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry*



Larry Huggins - January 28, 2022 at 05:21 PM

EH

“ *Knew the family growing up. Loved to fly with his Dad. Sending thoughts and prayers to his family*



Elaine Hubbard - January 28, 2022 at 04:53 PM

DS

“ *Darlington County Development Services lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Earl Curry*



Darlington County Development Services - January 28, 2022 at 02:23 PM