



Mr. Jimmy Purvis

August 27, 1948 - June 16, 2020

Jimmy Purvis was born on August 27, 1948 in Robersonville, NC to William and Mary Purvis. Jimmy departed this earth and gained his wings on Tuesday, June 16, 2020 at Martin General Hospital. Jimmy was raised and grew up in Robersonville, NC most of his life.

Jimmy worked at Martin Enterprises for several years as an assembly line worker. He also joined Full Gospel Way of the Cross Church of Christ in Robersonville, NC under the leadership of Pastor Willie B. Teel. Jimmy enjoyed the fellowship and was often allowed to sing his favorite song, Precious Lord, to the congregation.

Jimmy was well known in his community. He always greeted everyone with a smile and a request. His smile brought you in and warmed you up, so he could remind you of his birthday and request a gift immediately. Jimmy loved his family, he loved his long sleeve shirts, white Chuck Taylors, moon pies, hot balls and square snuff. He was not hard to please. His favorite tv shows were Walker Texas Ranger and Matlock.

Jimmy was preceded in death by his parents, William and Mary Purvis; four sisters, Odell Purvis, Ruby Dell Razor, Dorothy "Mothergoose" Purvis, and Thelma "Pete" Moore.

Jimmy leaves to cherish his memory, six brothers, Terry Purvis (Marie) of Greenville, William Purvis of Planfield, NJ, Ricky Purvis of Danbury CT, Mackey Purvis (Vicky) of Lithonia GA, Linburgh Purvis (Sharon) of Tampa FL, Bobby Dean Purvis (Sue) of New Milford CT; his three sisters, Velma Little of

Danbury CT, Mary Lou Daniels of Orange NJ and Hilda Martin (Ozie) of New Milford, CT; he will be sorely missed by a host of nieces, nephew, cousin and dear friends.

Cemetery Details

Robersonville Memorial Gardens

2418 C.L. Keel Road
Robersonville, NC 27871

Previous Events

Graveside

JUN 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RJ

“ *New York Purvis 's uncle Jimmy's brother David with Dav's grand daughter on his shoulders & family also his nephew Roosevelt dark suit ,2nd pic Roosevelt dark cap*



Roosevelt Purvis junior - May 26, 2024 at 12:03 AM



“ *Mr. Jimmy Purvis*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM

PS

“ *Dear Friend You Will Be Missed Family God Bless You in Your Time of Bereavement.*



Pastor Milton E. Staton & Delores Staton - June 22, 2020 at 10:29 PM

AS

“ *Annie Spivey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Annie Spivey - June 22, 2020 at 09:12 AM

KM

“ A special person I was so privileged to call an Uncle! Thank you for all of the memories, continuous strength, & smile that would light up the room! No matter what your situation was you found a way to make the best out of it! I thank God that he lended you to me for 26 years but now you had ton return to your have a heavenly home!



Kourtnie Moore - June 20, 2020 at 09:46 AM

MB

“ Milton Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis



Milton Bryant - June 19, 2020 at 05:07 PM

AB

“ Alfred Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis



Alfred Bryant - June 19, 2020 at 04:07 PM

MN

“ Martin Enterprises, Williamston NC purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Jimmy Purvis.



Martin Enterprises, Williamston NC - June 19, 2020 at 09:17 AM

LC

“ *Linda Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Linda Carter - June 18, 2020 at 11:51 PM

TF

“ *Teresa Fleming lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Teresa Fleming - June 18, 2020 at 08:37 PM

DL

“ *Jimmy used to love the candy, hot balls. We used to be neighbors in Robersonville and Jimmy would always be sitting on the front porch and called me over often because he had hot balls for me. He was so kind and loving. Although, time passed us by and our lives went in different directions because I got married and lived out of state for years, before moving back to NC. No matter how much time went by, whenever I would see Jimmy, he would always start smiling and call my name. He wanted to know if I was still married. Lol...I will always have a special place in my heart for Jimmy and his sister, Mother Goose, whom I miss dearly. R.I.P. Jimmy and take your rest now, with the Lord. ❤️*
Keeping the Purvis Family in my prayers!
Debra House Lee, Durham, NC.



Debra House Lee - June 18, 2020 at 07:38 PM

DG

“ *Delsie Rhodes Gray lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Delsie Rhodes Gray - June 18, 2020 at 06:19 PM

CS

“ *Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolence on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - June 18, 2020 at 04:06 PM

DA

“ *Donnie & Barbara Andrews lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Donnie & Barbara Andrews - June 18, 2020 at 03:37 PM

PM

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Phillip Manning - June 18, 2020 at 01:13 PM

PM

“ Jimmy was across the hall from my mother at Williamston House. They were the best of friends and I never had to worry about anything happening to her when he was around. He was visiting mama one day and someone came in harassing her. Jimmy could not reason with them so he wheeled back to his room and came back swinging his crutch. Jimmy was a friend to my whole family. RIP

Phillip Manning - June 18, 2020 at 12:27 PM

MS

“ When I pick him up for church before he would buckle his seat belt he would say Mable I got to tell you what happened last night at the nursing home



Mable Speller - June 18, 2020 at 12:18 PM

PM

“ Phillip & Ada Manning lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis



Phillip & Ada Manning - June 18, 2020 at 10:26 AM

CH

“ Was a real nice person I remember when we use to work together he would joke all the time



Christina - June 18, 2020 at 09:18 AM

EH

“ *Evangelist Gwen Hudson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Evangelist Gwen Hudson - June 18, 2020 at 07:30 AM

AA

“ *Annette Andrews lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Annette Andrews - June 18, 2020 at 06:45 AM

JH

“ *Jaunese Hines lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Jaunese Hines - June 17, 2020 at 10:48 PM

VD

“ *Von & Hazel Brown Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Von & Hazel Brown Davis - June 17, 2020 at 08:40 PM

SL

“ *Shelia Andrews Little lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Shelia Andrews Little - June 17, 2020 at 07:29 PM

VD

“ *Von & Hazel Brown Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jimmy Purvis*



Von & Hazel Brown Davis - June 17, 2020 at 03:46 PM

AA

Toto the Purvis Family...my deepest heartfelt sympathy to you all. Jimmy has & always will hold a special place in my heart. I Love You All...sleep on Jimmy in the bosom of the Lord & I'll see you in the morning. I Love You!

Annette Andrews - June 18, 2020 at 06:50 AM