



Mr. James A. Cash

September 22, 1954 - March 11, 2026

James Alexander Cash, affectionately known as “Chip,” departed this life on Wednesday, March 11, 2026. He was born on September 22, 1954, to Elsie Louise and Fred Neil Cash.

James attended West High School and later continued his education at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga. He played football at both institutions and carried a lifelong love for the game. He was an avid Tennessee Titans fan and also rooted for the Alabama Crimson Tide. James enjoyed watching Andy Griffith and old gangster movies. He was dedicated to his family and was a loyal friend. He was a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Kingsport, Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Elsie Louise and Fred Neil Cash; his wife, Deborah Ball Cash; his sisters, Geneva “Cookie” Cash Mills and Clara Nell Louise Cash; and his niece, Dana Michelle Cash.

To cherish his memory, James leaves behind his step-children, Samantha (Daniel) Hicks and Natalie Ball; step-grandchildren, Isaac Hicks, Dallas Hicks, and Donté Ball; brother, Fred “Dump” (Janice) Cash ; nephew, Verlin Cash; nieces, Denitra “Buffy” Cash and Rilesha Holloway; great-nephews, Verlin “Digger” Cash, Vershaun Cash, Ahmonye “MeeMee” Cash, and Veion “PeeWee” Cash; great-nieces, Danaejiah Ramsey and Samiyah Cash; special

friend, Chris Singleton; and many more cousins and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
3425 West Virginia Ave
Kingsport, TN 37660

Memorial Service

MAR 21. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SS

“ To Fred (Dump) Cash we are just finding out about Chip, We are so sorry and we Send our Deepest and Sincere Condolences and Love to you and family SLEEP IN THE BOSOM OF ABRAHAM MY BROTHER. WE WILL MISS YOU CHIP UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN.
💜🌹🌹💜 CHARLIE N SHERRY SMITH FROM KNOXVILLE TN.

Sherry Smith - April 03 at 09:36 PM

PA

“ Phyllis Askew sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. James A. Cash



Phyllis Askew - March 30 at 05:40 PM

NH

“ Dear Fred, Janice, and Family

We send our heartfelt condolences, love, and prayers for the loss of your beloved brother James.

Norman & Nancy Howard

Norman & Nancy G. Howard - March 20 at 03:57 PM



“ *Sacred Garden Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Cash.*



March 20 at 03:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. James A. Cash.

March 20 at 03:26 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Cash.*



March 19 at 01:45 PM



“ *Barb (Babby) Ball, Tiffany & Boys-Ohio purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. James A. Cash.*



Barb (Babby) Ball, Tiffany & Boys-Ohio - March 19 at 08:25 AM

JN

“ *Jean Neal lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash*



Jean Neal - March 18 at 07:11 PM

BF

“ *Buddy Jackson And The Henderson Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. James A. Cash.*



Buddy Jackson And The Henderson Family - March 18 at 02:07 PM

CF

“ *Carla Forney lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash*



Carla Forney - March 16 at 12:49 PM

TG

“ *Thomas A Graham lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash*



Thomas A Graham - March 15 at 08:19 PM

LB

“ Lynn & Rayetta Bachman lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash



Lynn & Rayetta Bachman - March 15 at 03:35 PM

FL

“ Frazier Lyons lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash



Frazier Lyons - March 14 at 02:29 PM

VR

“ Vangeline Rollins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. James A. Cash



vangeline Rollins - March 13 at 10:59 PM

BD

“ Dear Fred and family, so sorry to hear of your brothers passing. Please know you are being lifted up in prayer. Peace and blessings to cover you!!!
Bentley and Pam

Bentley and Pam Daniels - March 13 at 04:58 PM

AP

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Amy presnell - March 13 at 02:51 PM

AP

“ CHIPPY, I LOVE U AND MISS U SOOO MUCH ALREADY!!! U KNOW HOW MUCH I LOVED U AND THAT MAKES MY HEART AT PEACE IN A SENSE... ALTHOUGH THIS NEVER makes sense.... buddy ur memory will be forever with me... I know ur one happy man up there with Debbie, THE ONE U MISSED & LOVED DEARLY !!! THINGS WILL NEVER BE THE SAME AROUND HERE WITHOUT U AND RAMBO!!



Amy presnell - March 13 at 02:46 PM

MR

“ Mary Rollins lit a candle in memory of Mr. James A. Cash



Mary Rollins - March 13 at 08:40 AM

RF

“ *Renea Hall & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. James A. Cash*



Renea Hall & Family - March 13 at 07:43 AM