



## Mr. William L. Goddard

August 8, 1941 - July 23, 2022

Mr. William Leslie Goddard Jr. was born August 8, 1941, to Mr. William and Mrs. Ruth S. Young Goddard, Johnson City, Tennessee. Mr. Goddard passed away from earth to glory on Saturday, July 23, 2022, at Lakebridge Healthcare Center, Johnson City, Tennessee.

Mr. Goddard was a Star Athlete for Langston High School, where he received many scholarship offers, and went on to excel while playing College Basketball for Volusia County Community College in Daytona Beach, FL. He received several accolades and was named player of the year. Mr. Goddard worked for General Mills in Johnson City, TN, for several years.

Mr. Goddard is preceded in death by his father, William Goddard Sr.; mother, Ruth S. Young Goddard; and sister, Annetta Sue Goddard.

To cherish his memory, he leaves his daughter, Thomasina Goddard-Alexander (fiancé/son in love, Alton Wynn); daughter in love, Cynthia Washington-Anderson; siblings, Veral Jean Neal (Robert) of Johnson City, TN, Billie Evans of Jonesborough, TN, Robert Goddard (Lynn), both of Johnson City, TN, Frank M. Goddard of Leavenworth, KS, Linda Treadwell of Knoxville, TN; and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

The family would like to recognize the staff of Lakebridge Healthcare Center in

Johnson City, TN., for their love and care of Mr. Goddard, where his nephew, Pastor Alan Evans, is Chaplain. So many people adored and spoke highly of Mr. Goddard at Lakebridge, and we want to give them special thanks for their care and concern.

We appreciate special friends and relatives, Veral Jean and Bob Neal, Minister Wjualana Benson, Jordan Carson, Jackie Bowers, and Shelly Keeble, for their love and support.

Special acknowledgment to Mr. Elmer and Lorraine Washington, for their support and love, along with all others who loved Mr. Goddard.

Services for Mr. William Goddard will be conducted Saturday, July 30, 2022, at 1 pm from the Chapel of Love at Birchette Mortuary and Cremation Service. The family will receive friends from 12 pm until the hour of service. Pastor Alan Evans will be officiating.

Immediately following the service, a repast will be held at:

The Venue

302 Wesley Street Suite #9 (rear of the building)

Johnson City, TN 37601

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 30. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Birchette Mortuary & Cremation Service, Inc.  
219 E Millard St  
Johnson City, TN 37601  
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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. William L. Goddard*

January 29, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *Louis Locke Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



**Louis locke Jr** - August 10, 2022 at 11:40 AM



“ *Tiffany M Ryans lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



**Tiffany M Ryans** - August 10, 2022 at 08:17 AM



“ *Charles Buford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



**Charles Buford** - August 02, 2022 at 04:57 PM



*God keep you*

**Charles Buford** - August 02, 2022 at 04:59 PM

JM

“ Joy & David Masters lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Joy & David Masters - July 31, 2022 at 11:47 AM



“ My first time we met I said " Hello Mr. Goddard I'm your CNA welcome to Lakebridge. He replied, I'm gonna tell you now, my name is Bill and I ain't going to be addressed as Mr Goddard. We laughed and continue to enjoy more laughing with jokes and stuff together. He won many friends here at Lakebridge. That's what I will always remember - his laugh and talks about whatever came to mind.

Trish Willette - July 31, 2022 at 03:26 AM



“ Paulette Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Paulette Robinson - July 30, 2022 at 08:08 PM

Babby Barner

“ Babby Barner lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Babby Barner - July 30, 2022 at 05:50 PM

LB

“ Lynn & Rayetta Bachman lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Lynn & Rayetta Bachman - July 30, 2022 at 10:39 AM

K.

“ I know he knew how much you loved and cared for him. Your an awesome daughter. Sending condolences to your family and friends. Love ya Sis



K.Smith - July 29, 2022 at 05:07 PM

TR

“ Tiffany M Ryans sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Tiffany M Ryans - July 29, 2022 at 04:28 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. William L. Goddard.



July 29, 2022 at 03:50 PM

PL

“ *Pep Livingston lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Pep Livingston** - July 29, 2022 at 03:05 PM

DF

“ *Praying for you all I love you Thomasina*



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**Doris Hampton and Family** - July 29, 2022 at 02:28 PM

CH

“ *Christina Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Christina Harrison** - July 29, 2022 at 01:38 PM

LL

“ *Love Shelly & Larry purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. William L. Goddard.*



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**Love Shelly & Larry** - July 29, 2022 at 01:25 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. William L. Goddard.*



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July 29, 2022 at 12:03 PM



“ *Mickey Bridwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Mickey Bridwell** - July 29, 2022 at 11:55 AM



“ *Jan Malone lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Jan Malone** - July 29, 2022 at 08:42 AM



“ *Lori Parks lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Lori Parks** - July 29, 2022 at 05:56 AM

Susie Colston

“ Susie Colston lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Susie Colston - July 29, 2022 at 12:12 AM

OH

“ A great classmate and teammate and neighbor for many years. He will truly be missed. Our prayers and condolences go out to the family. Be Blessed. 🙏



oather hice - July 28, 2022 at 10:51 PM

AH

“ Alberta Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Alberta Harris - July 28, 2022 at 03:46 PM

RF

“ Renea Hall & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard



Renea Hall & Family - July 27, 2022 at 10:20 PM

VR

“ *Van Rollins lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Van Rollins** - July 27, 2022 at 08:50 PM

PA

“ *Paul&Vanessa lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Paul&Vanessa** - July 27, 2022 at 08:07 PM

CG

“ *Claudia. Goines lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Claudia. Goines** - July 27, 2022 at 07:49 PM

SW

“ *Steve And Susan Wagner lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Steve and Susan Wagner** - July 27, 2022 at 05:28 PM



“ *Linda Workman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Linda Workman - July 27, 2022 at 01:00 PM



“ *Frazier Lyons sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Frazier Lyons - July 27, 2022 at 10:09 AM



“ *Brenda Hodge Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Brenda Hodge Davis - July 27, 2022 at 09:25 AM



“ *Sandra Sylvers And Mary Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Sandra Sylvers and Mary Williams - July 26, 2022 at 07:12 PM

JW

“ *Janice Wells lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



janice wells - July 26, 2022 at 07:10 PM

GF

“ *Gary & Moricina Fain lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Gary & Moricina Fain - July 26, 2022 at 06:34 PM

LB

“ *Lisa Black lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Lisa Black - July 26, 2022 at 02:40 PM

JL

“ *Jacqueline Briscoe Leeper lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



Jacqueline Briscoe Leeper - July 26, 2022 at 02:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. William L. Goddard.*



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July 26, 2022 at 12:58 PM



“ *Lee & Lydia Bridwell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Lee & Lydia Bridwell** - July 26, 2022 at 11:19 AM



“ *Carolyn Fain lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Carolyn Fain** - July 26, 2022 at 11:18 AM



“ *Viola Patton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Viola Patton** - July 26, 2022 at 11:11 AM

PA

“ *Phyllis Askew sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Phyllis Askew** - July 26, 2022 at 10:44 AM

CF

“ *Carla Forney lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Carla Forney** - July 26, 2022 at 10:43 AM

RN

“ *Ricky Nobleton lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Ricky Nobleton** - July 26, 2022 at 08:03 AM

MR

“ *Mary Rollins lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Mary Rollins** - July 26, 2022 at 01:57 AM



“ *Shay Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Shay Hammett** - July 25, 2022 at 08:30 PM



*he's so missed around. here. he will never be 4gotten.*

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**Shay Hammett** - July 25, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Varcella Stokes lit a candle in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Varcella Stokes** - July 25, 2022 at 08:16 PM



“ *Mary Latham sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William L. Goddard*



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**Mary Latham** - July 25, 2022 at 07:25 PM

JJ

“ Jaymon Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr.  
William L. Goddard



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**Jaymon Johnson** - July 25, 2022 at 05:32 PM

JJ

“ Jaymon, edna and Adeline



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**Jaymon Johnson** - July 25, 2022 at 05:32 PM