



James Claude "Jim" Elkins

February 10, 1940 - September 4, 2023

James Claude "Jim" Elkins, 83, of Huntington went home to be with the Lord after a long illness at his residence on Monday, September 4, 2023.

He was born in South Charleston to the late Ruby Noah Elkins and Mabel Cecil Elkins. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Marilyn Dawn Elkins; daughter, Tammy McCormick; sisters, Pauline Emond, Earnie Clark; and brothers, Kenneth Elkins, William "Billy" Elkins.

Jim was a retired carpet installer. He loved to play the bass guitar which he played for 50 years. He played with many gospel groups including the United Gospel Trio, and Faithfull Journey. Jim was a selfless man who loved with all his heart. He never made a difference between his children, step-children, and grandchildren.

Jim is survived by his daughters, Angela (Eugene) Adkins, Nikki (Chris) Cowger, Michelle (Shelby) McNealy; son Mike (Stephanie) Primus; sisters, Irene Farley, Judy Tittle. He is also survived by several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Funeral Service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, September 8, 2023 at Brown's Chapel on Dry Ridge, St. Albans with Rev. Marvin Welch officiating. Burial will be in Brown's Chapel Cemetery, St. Albans

The family would like to give a special thank you to son in law Eugene Adkins, granddaughter Heather Adkins, and Hospice of Huntington for all their help caring for Jim.

Flowers are to be sent to Browns Chapel Church, 1 Haning Drive, (Dry Ridge Rd.), St. Albans, WV, 25177.

You may visit Jim's tribute page at BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Elkins family.

Cemetery Details

Brown's Chapel Cemetery

1 Haning Drive
Saint Albans, WV 25177

Previous Events

Funeral Service

SEP 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

Brown's Chapel - Dry Ridge Road
1 Haning Drive
Saint Albans, WV 25177

Tribute Wall

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“ *LISA BILLY JENNIFFER STACY lit a candle in memory of James Claude "Jim" Elkins*



LISA BILLY JENNIFFER STACY - September 07, 2023 at 09:08 AM

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“ *My sincere Condolences and Prayers for the family. Jim, it was great playing Gospel Music with you and I appreciate the kind heart that you had. Until we meet again around the Throne of God.*

Jamie Tolley - September 06, 2023 at 02:51 PM

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“ *Neil and Cindy Morriston and family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of James Claude "Jim" Elkins.*



Neil and Cindy Morriston and family - September 05, 2023 at 06:23 PM

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“ *First time I met Jim he said, "I didn't think much of your Bass playing on the CD but after seeing you play in the spirit I was moved to tears!" Thanks Jim for all your kindness. I will miss you greatly❤️! Until we meet again for that jam with Jesus dear friend!*

shaun faulhammer - September 05, 2023 at 04:45 PM