



## James Buckner

December 4, 1931 - November 7, 2012

Mr. James Buckner of Hogansville passed away November 7, 2012. He is survived by his wife, Rose Buckner of Hogansville; children, Mike Buckner of Cleveland; Stephen Buckner of Raleigh, NC; Teresa Baker of Newnan; Crystal Elliott of Newnan; sisters, Mamie Carpenter of Spruce Pine, NC; Sarah Brown of Marion, NC; Maggie Buckner; 9 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Sunday, November 11, 2012 at 2 o'clock in the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Pastor Clinton Hughes officiating. Those wishing may send an online condolence at [www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com). The family will receive friends Saturday evening from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. at Parrott Funeral Home and Crematory, 770-964-4800.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **10**. 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

DH

“ Jim was in my Crew Scheduling programming group at Delta during the late 80's/early 90's. I have such great memories of 'Bucky' as we called him. He did more adventurous things than all the younger people in the group combined. I used to tell him he was my hero because of the way he did so many things and went so many places. In the late 80's and early 90's he climbed Mt. Rainier, went to communist China, climbed Mt. McKinley, stood right next to the hot, hot lava on the Big Island of Hawaii just to name a few. I know they are having some fun with him in heaven. So sorry to hear he has passed on.

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**Dianne Hunter** - November 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ You suffered with him during his fight for life, his suffering is over, but, yours remains. We can only give you our love and understanding at this time in your life. Our hearts go out to comfort you. Love, Steve  
and  
Erma.

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**Steve Starkey / Erma Nelson** - November 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

K2

“ I hope your loving memories will comfort you in the days ahead.

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**Kathleen-Isaiah 25:8** - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Sorry for your loss

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**Lane, Jeanette, summerlyn, Brittany**, - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GT

“ Aunt Rose, Mike, Teresa, Crystal, Stephen,  
I am so sorry to hear about Uncle James. Please know how fortunate you are to have had such a dedicated and loving Husband and Father in Uncle James. He will always be remembered for his strong sense of family and his boyish smile. I know he was close to his brother Ralph, my Dad. I will never forget how he and Rose were there for my Mom Floya when Daddy passed, and they were there for us kids when Momma passed. I pray for peace, comfort and strength for your family. Please know how many lives he touched, how much he will be missed, and how grateful we will always be for his gentle kindness. Please know we love you all and my thoughts are with you during this difficult time.

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**Gwyn Buckner Taylor** - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EP

“ Rose and Family,  
My thoughts and prayers and love to all of you. Wish I could be there. Jim was a great guy and will be greatly missed. Rose you were lucky to have had him for 57 years. You have a lot of memories. Eve

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**Eva Paxson** - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Aunt Rose, Sorry about Uncle Jim we will miss him! Love you,  
Connie & Mike

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**Connie & Mike James** - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

OH

“ I am saddened to learn about James' passing. I had known him though the table tennis club he played at for many years. He will be missed, my condolences to his family.

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**Oana Hogrefe** - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ So sorry to learn of your loss. I hope your loving memories will bring you comfort in the days ahead. Rev.21:4

Kathleen - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ We were all privileged to have had Uncle Jim in our lives and will miss him greatly. Wish I could hug each of you. Love to you all.

Cindy & Daryl Moore - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Aunt Rosie  
I am so sorry about Uncle Jimmy. I wish we could make it down for Saturday and Sunday but we won't be able to. I know this is a great loss for all of you and us here in Ohio too. He will be greatly missed. We love you all and our thoughts and prayers will be with you.

Love you  
Cheryl

Cheryl & Jim McVay - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ We've got ya'll in our hearts and prayers ,All Our love,The Ansleys

Scott & Tammy Ansley - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Are prayers are with you all.The Starkey"s Daryl, Gary, Julia, Kyler AND Kaley.

Daryl Starkey - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT JIM. YOU WILL BE IN ARE HEART AND PRAYERS. DOUGIE

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**DOUG & HEATHER GRIFFITH** - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *Mike and Pam,  
We are thinking about you and praying for you during this difficult time. Isaiah 41:10 says  
I am with you, I am your God, I will strength you, I will help you, I will uphold you. May you and your family find comfort and peace through the Lord's presence.  
We love you,  
Jimmy & Carolyn*

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**Carolyn & Jimmy Peck** - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *So sorry to hear about James' passing. We will all miss him so much. He loved playing table tennis and he was always a tough competitor in every match. The players and his competitors will miss him as a true gentleman of our sport.*

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**Jim Morris** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *I have known James since 1970, when I joined Delta Air Lines and attended my first Delta Table Tennis Tournament. Over the years we were doubles partners on many occasions and had several trophies to our credit. I feel honored to have known him and call him friend. He was "old school" on many subjects but was always relevant in today's world. My prayers go out to Rose and the rest of his family.*

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**Charlie Slater** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ So sorry for your lose!!!! Prayers are with your family

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**Angela Norris** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ We are deeply saddened by the passing of Un.Jim. He was such a wonderful guy and we will miss him at our family reunions. Our love and prayers to you all during this time of sorrow. Steve & Carol

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**Carol & Steve Roddy** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ James was the first person to befriend me at the Delta Air Lines tennis tournament in Florida so very many years ago. He took me under his "wing" and introduced me around - James was so well respected by the entire community of tennis players that I was accepted into the fold without question.  
I have so many happy times and memories of James. I love you and will always remember you!!!!

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**Debbie Chittick** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ Aunt  
Rose, Mike, Steve, Terri, Crystal, Grandchildren, Greatgrandchildren, Siste and all who knew Uncle Jim, As a child we would visit on our family vacations he was always so kind to all of us Ohio Hillbillies!! LOL Uncle Jim always liked horseshoes at our family picnic and when he saw you he always had a big smile and a bear hug I will miss him greatly but always with GREAT MEMORIES. Love all of you and wish i could be with you. Carla

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**Carla Lemaster** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

FA

“ James Buckner lived a life that positively influenced everyone who met him. I met James in the Delta table tennis tournament in 1987. Over the years, I had the pleasure of having James as a doubles partner and the fear of playing against him in singles. He had the knack of hitting the ball where he was not looking which usually resulted in points for him. James leaves a distinctly Christian legacy which all of us would do well to emulate. Only God knows the eternal benefits James Buckner accrued,

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**fred Austin** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Our family will miss Uncle Jim, for a while anyway. As a Christian I know we will be together again and will rejoice in the presence of our Lord.

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**Tim Starkey** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VG

“ I've been out of the table tennis community for a while, but if I ever return it will not be the same without James. No one ever told me he was a Christian until I read this Guestbook. No one ever had to. He had a peaceful and loving spirit. Always a smile to greet you and never a word spoken in anger. I won't miss his nasty side-spin serve, but I'll miss him dearly.

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**Vaughn Gaddis** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ In deepest sympathy at the loss of your loved one. May God grant You peace and comfort in Your time of grief.

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**Dale & Janice Johnson** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Mike & Pam,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Jimmy & Joan Hollis** - November 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM