



James Perkins Jr.

July 6, 1960 - August 11, 2021

James Perkins Jr (Perk) 61, passed away Wednesday, August 11, 2021 at Piedmont Eastside Medical Center Snellville Ga. James was born July 6, 1960 to James and Louise Perkins Sr in Selma , Alabama the oldest son to five children. As a young child relocating to New Jersey he had great feel for sports. Graduating from Plainfield High School in 1978.

James and his closest friends started a team called the Strollers and he was a diamond in the field as a show stopping fast pitcher. Mastering that fast pitch. James met his beautiful bride and wife Barbara Ann Clark of 33 years in Plainfield. Starting a family being a loving husband and father came easy to James.

James later moves to Atlanta Georgia to provide a better life for his family working hard at Mattress Firm as a manager where he would retire after 21 years. He umpired for state of Georgia for the love of softball. Also coaching his granddaughter softball team. James loved hitting the golf balls on his spear time also mastering that as well.

James is survived by his wife , Barbara Perkins Snellville Ga; daughter, Minka

(Rishi son-in-law) Jones of Pa, Davon Perkins of Snellville Ga, Yvonne Perkins of Snellville Ga, Cree'Ann Perkins of Snellville Ga, grandchildren; Jameek, Shamar, Na'Nya, Ny'Risha, Za'Kiah, Rihanna, Leilani, Day'Von, Madison, Destiny, Torrian, brother; Randy Perkins of Selma, Al, sister; Mary Perkins of Selma, Al, Geneva Hardy of Selma Al, sister-in-law Gail Jenkins of Bethlehem, Pa, Joann Clark of Irvington Nj; a host of nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Gregory B. Levett and Sons - Gwinnett Chapel
914 Scenic Hwy
Lawrenceville, GA 30045

Celebration of Life

AUG **20**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

EF

“ We would like to extend our condolences to the family. May God help to ease the pain of your grief. With caring thoughts.

Evans family - August 24, 2021 at 04:33 AM

PR

“ From Elementary School to Plainfield High School, James Perkins was well regarded as a respectful, kind and jovial spirit. We are saddened to learn of his departure, but grateful to have share in his journey. We pray God's comfort and peace for all of his loved ones.

Patricia Barksdale Rodgers
Plainfield, NJ

Patricia Rodgers - August 19, 2021 at 11:01 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of James Perkins Jr..



August 19, 2021 at 10:57 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Perkins Jr..



August 18, 2021 at 05:45 PM

TP

“ *Tonie Perkins lit a candle in memory of James Perkins Jr.*



Tonie Perkins - August 17, 2021 at 10:55 PM

TP

My condolence to my cousin and his entire family. James Perkins "Perk" wasn't just my cousin he more like a brother. We talk at least once a week and I'm going to miss the stories and time we spent on the phone . He admire his wife and his children and grandchildren he love his family. He love have a cigar and golfing. Most of all he was a family man. I'm going to truly miss Perk. 🥺 Love you James Perkins
❤️💙❤️

Tonie Perkins - August 17, 2021 at 11:01 PM

SP

My condolences to my family, Perk, I am going to miss every July you text just me to wish each other Happy July's Birthday, going to miss you Cuz. RIH 🙏❤️🥺

sophia Perkins - August 19, 2021 at 10:18 AM

SP

My condolences to my family. Going to miss our private texts on our birthday month July. Going to miss you cuz nothing but Love. RIH Cuz
🙏❤️🥺

sophia Perkins - August 19, 2021 at 10:21 AM

MS

“ *We pray that good memories will help heal your fragile hearts and we are praying for the family. God Bless You, From Margaret, Brandon and Raesha Sanders*



Margaret Liz Sanders - August 17, 2021 at 07:03 PM

MS

“ *Margaret, Brandon and Raesha Sanders purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James Perkins Jr..*



Margaret, Brandon and Raesha Sanders - August 17, 2021 at
06:56 PM