



Barry James Lockard

April 12, 1960 - July 7, 2025

Barry James Lockard, 65, passed away Monday, July 7, 2025.

Barry was born to the late Judith (Hardaway) and James “Buck” Lockard in Louisville, KY. He was a retired pipefitter and proud member of UA Local 502 Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Service Technicians.

Barry was an avid golfer and bowler, and he loved all UofL sports. His hobbies included woodworking, racing RC cars, and building model cars. He was known for his craftsmanship, competitive spirit, and unwavering love for his family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Barry is survived by his beloved wife and best friend of 44 years, Brenda (Stoner) Lockard; children, Brittany Owens (Steve), and Bryan Lockard (Madison); sister, Becky Lockard; and his cherished grandchildren, Lucas and Ruby Owens, and Maddux and Fallon Lockard.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 12, 2025, at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Highway.

Visitation will be from 2:00–8:00 p.m. on Friday at Owen Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUL 11. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Dixie Highway
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Louisville, KY 40216
(502) 447-2600
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

PC

“ Barry was definitely one of life’s greatest gifts. He brought so much laughter and joy to us! Great memories growing up and having teenage fun! “Carlo Kid” will forever live in our hearts! ❤️🙏❤️

Pam Cooper - July 11, 2025 at 03:46 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barry James Lockard.



July 11, 2025 at 01:54 PM



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

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RN

“ I met Barry through golf over the last 10 to 15 years. He was always in a good mood and was always nice to me, really a great guy. I loved how he could go from menacing to laughing in a split second. He will be missed.

Ron Nagel - July 09, 2025 at 08:35 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Barry James Lockard.



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RS

“ Barry was one of a group of close neighbor guys who had a friendly monthly poker game for approximately 20 years. He started a saying when asked just how good of a hand do you think you have? His response was always, I’m pretty okie-dokie! Another memory was the name my son Nick would call him (when he was just 2yrs old). He didn’t say “Barry”, instead he called him “Bairdy”. So I will miss you old friend, and our poker games. Just know Bairdy, you were always okie-dokie with me. I hope you’re meeting up with our other poker buds in heaven. Save a chair for me!

Richard Sexton - July 09, 2025 at 05:32 PM



I've known Barry for many years, but mostly through his wife, Brenda. Brenda and I were teachers at Frayser Elementary. It seems that Barry was always very busy with projects, especially with Brenda's state of the art sewing room. Everyone wanted to sew with her, me included. As I was sewing in my special spot, the lighting wasn't good. I wished there was something directly above me. Well, Brenda told Barry and by the next time I was there it was remedied. Barry was just that kind of man. He was kind, thoughtful and plenty of good humor. His wife, children and grandkids always came first....and sometimes even his wife's friends.

Patricia Risavi - July 11, 2025 at 12:35 PM

MC

“ My sincerest condolences to some of my very favorite people on the planet - Brenda and all the Lockard descendants. My very favorite memory of Barry was the day I was walking past in the hallway at Farnsley after having retired and stopped in to drop something off. Barry said “Hey, we’re heading to the library for Brenda’s retirement party; come on!” I told him I didn’t even work there anymore and he said “So what? We want you there.” (He didn’t have to twist my arm.) That’s just the way he was.

Mary Furlong Coomef - July 08, 2025 at 08:33 PM

RS

“ Barry was an excellent bowler, good golfer and an even better friend. We had good times at work and on the golf course. He loved to aggravate people to the max. He will be missed by all.

Ron Spaulding - July 08, 2025 at 05:46 PM

MT

“ Barry gave Debbie away at her Wedding to Mike. I was Mike's best man and during rehearsal Barry and I were positioned next to each other. I looked down and there was a vent grate
So I looked at Barry and we both smiled. He went over to the offering plate, because neither of us had a coin, and grabbed a nickel and gave it to me. So when the minister asked me for the ring, I dropped that nickel in the vent grate. The look on Debbie's face was priceless and Barry laughed with his whole body. What a beautiful and caring man. He will be missed and is with God now.

Michael Trent - July 08, 2025 at 05:35 PM

RS

“ He will be missed by so many. □
Sending our love and lifting you all up in prayer.

Love y'all!!

Bob & Rita Stoner

Rita Stoner - July 08, 2025 at 04:37 PM



“ I just met Barry 2 years ago but I have known Becky for 33 years. It was clear how close they were and Barry and Becky showed us a fun day on the pontoon at Patoka Lake. He was a great guy and we enjoyed spending that day with him. We know he will be so missed.
Anne and Randy Alcorn

Anne Alcorn - July 08, 2025 at 04:21 PM

BP

“ Brett Parsons purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Barry James Lockard.



Brett Parsons - July 08, 2025 at 03:01 PM

PH

“ I will always remember Barry's smile. Whenever I saw him, he had something to smile about. He was a warm and caring person who made the world a better place. I admire the beautiful wood working things that he created. He will be missed by many.

Patrice Hayes - July 08, 2025 at 03:01 PM