



## James Calvin Buckingham

June 10, 1937 - November 26, 2025

James Calvin Buckingham, 88, passed away in Louisville, Kentucky, surrounded by family on November 26, 2025. He was born in Barren County, Kentucky, on June 10, 1937, to his late parents, Nellie and Dewey Buckingham.

James was proud of his profession, where he retired after over 20 years of service from Jefferson Smurfit. He was known for his great sense of humor and his ability to be very funny. He would spend time working in his garage, where he was the jack of all trades, yet master of none. James was never a man who required much; he had all he needed in life.

He is preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Kathy M. Vaughn; and brother, Roy Buckingham.

James is lovingly remembered by his wife of 69 years, Clarice (Sneed) Buckingham; grandson, Louis Vaughn (Brittany); great-grandchildren, Laney and Bella Vaughn; and sister, Shirley Walker.

His services will be held at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Hwy., on Wednesday, December 3, 2025. His visitation will be from 9:00-11:00 AM, and the funeral service will start at 11:00 AM. Burial will follow the service, going to Louisville Memorial Gardens West.

# Cemetery Details

## Louisville Memorial Gardens West

4400 Dixie Hwy  
Louisville , KY 40216

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (est)

Owen Funeral Homes - Dixie Highway  
5317 Dixie Highway  
Louisville, KY 40216  
(502) 447-2600  
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (est)

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