



James Allen Owens

December 14, 1938 - July 16, 2024

James Allen Owens, 85, passed away in Lexington, KY, Tuesday, July 16, 2024. He was born in Louisville, KY on December 14, 1938, to his late parents, Edna and Jesse Owens.

He enjoyed spending his time with his family and especially his grandchildren. He loved going to the lake, golfing, his cats, and traveling anywhere he could. James was a veteran of The United States Marine Corps, where he proudly served as a rifle and swim instructor. He was a member of Masonic Valley Lodge 511, Scottish Rite, and the Kosair Shriners.

James is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Barbara Owens; children, James Allen Owens II (Mary), Kimberley Trusty (John), and Karla Myers (Mark); grandchildren, Janette Johnson (Damon), Jessica Johnson (Seth), Lisa Siders (Aaron), Matthew Owens, Alex Owens, Taylor Trusty (Michelle), Cory Trusty (Jeanine), Ben Myers (Maggie), and Samantha Myers; great grandchildren, Jacob, Isaac, Jeremiah, Anna Grace, Isaiah, Asher, Vivie Ann, Mason, Emerson, Graham, Beau, Logan, Carter, and Harper; and sisters, Barbara Morris (Robert) and Sandra Whitney (Jack). Special thanks to the caregivers, Daniel, Marcella, and Caring Hands.

His visitation will be held at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Hwy., Tuesday, July 23, 2024, from 10:00-2:00 PM. The funeral service will follow the visitation at 2:00 PM with burial at Cave Hill.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kosair for Kids or the Kentucky Humane Society,

Cemetery Details

Cave Hill Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 23. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JUL 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MM

“ Michelle and Matthew planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Allen Owens.

Michelle and Matthew - July 23, 2024 at 07:58 AM

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“ Michelle and Matthew purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James Allen Owens.



Michelle and Matthew - July 23, 2024 at 07:58 AM

MC

“ Marcella Coyle purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Allen Owens.



Marcella Coyle - July 19, 2024 at 06:13 PM

KT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kim Trusty - July 19, 2024 at 05:12 PM

KT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kim Trusty - July 19, 2024 at 05:11 PM

MC

He was a wonderful man he will be missed.He was so lucky to have a wonderful family that was always there for him.

Marcella Coyle - July 19, 2024 at 06:18 PM

KT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kim Trusty - July 19, 2024 at 04:03 PM

KT

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kim Trusty - July 19, 2024 at 10:15 AM

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“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



Kim Trusty - July 19, 2024 at 08:49 AM

LF

“ Lancaster First Assembly Church Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of James Allen Owens.



Lancaster First Assembly Church Family - July 18, 2024 at 03:39 PM