



## James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett

January 27, 1935 - May 13, 2020

James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett, age 85, of Henderson, KY, passed away at 12:45 a.m., Thursday, May 14, 2020, at St. Vincent Hospital in Evansville, Indiana.

Jim Ed was a member of Geneva Baptist Church. He served his country and was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War. He retired in 1997 from the casting department of Alcan Aluminum Corp. He had several hobbies including being a huge U.K. basketball fan, league bowling, and previous member of the Henderson Men's Softball Association and Jerusalem Masonic Lodge #9.

In addition to his parents, David O. and Pearl N. Garrett, Jim was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Sue Gibson Garrett, sister, Teresa Gower, 2 brothers, Lon Henry and Charlie Garrett, his son-in-law, Kelly Coffman and his son Jeremy Coffman.

Jim Ed is survived by his significant other of 10 years Betty Sights of Geneva, KY; 2 daughters: Crystal Coffman of Smith Mills, KY and Sue Hinkle and son-in-law Jeff of Henderson, KY; sons: Eddie Garrett, Jr. and wife Cheryl of Bardstown, KY; Kenny Garrett and wife Lola of Henderson, KY; and Randy Sights and wife Linda of Smith Mills, KY; 3 sisters: Mary G. "Dinky" Fulkerson of Henderson, KY, Marie Nguyen of Lexington, KY, and Ann Hunter of Sanford, FL; 9 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and all of Betty's grandchildren and great-grandchildren, he loved them all.

Although there are a host of family and friends who wish to gather, due to

current restrictions a limited number of 50 people will be in attendance as we open another phase. Relatives and friends are invited to Jim Ed's Life Celebration from 11:00 a.m. until the service time on Wednesday, May 20, 2020 at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home in Henderson, KY. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home with Reverend Tim Shockley will officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to Geneva Baptist Church, 7712 Hwy 268, Corydon, KY, 42406.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at [www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com](http://www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens

8136 Highway 2084 S  
Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 826-9623  
roselawn@ccol.net  
<http://www.bentonglunt.com/>

# Previous Events

## Life Celebration

MAY 20. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home  
629 S. Green St.  
Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 827-3535  
email@bentonglunttapp.com  
<https://www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

MAY 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to Betty and all the families. Jim Ed has been a special friend since we were in high school. He was always a joy to be around and he will be missed by so many.*

*Sally Green Carter*

**Sally Green Carter** - May 19, 2020 at 04:51 PM



“ *Angela Shoultz & Jane Snyder purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett.*



**Angela Shoultz & Jane Snyder** - May 19, 2020 at 01:22 PM



“ *Marie, I did not know your brother but if he was anything like you he is a wonderful man. I am so sorry for you and your family. You are my best friend who I would do anything for. Please let me know if you need me.* 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🌺

**Robin O'Bryan** - May 18, 2020 at 05:01 PM

CW

*Marie, so sorry for the loss of your brother. I will pray for him and the whole family. You are such a giving Christian Lady. I love you my he's. Safe travels for everyone and may God wrap His loving arms around you.*

Constance Weikel - May 19, 2020 at 12:21 PM

CW

*Love you much.*

Constance Weikel - May 19, 2020 at 12:21 PM



“ *I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket was purchased for the family of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett.*



May 18, 2020 at 06:04 AM

FL

“ *From Susan and Dan LaParl purchased the Wings of a Dove Tribute Blanket for the family of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett.*



From Susan and Dan LaParl - May 17, 2020 at 07:14 AM

SL

“ *Susan LaParl lit a candle in memory of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett*



Susan LaParl - May 17, 2020 at 06:51 AM

KW

“ Karen Wallace lit a candle in memory of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett



Karen Wallace - May 16, 2020 at 06:20 PM

CB

“ Catherine Brown lit a candle in memory of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett



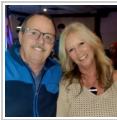
Catherine Brown - May 16, 2020 at 02:27 PM



“ Lisa Pippin lit a candle in memory of James Edward "Jim Ed" Garrett



Lisa Pippin - May 16, 2020 at 01:06 AM



*Jim Ed was such a kind gentle man , always smiling and a joy to be around . Prayers for all the family, may god wrap his arms around you for peace, comfort and strength in the days ahead~~~*

Lisa Pippin - May 16, 2020 at 01:10 AM

SS

*I'm so sorry Marie to hear about your brother Jim. I know how much you loved him. Love you and if there's anything I can do you know I want to do it for you*

Susie sopala - May 16, 2020 at 09:11 PM