



## James "Jimmy" Otis Clemons

October 1, 1961 - May 7, 2023

James Otis Clemons, age 61, of Bluefield, WV, passed away on Sunday, May 7, 2023, at Carilion Tazewell Community Hospital in Tazewell, VA.

He was born October 1, 1961, in Cleveland, OH, and was the son of the late James Carl Clemons and Margaret Marie Wilson Clemons.

"Jimmy" as he was known by many, lived in Tazewell, VA most of his life. He was a graduate of Tazewell High School class of 1979. After graduating high school, he enlisted in the United States Army, where he honorably served for 8 years.

Jimmy worked for Aramark Uniform Rentals in Bluefield, VA, for several years before accepting a position with Stewart Enterprises. There, he worked to a management position and soon became regional manager in the Martinsburg, WV, area. He received many accolades and awards for his work while with that company.

He loved classic rock music and attended many concerts throughout the years. He was a West Virginia Mountaineer fan, but a die-hard Cleveland Browns fan! At the beginning of every season, he would say, "This is the year we are going to the Super Bowl," even if their record wasn't the greatest. Jimmy was of the Christian faith and he was baptized at the Tazewell

Christian Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his grandson, Zion David Khan.

Survivors are:

Daughters:

Susan Clemons Bowman and husband Cody of Tazewell, VA

Laura Marie Clemons and Ryan Hughes of Lake Wylie, SC

Anna Clemons Khan and husband Kashif of Bristol, TN

Grandsons:

Landon Bowman and Benson Bowman of Tazewell, VA

Brothers:

William Clemons and wife Emma of AR

Joseph Clemons and wife Vivian of CA

Sisters:

Judith Clemons of OH

Theresa Clemons of Tazewell, VA

Rose Mary Lorion of OH

Also surviving are several nieces, nephews, and special niece, Carey Clemons Iwouha. Jimmy had a host of friends throughout his life, but none as close as his lifelong friend Mike Sawyers. Jimmy will be missed by many.

Memorial services will be conducted Saturday, May 13, 2023, at 11AM at the Tazewell Christian Church, 302 E. Pine Street, Tazewell, Virginia, with Pastor Nathan Thomas officiating. The family will receive friends at the church

beginning at 10AM until the hour of the service. In keeping with Jimmy's wishes, he will be cremated.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to honor Jimmy may do so by donating to their favorite organization.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

MAY 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Tazewell Christian Church  
302 E Pine St  
Tazewell, VA 24651-1326  
(276) 988-4448

## Memorial Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ We have know one another for a very long time Jimmy. Won't be the same without you brother, RIP old friend. See you when my work is done!

Clyde Null Jr. - November 21, 2023 at 07:26 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Otis Clemons.



May 11, 2023 at 08:04 AM



“ Anita Chocklett lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Clemons



Anita Bandy Chocklett - May 10, 2023 at 10:11 PM



“ Randy Flanner lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Clemons



Randy Flanner - May 10, 2023 at 03:56 PM

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“ Jimmy was blessed with a beautiful singing voice. Now he is singing in God’s choir. He will be waiting on all his friends to welcome us in.

Beverly Sweet - May 10, 2023 at 10:58 AM



“ Kimberly Hilbert lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Clemons



Kimberly Hilbert - May 10, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Clemons



TonyanEdgar Wicks - May 10, 2023 at 08:47 AM

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“ I remember Jimmy as far back as elementary school. He lived right down the street from me and was a part the "neighborhood gang". Times were simple, and we all played together in the big field at the end of Tazewell Avenue. Fast forward about 35 years and we meet up again with my husband Mike Sawyers. Those two hit it off like they never missed a beat. Jimmy will be missed by many. A good man and a good friend. Rest in Peace, Jimmy. ❤️

Kim Sawyers - May 09, 2023 at 05:53 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Otis Clemons.



May 09, 2023 at 05:35 PM



“ Jimmy was a lifelong friend! We had many memories but the one that repeats in my mind is when we went to a Styx concert in Greensboro NC . We had a blast! I'll always cherish every memory! Love you Jimmy see ya on the other side buddy! 💔

Malissa Lynch (Missy Steele) - May 09, 2023 at 05:20 PM



“ Sending prayers to the family

David Hawks - May 09, 2023 at 04:22 PM



“ RoseMary..I'm.very sorry for the loss of your brother,,prayers for your family..Jane (Jackie's sister)

Jane Johnson Mitchell - May 09, 2023 at 02:51 PM



“ Jimmy was A dear sweet friend and one of the best people I ever knew. He was Loved by everyone. I will miss him so much. Fly High My Dear!

Kathy Matney - May 09, 2023 at 02:40 PM