



Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher

January 15, 1975 - January 17, 2018

Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher, age 43, of the Road Ridge section of Raven, VA passed away Wednesday, January 17, 2018 at his home with his loving family.

J.T. was born in Richlands, VA and was the son of Coy and Effie Bailey Absher of Raven, VA. He was a member of First Assembly of God Church where he enjoyed playing his harmonica with the choir and praise team for the members of the church. J.T. loved Star Wars and many "action heroes"; and in the eyes of others, he was the greatest hero of all. He was a lifelong resident of the Road Ridge area. He brought joy to all those he met and was loved by many. J.T. was preceded in death by paternal grandparents, James T. and Carrie Absher and maternal grandparents, Dolphus and Ada McGlothlin.

In addition to his loving parents, he is survived by:

His Brothers:

Kenneth Absher and wife, Jeanette of Sevierville, TN

Shaw Absher and wife, Heather of Raven, VA

Three Nephews:

Tyler Absher and wife, Carly

Devin Absher, and Shae "Pal" Absher

Special Niece, Shaena Absher Ray and husband, Brent

Great Nephew, Logan

His Special Lil Dog, Baby

A host of family and friends also survive.

A celebration of life service for Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher will be conducted at 1:00 pm on Saturday, January 20, 2018 at First Assembly of God Church in Richlands, VA with Rev. Buddy Herald officiating. Interment will follow at Joe McGlothlin Family Cemetery in the Road Ridge section of Raven, VA.

Pallbearers will be: Kenny Absher, Shaw Absher, Shae Absher, Devin Absher, Chris Boyd and Brent Ray. The Absher family will receive friends from 6-9 pm on Friday evening at First Assembly of God Church; 151 Flat Top Rd; Richlands, VA.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Joe McGlothlin Family Cemetery

Road Ridge
Raven, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

First Assembly of God
Richlands, VA 24641

Funeral Service

JAN **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

First Assembly of God
Richlands, VA 24641

Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - January 26, 2018 at 09:30 AM



“ *Donna Shortt sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Donna Shortt - January 22, 2018 at 05:24 PM

PL

“ Peggy And Terry Lester lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



peggy and terry lester - January 22, 2018 at 12:51 AM

MG

“ Mitzi Crawford Granddaughter lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



Mitzi Crawford granddaughter - January 21, 2018 at 07:18 PM

AH

“ Sorry for your loss Love and Prayers



anthony hagy - January 20, 2018 at 10:10 AM

MC

“ J T was a very special and caring person who always had a smile and kind words, who shared in his musical ability of the harmonica with the praise and worship team. He will truly be missed here but heaven now has another Angel. We loved him very much.



Mitzi Crawford - January 20, 2018 at 07:22 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.



January 19, 2018 at 07:12 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers coming your way. God bless.



Carnice & Peggy Keen - January 19, 2018 at 04:53 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.



January 19, 2018 at 11:44 AM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 19, 2018 at 11:29 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.*



January 19, 2018 at 09:39 AM



“ *Peggy Martin Sparks sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Peggy Martin Sparks - January 19, 2018 at 08:11 AM



“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - January 19, 2018 at 08:04 AM



“ *Cindi P Estep sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Cindi P Estep - January 19, 2018 at 07:30 AM



“ James White lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



James White - January 18, 2018 at 09:33 PM



“ Charlotte Vencille lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



Charlotte Vencille - January 18, 2018 at 09:30 PM



“ Prayers for all the family. So sorry to hear this.



Tim N Denise Greene - January 18, 2018 at 09:17 PM



“ Tim N Denise Greene lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



Tim N Denise Greene - January 18, 2018 at 09:04 PM

PR

“ Effie and Coy so sorry about JT he sure was a special little guy and loved by many. My heart hurts for all the family and loved ones. God be with all of you.

Pat and Bill Reedy



pat reedy - January 18, 2018 at 06:59 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.



January 18, 2018 at 06:57 PM

MD

“ Michael And Virginia Deskins lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher



Michael and Virginia Deskins - January 18, 2018 at 06:24 PM

JR

“ We are so thankful God Put JT in our church family. What a blessing and Angel he was. We know our God will give you all peace in these coming days. Just remembering the smile & sweet spirit JT always had will keep us smiling! We love you all!



John and Wendy Reedy - January 18, 2018 at 06:15 PM

BL

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Effie and your family. JT was such a sweet light in this sometimes dark world. I loved his precious spirit and I know Heaven is a little sweeter now with his presence.*

Brenda Lane - January 18, 2018 at 06:03 PM

FS

“ *Frances Sparks lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Frances Sparks - January 18, 2018 at 05:59 PM

PB

“ *JT is truly a superhero! Fly high Batman!!*



Pam Bender - January 18, 2018 at 05:13 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.*



January 18, 2018 at 04:58 PM

KS

“ *Kathy Sneed sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Kathy Sneed - January 18, 2018 at 04:55 PM

JR

“ *A Perfect Angel that God allowed us to have in our church. We will miss you JT! Love & Many prayers to all of the family. We love you all!*



John and Wendy Reedy - January 18, 2018 at 03:50 PM

DL

“ *Diane Lester lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



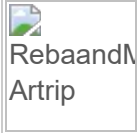
Diane Lester - January 18, 2018 at 03:37 PM

DM

“ *Debbie McGhee lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Debbie McGhee - January 18, 2018 at 03:30 PM



“ *He will be truly missed coming in the Italian village... sweetest person you will ever meet..*



RebaandMike Artrip - January 18, 2018 at 03:29 PM



“ *Love, Johnny, Jean and Hailie Ratliff purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.*



Love, Johnny, Jean and Hailie Ratliff - January 18, 2018 at 03:14 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher.*



January 18, 2018 at 02:57 PM



“ *Jim And Shirley Rose lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



jim and shirley rose - January 18, 2018 at 02:40 PM



“ *Brian Wright lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Brian Wright - January 18, 2018 at 02:33 PM



“ *LULA COLLINS sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



LULA COLLINS - January 18, 2018 at 02:22 PM



“ *Evelyn L Crotty lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



evelyn l crotty - January 18, 2018 at 01:53 PM



MY DEAR SWEET EFFIE I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS PLEASE KNOW THAT JT IS WALKING WITH JESUS TODAY LOVE YOU AUNT EVELYN

evelyn l crotty - January 18, 2018 at 01:55 PM

AD

“ *Ali Davis lit a candle in memory of Jerry Travis
"J.T." Absher*



Ali Davis - January 18, 2018 at 01:40 PM

JT

“ *Sending our love and prayers to a very
special family.*



Jackie and Chuck Thompson - January 18, 2018 at 01:35 PM

RH

“ *Prayers for the family.*



Rocky & Pat Horton - January 18, 2018 at 01:30 PM

MW

“ *Mike & Dottie Wingo sent a virtual gift in
memory of Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Mike & Dottie Wingo - January 18, 2018 at 01:02 PM

IW

“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.
Bobby & Iris Webb*



Iris Webb - January 18, 2018 at 12:51 PM

MS

“ *I'm so sorry. Praying for comfort for you all.*



Melinda Sparks - January 18, 2018 at 12:48 PM

PW

“ *Praying for your family during this sad time. Peggy Whited*

Peggy Whited - January 18, 2018 at 12:48 PM

SL

“ *Sharon Barnett Lane lit a candle in memory of
Jerry Travis "J.T." Absher*



Sharon Barnett Lane - January 18, 2018 at 12:36 PM

SL

So sorry for your loss Effie my prayers are with you and your family.

Sharon Barnett Lane - January 18, 2018 at 12:37 PM

DC

So very sorry for your loss Effie, praying for God's peace for you and family. God bless you all.

Danny cochran - January 18, 2018 at 06:16 PM

CD

“ *May precious memories bring you peace and comfort.....Love to all Connie Deskins*



connie deskins - January 18, 2018 at 12:20 PM