



Jimmy Clay Childers

May 17, 1954 - February 19, 2021

Jimmy Clay Childers, 66, of Fort Payne, passed away Friday, February 19, 2021 at his home. He was a 1972 graduate of Fort Payne High School. Jimmy worked for many years at WeeSocks Hosiery before teaching Biology at Ider High School. Jimmy was a “science nerd” resulting in his hobby of breeding and raising roosters. He loved learning, loved reading and loved finding random facts to discuss. Jimmy was an avid sports fan – all sports; whether he was watching them on tv, coaching them in Little League or playing them in the backyard with his kids and grandkids.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Monday at Wilson Funeral Home with Sister Anzella Abernathy officiating. Burial will follow in Walkers Chapel Cemetery. The family will receive friends Monday from 12 noon until the 2 p.m. hour of service.

He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Vickie Childers; children Julie Ayers and husband Ross, Rachel Ebert and husband Chad, and Clay Childers; mother Margaret Childers; grandchildren Emma and Ethan Evett and Landon and Andrew Ebert; brother, Neil Childers; sister, Lynn Dean; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his father, CB Childers.

Cemetery Details

Walkers Chapel Cemetery

1411 County Road 118
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **22**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Funeral Home
3801 Gault Ave. N
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Funeral Service

FEB **22**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jimmy Clay Childers*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Very sorry for your loss. Jimmy became a friend of mine in the 6th grade. He was positive and kind. - Johnny Harris.*

John Harris - February 27, 2021 at 02:38 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Jimmy and I sit and talked everyday in the lunchroom. He gave me my first hen when I started raising chickens and she is still my main brood hen today. He will be missed.*

Rob Hannah

Rob Hannah - February 22, 2021 at 09:40 AM



“ *I had known Jimmy since the second grade and even though I didn't see him often we always seemed connected. My condolences and we will meet again!*

Roger E Ingle - February 22, 2021 at 12:41 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.*



February 21, 2021 at 08:58 PM



“ *Sherry Spillman lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Clay Childers*



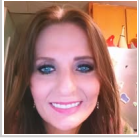
sherry spillman - February 21, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.*



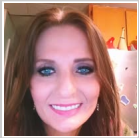
February 21, 2021 at 04:41 PM



“ *Beckey Bevel lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Clay Childers*



Beckey Bevel - February 21, 2021 at 03:58 PM



“ *neil and Margret I am so sorry to hear of Jimmys passing. I pray the Lord gives you strength and understanding over the coming months. God bless you all. He was a wonderful human being and I have no doubt where his spirit is today. May the Lord guide you and keep you*

Beckey Bevel - February 21, 2021 at 03:58 PM



“ *Larry and Teresa Ebert and Families purchased the With Distinction for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.*



Larry and Teresa Ebert and Families - February 21, 2021 at 11:37 AM



“ *The Gang, Ballenger, Cash, Red, Claudette, Ann, and Terry purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.*



The Gang, Ballenger, Cash, Red, Claudette, Ann, and Terry - February 21, 2021 at 10:36 AM

CJ

“ Vickie I was sadden to hear the passing of Jimmy. I'll be praying for you and your family. Jimmy was a special person. We had some good times at WeeSocks . He will be missed.

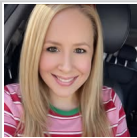
Charlotte (Crane) Jones - February 21, 2021 at 02:32 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.



February 20, 2021 at 08:31 PM



“ I don't have many memories of Jimmy, just the memories I've heard from my mom and aunt, but I do cherish this particular memory. We travelled to Fort Payne for a small family reunion in 2016. My son was 3, almost 4, at the time. He ran and played at Jimmy's house all day. At some point, he came across an old wrench and became completely attached to it. He even fell asleep on their couch with the wrench still in hand. When it was time to leave we tried to return the wrench but Jimmy allowed Burton to keep it. We still have that wrench and I'll never forget how happy it made my little boy. A small kindness that meant everything to a three-year-old.



Miranda Len - February 20, 2021 at 07:32 PM

MK

“ Miranda L Karle purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.



Miranda L Karle - February 20, 2021 at 07:21 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jimmy Clay Childers.*



February 20, 2021 at 05:23 PM



“ *Cheryl Little lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Clay Childers*



Cheryl Little - February 20, 2021 at 04:20 PM