



Mr. James Loren Palmer

October 27, 1937 - April 22, 2017

James Loren Palmer, 79, of Tallahassee, passed away on Saturday, April 22, 2017.

The son of the late Roderick W. and Iris O'Lene Ross Palmer, he was born October 27, 1937, in Thomasville, Georgia. With honor and courage, he served his country in the United States Marines during the Vietnam War. Following his honorable discharge, he was employed by the United States Postal Service and was also an entrepreneur.

He enjoyed singing, playing the harmonica, old hymns, international travel, taking walks and talking.

He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Judy McKinnie Palmer; children, Brandi Palmer Carden (husband, Travis) and Roderick Palmer (wife, Yuka); eight grandchildren; twin sister, Joy Harvey; and a nephew, Rick Gourcier.

Visitation is from 10:00 until 11:00 AM, Thursday, April 27, 2017, at Abbey Funeral Home. The funeral is 11:00 AM, Thursday, April 27, 2017, at Abbey Funeral Home, with interment following at Tallahassee National Cemetery.

Memorial contributions in his memory may be made to Disable American Veterans or the Wounded Warrior Project. Online condolences may be

expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee National Cemetery

5015 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, FL 32311
(850) 402-8941

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. James Loren Palmer*



Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens - April 27, 2017 at 10:58 AM

JL

Brandi such a beautiful tribute to your father. May God allow the memories to help you through this trying time. Continuing to lift you and family in prayer. Deepest sympathy, Judy Laster

Judy Laster - April 28, 2017 at 07:14 AM

LI

“ *Lisa lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Loren Palmer*



Lisa - May 13, 2017 at 05:53 PM



“ *Jim was always a gracious host to a gaggle of inlaws, nieces, nephews & cousins. A big personality who took advantage of and enjoyed having someone's ear. Yes, he loved conversation!!! Jim was unique; never anyone in the room like him.*

Lynda McKinnie - April 26, 2017 at 03:11 PM

CF

“ Hi Judy,
So sorry to hear this. You and I worked together years ago at I think
it was called Equifax with Dorothy and Phoebe. You were almost a
newly wed at that time. You and family are in my prayers.
Cindy Finuff

Cindy Finuff - April 25, 2017 at 01:17 PM

SC

“ Had a great time working with and sharing life
with Jim. Good man!



Steven canfield - April 24, 2017 at 06:45 PM