



## Mr. James L. Walker

April 14, 1943 - November 22, 2015

After a valiant battle, James L. Walker, 72, of Tallahassee, peacefully entered the loving arms of Jesus on November 22, 2015, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born April 14, 1943, in Opp, Alabama, to the now late Alto Turvin and Vera Lee Williams Walker. He was an on the road truck driver, and was proud of his service in the US Navy during the Vietnam War, serving on the USS Eugene A. Greene, DD 711. He was a member of Woodville Methodist Church and enjoyed fishing and automotive mechanics.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Jill Keffaber Walker; children, James G. (Janet) Walker and Daniel K.B. Walker; grandchildren, Michael E. Smith, James G. Walker, Jr., Danielle M. Walker and Dallas C. Walker; great-grandchildren, Journey A. Walker, Payton J. Walker and Sheila Walker; and his siblings, Rex Walker, Regina Sitzler, Becky Scott, and Myrinez Walker Sasser.

Family members preceding him in death are his parents; daughter, Sheila D. Smith; siblings, Kathleen Matlock, Charles Turvin and Leonce Turvin; and a stepson, Christopher Scott Walker.

The family will receive friends from 10:00 until 11:00 AM, Wednesday,

November 25, 2015 at Abbey Funeral Home, with the funeral service beginning at 11:00 AM at Abbey Funeral Home. Interment with military honors will follow at 1:00 PM Wednesday, November 25, 2015 at Tallahassee National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Big Bend Hospice. Online condolences may be made at [www.abbeyfh.com](http://www.abbeyfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Tallahassee National Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Abbey Funeral Home  
4037 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 562-1518  
abbeyfh@comcast.net

## Service

NOV **25**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



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



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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - November 24, 2015 at 02:35 PM

MS

“ *Myrinez Sasser sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. James L. Walker*



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**Myrinez Sasser** - November 28, 2015 at 09:44 PM

MS

“ *James, I love you and will miss you very much. I am so proud to have you as a brother. I will miss the times we talked and the jokes that you could tell. Thank you for all the encouragement you gave me over the years. May you rest in peace until we meet again.*



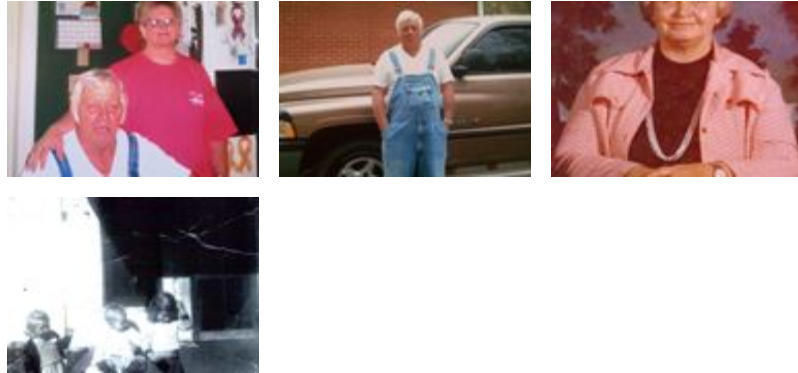
*Your loving sister,  
Myrinez Walker Sasser*

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**Myrinez Sasser** - November 28, 2015 at 09:42 PM



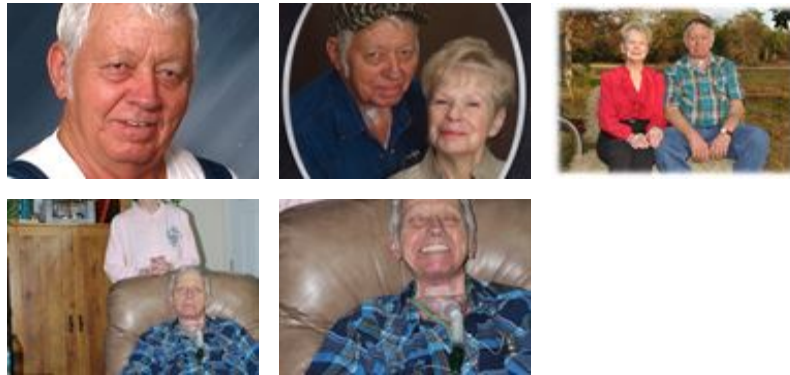
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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - November 24, 2015 at 04:20 PM



“ 74 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - November 24, 2015 at 02:25 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Mr. James L. Walker.



November 24, 2015 at 08:11 AM

JW

“ Jim, when God called you home to be free and pain free, you left without a fight. You knew that God had prepared a better place for you. Our family chain is now broken but it will link together again one day. You was always a tough fighter and you was fighting till the end. Now you can rest with no more pain and you can breathe with no problems. We will miss your jokes and your smile, I love you and will miss you. May you always Rest in Peace. Always in my heart, Janet



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**Janet Walker** - November 23, 2015 at 09:25 PM