



## Mr. Jay Carman Jr.

September 15, 1987 - January 22, 2021

On Friday, January 22, 2021, Jay Carman (Donald Jeffrey Carman, Jr.), 33, set sail on his new adventure.

Jay made his grand entrance into the world on September 15, 1987, in Tallahassee, Florida, and he spent his short 33 years making many memories here. He is preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Brenda Bodiford; paternal grandmother, Lynn White and paternal grandfather, Don Carman.

Jay had a big charismatic personality and it would light up the room when he entered. He had an enormous heart and would give the shoes off his feet to help someone or just to put a smile on their face. He had a unique ability to make friends with ease which is evident by the many of you out there, just know he loved each one of you! He was a deep thinker and he enjoyed sharing his thoughts no matter how silly or serious they were with anyone. He was a big goofball and loved to tell stories with a dramatic flair. Jay fought many battles hard in this life and now it is time for rest, peace and no more pain for Jay.

Jay is survived by his son, Colson Carman; mother, Rhonda Bodiford; granddaddy, Wallace Bodiford; his very loved siblings, Kaelyn Senatus (Sharod), Jacob Massey, Lyndsey Massey, Tyler Carman and Garrett Carman; uncles, Kevin Bodiford and Bubba Bodiford; aunts, Marsha Bodiford and Kim

Carman (Denise Forehand); cousins, Brandon, Justin, Shawn and Sawyer Bodiford; and father, Jeff Carman.

There will be a visitation on Monday, February 1, 2021 from 6pm to 7:30pm at Abbey Funeral Home, and his graveside service will be held Tuesday, February 2, 2021 at 2pm in Tallahassee Memory Gardens, Garden of Serenity. Memorial donations may be made to Central Oklahoma Adult & Teen Challenge, Attention: Angie Adams, 3014 S Main Street, Stillwater, OK 74074 or online donations can be made at [www.OKteenchallenge.com/donate](http://www.OKteenchallenge.com/donate) and select Central Oklahoma. The online guestbook is at [www.abbeyfh.com](http://www.abbeyfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 562-1518  
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 1. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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

## Graveside Service

FEB 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LS

“ *Lisa Shipley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.* ”



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**lisa shipley** - September 18, 2021 at 02:46 AM



“ *73 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”

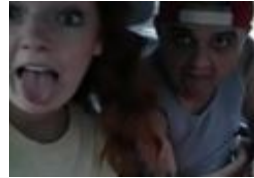


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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - February 01, 2021 at 04:57 PM



“ 54 files added to the album Life Tributes



Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens - February 01, 2021 at 02:58 PM



“ I first met you threw frank and Kevin. You was a funny and goofy guy. You was a great father. I'm so heart broken over the news. May you rest in peace. Prayers to your family. I can't imagine the pain and suffering they are going threw.



Farah lester - February 01, 2021 at 02:53 PM



“ I can't believe this... my mind is still not able to take this all in... my prayers go out to your family. We have had our ups and downs in the last 8 years that we have known each other. But wouldn't have changed it for the world. Now your gone I will cherish those moments forever... you were taken to soon. Rip jay you will always be in my heart and never forgotten.

ivy - February 01, 2021 at 01:26 AM

IV

“ Ivy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.

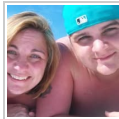


ivy - February 01, 2021 at 01:20 AM

SR

“ Rhonda, I am so sorry reading this. Please know you are in my thoughts. I pray you find Godpeace.....

Sonnie Rowas - January 31, 2021 at 06:41 PM



Thank you!

Rhonda Massey - February 01, 2021 at 02:19 AM

MY

“ Mama LOVES You! lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.



Mama LOVES you! - January 30, 2021 at 03:49 PM

Ryen Barbedea

“ Our hearts are saddened by the death of “DJ” (as we called him); The entire Adult and Teen Challenge family of Central Oklahoma. All of his TC brothers are praying for his mother and family. We know that to be absent from the body, is to be present with the Lord... Be at peace now our brother. -Your family at Teen Challenge of Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Ryen Barbedeaux - January 30, 2021 at 12:44 PM

MB

“ *Marsha Bodiford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.*



Marsha Bodiford - January 30, 2021 at 11:31 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Jay Carman Jr..*



January 30, 2021 at 09:41 AM

MB

“ *Marsha Bodiford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.*



Marsha Bodiford - January 30, 2021 at 01:56 AM

MB

“ *Love you Jay! Forever in our hearts and prayers!*



Marsha Bodiford - January 30, 2021 at 01:55 AM

MB

“ Love and miss you jay bird. You'll never be forgotten! ❤️❤️❤️❤️



Marsha Bodiford - January 30, 2021 at 01:22 AM

MY

“ Mama LOVES You sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.



Mama LOVES you - January 29, 2021 at 05:37 PM

RB

“ Rhonda Bodiford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jay Carman Jr.



Rhonda Bodiford - January 29, 2021 at 05:35 PM