



George Thornton James

November 22, 1947 - August 7, 2025

George Thornton James, 77 of Bushnell, Florida passed away in The Villages on August 7, 2025. He was born in Homerville, Georgia on November 22, 1947 to Lewis and Macy James. He was in law enforcement for 35 years. James retired from the Department of Transportation, Motor carrier compliance. He enjoyed watching NASCAR drag racing. He was a member of the Baptist in Faith Church. He is survived by his son: Chris (Rebecca) James of Bushnell, Florida. Grandchildren: Gary James (Amber Swineheart) of Bushnell, Florida, Cory James (Amanda Cope) of Spartanburg, South Carolina, Kristen James-Cruz Dawson. Great Grandchildren: Lillian Pasko, Kayden James, Bo Cruz, Colter Cruz and Riggs Cruz. He was preceded in death by his wife Linda James and a daughter Shelley James. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.purcellfuneralhome.com . All arrangements are entrusted to Purcell Chapel in Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Karleen K Evans lit a candle in memory of George Thornton James*



Karleen K Evans - August 10, 2025 at 09:05 PM

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“ *George was a good brother-in-law, and I can say we never had a cross word. He was a good husband to Linda and a good father to both his children. George lost both his parents when he was young but was welcomed into the James family here in Bushnell. He lived a respectful life and served in law enforcement without a blemish on his record. He leaves behind his son Chris to carry the torch, and Chris, I know you will do a good job and make your dad proud. He will be missed by us all, but he can now rest in peace with Linda and Shelly.*

James Guy Simmons - August 08, 2025 at 08:59 PM

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“ *Kenneth Prevatt lit a candle in memory of George Thornton James*



Kenneth Prevatt - August 08, 2025 at 02:24 PM