



Jay Michael Sowders

October 10, 1975 - January 17, 2019

Jay Michael Sowders, 43, of Owensboro, passed away Thursday, January 17, 2019, at his residence. He was born in Daviess County on October 10, 1975 to the late J.W. Sowders and Dolores Sowders. Jay was a member of the Catholic faith. He enjoyed watching NASCAR and North Carolina Tar Heels basketball.

Along with his parents, Jay was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Claude T. Sowders and Catherine Pearl Sowders, his uncles, Joe Sowders, W.R. Adkins, and his cousin Jeff “Boogie” Sowders.

Jay is survived by his sister, Anna (Kevin Sinnett) Sowders, Alexis Sinnett, his aunt Matilda Adkins, his cousins Jamie (Christa) Sowders and Steve (Valerie) Rittmeyer, his niece Taylor (Daniel) Sowders, his nephew Jordan (Retha) Towery and several cousins in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Haley McGinnis Funeral Home & Crematory is both honored and privileged to be entrusted with the care of Mr. Sowders. Share your messages of condolence with the family of Jay Michael Sowders at www.haleymcginnis.com.

Comments



“ Jay Michael u were my best friend/my big brother i never had. You were always there for me when i needed you u helped memore than u will ever know and ill be forever grateful for u and ill hold all our memories dear to my heart.. U was such a loving soul and always helped others even those that didnt deserve it. Please watch over Marlee and Me like u always did when u were here with us. I miss u so much my heart hurt badly. Its so unfair and ill never understand it but i just tell myself that u no longer have to suffer living in this evil cruel world with all these heartless people. Rest easy until wesee eachother again.love you and always in my thoughts.! U weremy last man standing! Love always Aim!!!

Amy - February 21 at 02:04 AM



“ Anna--You are in my thoughts and I pray for you to find peace and comfort. Please let me know if you need anything. Rest in peace Jay Michael.
--Shannon Coomes

Shannon Coomes - January 22 at 02:19 PM



“ Anna,

So sorry for the loss of your brother. Tamara, Loren and myself will be keeping you in our prayers. Please let us know if you need anything.

Sincerely, Matt, Tamara and Loren Jones

Matt Jones - January 21 at 12:03 PM



“ I'll share this picture as much as I can. You will never be forgotten in this house Jay, you wasnt only our Best Friend you was a Ex-Marine, a Truck driver for many years, a good person who didnt deserve the card you was dealt. You left this world without a goodbye from us, but I will never forget that wave and that big smile we was so used to seeing everyday, even that day you passed away. You helped us sooo many times when we was down and not without a second thought. That's what was so good about you and the friendship, we helped eachother through the good and the bad. So many memories, cookouts, holidays, birthdays, drinks, bonfires, fixing the vehicles, or just down to cleaning the yards or hanging out. There was never a dull moment. None that will ever be forgotten. The kids looked up to you and they loved you more than you knew, so many times did you keep me and my babies safe while ramon was at work. So many times did you never fail us. We couldnt protect you on

earth and I'm sorry, we was supposed to all have each other's back.. but one thing is certain you'll get the justice you deserve and the peace beyond this earth that you tried to achieve everyday. Always in our minds and now in our hearts. This isnt a goodbye, simply a see you when we get there Buddy. Rest easy!

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Brenda Rios - January 20 at 10:04 PM



“ Like many others, I lost touch with Jay over the years. Had some fun times with Jay during high school and a few years after. Always an entertaining guy to be around and always seemed happy. Fortunately, I got to see him several times over the last few years. He hauled rolls for Domtar. Prayers for the family. Gone too soon.

Chris Fogle - January 20 at 09:51 PM



“ Miss ya buddy!! R.I.P sending all my love and peace to you n your parents!!!



Mischelle Spainhoward McDaniel - January 20 at 09:08 PM



“ Jay you rest in peace and give love to your mom n dad your sadly missed by many!!!! I always thought you were a cutie, n very funny to be around!!! Fly high now n much of love Ill be praying for your sister n you all send piece n healing love to her!!!! Luv ya buddy!!!



Mischelle Spainhoward McDaniel - January 20 at 09:05 PM



“ R.I.P. Jay u will be missed class of 94" I have not gotten to see u since high school all I remember was u was nice and was funny in school . U will definitely be miss prayers for the family

Ginger Bellamy - January 19 at 06:42 PM



“ I love you

Carolyn Mcdaniel - January 19 at 03:27 PM