



## James "Jimmy" Stroud, Jr.

April 21, 1978 - November 8, 2023

James "Jimmy" McDuffie Stroud, Jr., 45, passed away November 8, 2023. A native of Greenville, son of James "Jim" McDuffie Stroud III and Sandra Dianne Hart Stroud of Taylors, he was the assistant manager of Tractor Supply and of the Christian faith.

Jimmy was a man of many talents. He could fix anything whether it was something mechanical, electrical, or technology related. If you asked him for his help, he never said no and always got it done. That applied at home and work. He loved spending time outdoors. He loved fishing and hunting, but he especially loved the times he spent with his Dad, traveling to film TV shows. He loved playing with his nieces and nephews and making them laugh. Jimmy loved Christmas and the yearly tradition of helping his Dad put wreaths and lights on the house. He always helped set up the tree for his mother to decorate. He loved his family and was always there to help his parents no matter what they need. He spent a lot of time at home and would always take the time to talk with his sister Angie and they would laugh and reminisce about their childhood. He had a heart for helping others. As an example, he was driving to Greenville one day and noticed a jogger who had fell and hit his head. He pulled over to assist the injured man with CPR, waiting with him until EMS arrived. That is the man Jimmy was. He didn't change. His heart was pure and he got enjoyment from helping others. He was mild, soft spoken, and polite. His customers and coworkers from Tractor Supply in Travelers Rest will tell you that Jimmy was always giving 110% and ready to help. It's what he did

and the man he was. His customers were his friends. He enjoyed going to work every day because he said the people he worked with were his family too. Jimmy's heart was full of love for his family but there was a special place in his heart for his fiancé Glenna Marie Smith. She made him happy and brought out a side of Jimmy rarely seen by others. He cared for Glenna so much and always made sure she was taken care of, and that she got home from work each day. He loved her very much. She was the love of his life. Also surviving are his son, Tyler; fiancé, Glenna Smith of Milwaukee, Wisconsin; two sisters, Kimberley Stroud of Inman and Angela Stroud of Taylors; nieces, Alyssa and Breyannah; nephews, Jordan, Bentley, and Landon.

He was predeceased by his maternal grandparents, Claude and Dorothy Hart, and his paternal grandparents, James M. and Adith Stroud.

A memorial service will be held 1:00 p.m. Saturday, November 18, 2023, at Locust Hill Baptist Church conducted by Rev. Jason Farr.

The family is at their respective homes.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV 18. 1:00 PM (ET)

Locust Hill Baptist Church  
5534 Locust Hill Road  
Travelers Rest, SC 29690

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ I knew Jimmy Thursday Tractor Supply an I always looked forward to see him there many times he loaded my truck with 1000 deer corn by himself always with a smile. GOD CALLED HOME Angel Jimmy Nov 8 he was a good person heartworm GOLD. HE SURELY WILL BE MISSED here on earth but GOD had a plan he needed Jimmy for. Praying for his loved ones.

Margaret cobb - November 20, 2023 at 04:48 PM

MC

“ Margaret cobb lit a candle in memory of James Stroud, Jr.



Margaret cobb - November 20, 2023 at 04:44 PM

JO

“ Sandra, I am very sorry to see this. Know that you and your family are in my prayers.

Jimmy Orders - November 19, 2023 at 08:01 PM

SS

Thank you, Jimmy. Hardest thing I've ever had to deal with. Prayers are certainly needed and appreciated!

Sandra Stroud - November 24, 2023 at 12:01 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Stroud, Jr..*



November 17, 2023 at 11:56 AM



“ *Ida W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Jimmy" Stroud, Jr..*

**Ida W.** - November 16, 2023 at 08:35 AM



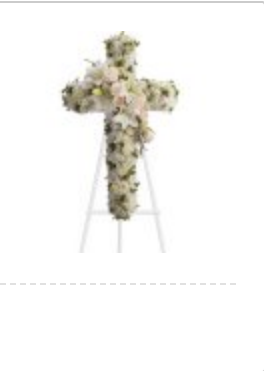
“ *Larry & Joretta Pena*



**Larry&Joretta Pena** - November 12, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Stroud, Jr..*



November 12, 2023 at 08:08 PM

GB

“ You’re in our thoughts and prayers. 🌹



Gaynell & Nathan Bayne - November 12, 2023 at 04:15 PM

JC

“ Sandra, I am so sorry for your loss. You and Jim are in my thoughts and prayers.



Janet Chandler - November 12, 2023 at 01:55 PM



“ Jimmy.. you have been exactly just what God created you for , such a joy and light unto all the world , I thank God for having known you and for blessing me with such a friend. It's not goodbye but more so simply until we meet again my friend .. fly high my friend and my brother until we meet again .. love always Summer Slone



Nicole Sexton - November 12, 2023 at 12:39 PM

JH

“ Sandra, Kathy and family so sorry to hear about the passing of Jimmy. Will be praying for you.



Jo Ann Howell - November 12, 2023 at 10:01 AM

JL

“ *Janice Langley lit a candle in memory of James Stroud, Jr.*



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**Janice Langley** - November 11, 2023 at 08:24 PM

CC

“ *Sandra I'm so for your loss. I pray Gods blessings on you and your family..*

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**cathy cudd** - November 11, 2023 at 07:31 PM

SJ

*Sandra, my heart breaks for you and your family. I am so sorry. You will be in my prayers. God is with you, hang on tight to him.*

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**Sherry jackson** - November 12, 2023 at 09:13 AM

CE

*Sandra/Jim, we were deeply saddened to learn of Jimmy's passing. We had the opportunity to enjoy his friendship for almost 11 years of his life. What a nice and outstanding young man. There is a song that Alan Jackson sings, "Precious Memories", that says "precious memories, how they linger. How they ever flood my soul. In the stillness of the midnight, precious sacred scenes unfold." Memories are blessings from God that wipe away our tears and bring us warmth, comfort and a smile at this time of need that you will always cherish. May God bless you and your family.*

*All of our love, Carolyn and Robert Eakin*

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**Carolyn and Robert Eakin** - November 17, 2023 at 12:24 PM