



## James "Jim" Lee Dennis

December 29, 1941 - October 29, 2021

James Lee "Jim" Dennis, age 79, beloved husband of Carol Roberts Dennis, passed away on October 29, 2021 at his home in Bowen, Kentucky. Jim was born December 29, 1941 in Beaver Dam, Kentucky to the late James Arlo Dennis and Virginia (Penny) Coleman Dennis. Jim came to Powell County as a young construction worker on the Mountain Parkway, choosing eventually to make this area his home. Then joined Congleton-Hacker Company where he had 33 years of dedicated service. He retired from Congleton-Hacker Company in 2001. During his tenure there as Superintendent, he guided the construction at Central Baptist Hospital and its many additions as well as the UK Markey Cancer Center in Lexington, Kentucky. Locally he gave his time and talents during the building of both the sanctuary and the Family Life Center at Bowen First Church of God. Jim was community minded and was a member of many organizations, including: Charter member of the Powell County Livestock Association, Powell County Lions Club, Powell County Health Department Board, Kentucky Colonel, long time member of Shriners serving as Past Master of Stanton Masonic Lodge, Kentucky Cattlemens Association, and Natural Bridge Park Association. In addition to his construction and civic work, he was Principal Broker of Parkway Realty for many years and served as Powell County Magistrate for eight years taking great pride in representing his friends and neighbors on the Powell County Fiscal Court. Jim was a member of The First Church of God denomination for over 50 years, where he served as a Trustee for several years. As a builder,

Jim knew the importance of a strong foundation, and he chose to build his life on the cornerstone of Christ. As a result, his sweet spirit and loving sense of humor endeared him to so many. In addition to his wife, Carol Roberts Dennis, of 40 years, he is survived by: Children: James Lee Dennis Jr., Sonya (Chris) King, Jamie (Beth) Stephens, Mindy (Steve) Centers. Grandchildren: Jimmy Lee (Lois) Dennis, Jonathan (Kylie) Dennis, Jameson (Emily) Walls, Amelia (Austin) Berntsen, Ashley (Cory Grigsby) King, Kansas Stephens, Bryce Stephens, Kodi Centers, and Kohl (Whitney) Centers. Great-Grandchildren: Phoenix Walls, Aiden Walls, Harper Dennis, Maddox Dennis, Leighton Berntsen, Scarlett Centers, and Caroline Centers. Also surviving two sisters, Hilda (Bill) Standafer and Elaine (George) Croslin. Funeral services officiated by Bro. Bill Carpenter and Bro. Ben Liston will be conducted on Tuesday, November 2, 1:00PM at Davis and Davis Funeral Home, 777 W College Ave., Stanton, Kentucky. Visitation Monday 5-9pm at the funeral home. Burial in Stanton Cemetery with his grandchildren serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers serving are owners and employees of Congleton-Hacker Company. Arrangements by Davis and Davis Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Stanton Cemetery

North Main Street  
Stanton, KY 40380

# Previous Events

## Family Visitation

NOV 1. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Wells Funeral Home  
777 W. College Avenue  
P.O. Box 33  
Stanton, KY 40380  
(606) 663-9480  
davisanddavisfuneralhome@yahoo.com  
<https://www.ddfh.net>

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## Funeral Service

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NOV 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JM

“ *In memory of James Lee Dennis, James, Joyce & Tammy Martin*



**James, Joyce & Tammy Martin** - November 03, 2021 at 09:08 AM

MR

“ *Jim was great man in many many ways and was liked by all. Sure enjoyed working with him on projects. Miss ya bud God needed you in heaven because you done all He needed here on earth.*

**Marion Rogers** - November 02, 2021 at 01:09 PM

LH

“ *Carol, so sorry for your loss! We just now heard that Jim had passed! Prayers for you and your family! Loyd and Kay Howard.*

**Loyd and Kay Howard** - November 02, 2021 at 10:56 AM

DR

“ *We are so very sorry you have lost such a special person in your lives and the community has lost such a outstanding person. Jim served on the Powell County Board of Health and never missed a meeting. Whatever he did, he did it 100%! There will never be another one like him! What a wonderful Christian man! Love and Prayers, Darlene and Donnie Richardson*

**Darlene Richardson** - November 02, 2021 at 08:15 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.*



November 01, 2021 at 11:24 PM



“ *Prayer for all the family. Jim will be missed by many!*  
*Patty Billings & Family*



**Patty Billings** - November 01, 2021 at 05:12 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.*



November 01, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ *Dianah Townsend lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Lee Dennis*



**Dianah townsend** - November 01, 2021 at 01:44 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.*



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November 01, 2021 at 10:15 AM



“ *71 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Wells Funeral Home** - October 31, 2021 at 03:18 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.*



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October 31, 2021 at 10:17 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.



October 31, 2021 at 09:59 AM



“ Thank you Jim and Carol for being so kind to my family. Prayers and gratitude for having the privilege of knowing you. Mary McHale Farmer

Mary Farmer - October 31, 2021 at 09:09 AM



“ Jim was a wonderful family member. He always had time to stop and talk! You will be missed by everyone that knew you and especially me. I know you are with the Angels and Mom,Dad and Karen tonight around God's thrown tonight and I know you are rejoicing with everyone that has gone before 🙏. I know you will be missed so much here by family and friends but we all will be together soon to rejoice 🙏. I loved you as a special family and friend 🙏.



Kay and Vincent Stewart - October 30, 2021 at 08:11 PM

JF

“ Jerry, Sandy, & Joe Nanney and families purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.



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**Jerry, Sandy, & Joe Nanney and families** - October 30, 2021 at 08:02 PM



“ So sorry For your loss ,, Prayers for the family



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**Kitty Goodwin** - October 30, 2021 at 07:11 PM

MR

“ This was one fine fellow, very good to work with on jobs. We sure will miss him but heaven has gained another great man. Prayers for family and friends.

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**Marion Rogers** - October 30, 2021 at 05:59 PM

LC

“ Linda, Murray and Cathy purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of James "Jim" Lee Dennis.



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**Linda, Murray and Cathy** - October 30, 2021 at 05:53 PM