



Donald "Jocko" Jowers

April 26, 1952 - June 2, 2019

Funeral services for Mr. Donald "Jocko" Jowers, age 67, are scheduled for 3 PM, Wednesday, June 5, 2019 in the chapel of Pafford Funeral Home in Lexington. Interment will follow in Jowers Cemetery. Mr. Jowers passed away late Sunday at his home in Lexington. He was born April 26, 1952 in Lexington to the late Ben F. and Lorene Drinkard Jowers. He retired after 28 years as a route salesman for Central Distributors Inc. and was a Vietnam Veteran, serving in the U. S. Army. Mr. Jowers was an avid St. Louis Cardinals and Tennessee Vols fan. He loved people and was extremely outgoing. He enjoyed Blue Grass Music and watching his grandchildren play sports. He also loved his pet, Max, dearly. He was preceded in death by one grandson, Bryce and an infant brother, Patrick Michael Jowers. Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Vicki Odle Jowers; four daughters, Jenny Jowers, Tara Jowers, Brittney Harris, and Chelsi Jowers; two sisters, Pat Barker (Don) and Betty Lowery (Mel); and eight grandchildren, Brianna, Alex, Cailey, Kearstin, Cammy, Hunter, Hayden, and Bryclee.

Cemetery Details

Jowers Cemetery

Lexington, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 4. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN
71 Monroe Ave.
Lexington, TN

Visitation

JUN 5. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN
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Chapel Service

JUN 5. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Pafford Funeral Home - June 04, 2019 at 01:17 PM

RC

So very sorry to hear. I knew Jocko for many years and used to love to sit and listen to his stories. He always had a way of making you laugh. He will be missed by many!

Rachel Coburn - June 05, 2019 at 01:48 PM

SC

Pat and Betty I am so very sorry about Donald..

Shannon Creasy - June 05, 2019 at 10:12 PM



“ *Cotton Rhodes lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Cotton Rhodes - March 18, 2020 at 10:23 AM

BG

“ *Bill & Joan Gateley lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Bill & Joan Gateley - June 07, 2019 at 09:42 AM

NS

“ *Pat and family my deepest sympathies.*

Neasha Smith - June 05, 2019 at 02:35 PM

TP

“ *Tony Leslie Powers lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Tony Leslie Powers - June 05, 2019 at 01:40 PM

LH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I knew Jocko from many years ago. He delivered to Morris Grocery in Whiteville. He and my husband were two of a kind. They were always seeing you could pull the best prank on each other.

My children grew up knowing Jocko and looked forward to him coming each week. My husband Mike passed away in 1995 at the age of 42. Jocko came to visitation but told me he had to work and could not make it yo the funeral. When the funeral possession was going out of Bolivar to the cemetery in Whiteville. There was Jocko waiting at the edge of town. He blew the truck horn and I could see my husband smile in Heaven. My daughter stopped at his work in Jackson just to check on him and he told her he was retiring soon. We all loved Jocko. Prayers for each of his family.

Lois Morris Hurst - June 04, 2019 at 07:04 PM

JG

“ I just wanted to say I'm sorry to hear about your Jocko. He and my dad were born in the same week and when daddy owned the store in whiteville they were good friends. He always talked about his girls when he came in the store and was really torn up when my dad passed in 95. He was a good man and I'm proud to have known him.

Jennie Morris Graber - June 04, 2019 at 06:57 PM



“ Jocko was a friend to everyone; He will be greatly missed; i haven't seen him in a few years; He delivered beer to the store i used to work at (Bishops Grocery) in Bolivar; I'm so sorry to hear of his passing; Jocko was a great man.



Melissa Good - June 04, 2019 at 05:46 PM



“ 50 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pafford Funeral Home - June 04, 2019 at 12:17 PM



“ J.DWAYNE REEVES JR lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



J.DWAYNE REEVES JR - June 04, 2019 at 09:50 AM



“ Teneya Golemon lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



teneya golemon - June 04, 2019 at 04:25 AM

OR

“ So sorry for your loss, a friend from high school, always had a smile when ever we saw each other , will be missed. Olivia Wilson Rhodes



OLIVIA RHODES - June 04, 2019 at 01:02 AM



“ Kimberley Patillo-Bettis lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Kimberley Patillo-Bettis - June 03, 2019 at 10:37 PM

CR

“ Connie Reeves lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Connie Reeves - June 03, 2019 at 10:25 PM

BG

“ My prayers and love for his family.



Bonnie Gilbert - June 03, 2019 at 10:21 PM



“ Sharon Garza lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Sharon Garza - June 03, 2019 at 09:43 PM



So sorry for your loss. He was the friendliest person and never met a stranger.

Sharon Garza - June 03, 2019 at 09:43 PM



“ This breaks my heart! Loved this man so much! He was a great friend! Prayers for his family!



Tara Wilson - June 03, 2019 at 08:54 PM



“ Randy And Janet Jowers. sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Randy and Janet Jowers. - June 03, 2019 at 07:11 PM

AS

“ Anthony & Jane Smith lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



anthony & jane smith - June 03, 2019 at 05:26 PM

LW

“ Lant And Sharon Wood lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Lant and Sharon Wood - June 03, 2019 at 05:23 PM

BW

“ Barbara Willis lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Barbara Willis - June 03, 2019 at 04:46 PM

BW

Sorry for your loss. Prayers.

Barbara Willis - June 03, 2019 at 04:49 PM



“ Sorry to hear this about Jocko. Tara and Jenny he will be missed. He was a great man who never met a stranger.



Tanya Smith Britt - June 03, 2019 at 03:56 PM



“ Joyce Lewis lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Joyce Lewis - June 03, 2019 at 03:34 PM



“ Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Donald "Jocko" Jowers.



June 03, 2019 at 03:16 PM



“ Amy Williams & Willie Ann McPeake lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Amy Williams & Willie Ann McPeake - June 03, 2019 at 02:59 PM



“ On Saturdays when he would come into Wal-Mart, to do pull ups for Budweiser, we would always talk. We both had grandsons named Hunter that played sports, he would always brag on his family, he always would make you laugh or smile. Then a couple of months ago, I was on a Sisters Vacay and all I had to hear was that voice and I knew who it was, as always! He knew me, and when i approached him, he gave me a big hug and was more concerned about my health than his. Him and Vicki and Myself talked a bit, and He told me HE WAS GONNA ENJOY LIFE! Jocko I'll miss you and your stories and your kindness too. Vicki and Girls, Im so sorry for your loss. 😭💙



Carla Blackburn - June 03, 2019 at 02:54 PM

JJ

You could feel the love he had in those BIG HUGS!!! IF HE EVER MEET A STANGER HE MADE A FRIEND----

J.DWAYNE REEVES JR - June 04, 2019 at 09:57 AM

RR

“ Rob & Kathy Renfroe lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Rob & Kathy Renfroe - June 03, 2019 at 02:54 PM



“ *Brenda McKeen lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Brenda McKeen - June 03, 2019 at 02:41 PM

RJ

“ *Randy Jowers lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Randy Jowers - June 03, 2019 at 02:39 PM

DN

“ *Vicky, We are so sorry for your loss. We loved Jocko and we have so many fun memories of him. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*



Danny & Debbie Newsom - June 03, 2019 at 02:34 PM

KP

“ *So deeply sorry for your loss our love and prayers are with the family during this difficult time .Donnie was a great guy and smiling .*



Keith and Debbie Patterson - June 03, 2019 at 02:30 PM

JS

“ James Stegall lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



James Stegall - June 03, 2019 at 02:27 PM



“ Mary Sego lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Mary Sego - June 03, 2019 at 02:23 PM



“ Misty Hayes lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Misty Hayes - June 03, 2019 at 02:18 PM

TS

“ Tim Shackelford lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers



Tim Shackelford - June 03, 2019 at 02:00 PM

DD

“ *Donna Darrough lit a candle in memory of Donald "Jocko" Jowers*



Donna Darrough - June 03, 2019 at 01:40 PM