



Jim King

September 24, 1963 - December 24, 2022

James “Jim” Drake King, born September 24, 1963, passed away unexpectedly on the morning of December 24, 2022 at his home in Blountsville, Alabama. Jim was a 1981 graduate of J.B.Pennington High School and he later attended Samford University. Jim served as the General Manager of the Hope House Ministry for two decades and he was instrumental in the organization’s growth. During his time with the Hope House, Jim provided mentorship and counseling to those in need. His passion for serving others also led him to guide teens and adults through classes focused on anger management, domestic violence, and addiction recovery.

Jim brought a smile to the face of every person he encountered. His sense of humor was unmatched by others and his punch lines never disappointed. You couldn’t help but be drawn to him and his warm and loving personality. Jim had a calming presence and a kind, generous spirit. He welcomed everyone with open arms- he was everyone’s “Big Daddy”. Jim cared deeply for his friends and family, and he made time for anyone who sought his counsel. He always seemed to have the right words for every moment. Jim devoted his life to serving others and he never expected or asked for anything in return. Jim made his mark on the heart of each person he knew and he will be dearly missed by all. This world lost a beautiful soul with Jim’s passing but the beautiful memories he left behind will forever be cherished.

Jim is survived by his loving wife Kim Mount King of 38 years, his son CPT Drake King (Heather), his daughter Kristen Darby (Stephen), his grandchildren Jimmi King, Adrianna Darby, Xander King, Kenzie Darby, Josiah King, and Asher Darby, his parents Charlotte and Judge Royce King, his sisters Karen Adams, Renee Tomlinson, Rebecca Carr (Clay), Susan Mooneyham (Greg), and Jeanne King, and he served as a father figure to many.

Visitation with the family was 11 am until 1 pm at Blountsville Baptist Church on Tues. Jan. 3, 2023. Celebration of life began at 1 pm.

Previous Events

Family to receive friends

JAN 3. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Blountsville Baptist Church
270 College Street
Blountsville, AL 35031

Celebration of Life Service

JAN 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *This is heartbreaking to hear. He was such a nice man.*

J. FAULKNER - January 06, 2023 at 11:56 PM

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“ *So saddened to hear of Jim's passing. Jim was always a joy to work with. He was a very compassionate and dedicated guy. My condolences to the family. Prayers for all.*

Susan Hallman - January 02, 2023 at 04:01 PM

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“ *I volunteered at the Hope House for years. Jim had a good sense of humor and loved calling us nicknames. He was proud of the food Kim made for him everyday. He loved his kids and grandkids. He would give his sheepish grin when I would ask about one. I have lost most of my family over the years, but this one hurts so much. I love all the King's!*

Linda Williams - December 30, 2022 at 01:05 PM

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“ *Many prayers and condolences to his family. His contribution to the community was a blessing. He will be missed. Mary Littleton Masters and the Littleton family*

Mary - December 27, 2022 at 10:20 AM