



James Womack

April 7, 1951 - February 4, 2024

James Womack, age 72, of Wayne passed away Sunday, February 4, 2024.

James Allen Womack was born to David Bates Womack and Ruth Elaine (Turner) Womack on April 7, 1951. He was the youngest of 3 children.

James received his GED and attended college at the University of Central Oklahoma. James proudly served his country as a Sergeant E5 in the United States Army. He also worked on the railroad as a switchman and conductor for thirty-five years before retiring. James was a hard worker, but nothing came before raising his 4 children to always try to do the right thing and to "be tough" like him. They were his world.

James spent 13 amazing years with his wife, Mary Frances (Coats) Womack.

James loved spending time with his family, gardening, and fighting for justice.

He would host breakfast at his house frequently where many would enjoy his homemade biscuits from a cast iron pan and absorb all the life and financial advice he so loved to share. James enjoyed monthly Geezer Gatherings with his retired railroad brothers. He served for many years as a Local Chairman for the United Transportation Union and his favorite color was blue, of course. James was an incredible man. He was an outstanding father, husband, Papa, brother, and son. He was dearly loved and will be missed immensely.

James is preceded in death by his parents, David Womack and Ruth (Turner) Womack; his son, Jake Womack; and his sister, Ann Rehagen.

James is survived by his wife, Mary (Coats) Womack; his daughters, Jennifer Womack (T.J) of Wayne, Dot Terrill and husband Rusty of Noble, and Carolyn

Campbell and husband Carl of Wayne; "The Best Dog in the World", Hillary, of the home; his brother, David Womack and wife Kris of Oklahoma City; 8 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren and many others who loved and called him "Papa".

Funeral Services will be on Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 2:00 pm.at Wilson-Little Funeral Home. Interment will be at Hopping Cemetery in Wayne. The family will be accepting guests for a visitation from 5-7 pm on Wednesday, February 7, 2024.

Tribute Wall



“ James thank you for what you have done and you were outstanding especially as a good friend, Respect and rest easy

Alexander Hamilton - April 20, 2025 at 08:29 PM

PM

“ Uncle James you will be missed so much. I'm gonna miss coming and hanging out with you, now you are in heaven with my mom. Love you Uncle James



Pamela McFarland - February 07, 2024 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ He was all the things that were written about him and he was a great friend!! Loved how he shared everything from wisdom to vegetables from his garden. He always talked about how he loved Mary and all his family. A very good man ❤️🙏

Becky - February 07, 2024 at 12:00 AM



I was his friend on Twitter and he was amazing man, I wished I could meet him in the afterlife and he was a hero to me

Alexander Hamilton - April 20, 2025 at 10:39 PM

CI

“ We are so sorry for your loss.

James: I will miss your posts and comments on Facebook. RIP

Cindy - February 06, 2024 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I am without words in expressing how sorry I am for your loss. Those words just don't even begin to cover it. Mr. Womack was such a wonderful man. His reach went far beyond what he knew and I am so grateful for the ways that he impacted my life and the lives of those around him. I so enjoyed his frankness with me and his sense of humor. Many times his words would come right at the nick of time in my life. I hate to let go of our friendship but I am thankful that he can rest in the Lord's arms now and that all the pain of this life has melted away and grateful for the opportunity to honor his life in the small ways that I can.

I am just praying so hard that the Lord of Peace will just swoop down and love on you, his dear family and friends. That you will look back at this difficult time and see how Jesus grabbed your hand, protected your hearts, and walked beside you as you mourn this loss.

Sarah Bray - February 06, 2024 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ James was a good friend and a great railroader. I will miss his wit and humor. RIP MY FRIEND1

Mike Webster - February 06, 2024 at 12:00 AM