



## James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.

February 23, 1950 - January 10, 2016

James William Kelly, Jr, 65, of Altavista died Sunday, January 10, 2016 at Virginia Baptist Hospital.

He was born February 23, 1950 in Halifax County, a son of the late James William Kelly, Sr. and Maude Hammock Kelly. He attended Calvary Baptist Church and was a retired employee of English Incorporated. J.W. was an honorary member of the Lynch Station Ruritan Club and a member of the Altavista Moose Lodge #1433.

He is survived by two sons, James "Jamie" William Kelly, III and his wife Ava of Gladys and Joey Wayne Kelly and his companion Robin Boley of Lynch Station; three grandsons, Josh and Jonathan Kelly and Ian Garner; a special companion, Lib Simpson and her family, Angie and J.W. Garner all of Hurt; and a nephew, Dwayne McCormick and his wife Theresa of Evington.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Virginia Kelly McCormick.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 13, 2016 at Finch and Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Bobby Brumfield with interment to follow in Altavista Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m., Tuesday at Finch and

Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence of Lib Simpson, 8864 Blue Ridge Drive, Hurt.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider American Cancer Society, 2050 Langhorne Road, Lynchburg, VA 24501.

# Cemetery Details

## Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 12. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

## Funeral Service

JAN 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch Chapel  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Tribute Wall

RM

“ Dwayne, Theresa, Ava, Jamie, and family, WE are sorry for your loss of your loved one. You and your family are in our prayers and thoughts. He will truly be missed. Praying for you and your family.  
R.L., Jr, Ricki, and R.L., III The Mattox Fmaily

Ricki Mattox - January 13, 2016 at 08:49 AM

RM

“ Ricki Mattox lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Ricki Mattox - January 13, 2016 at 08:45 AM

LK

“ Lillie Kelly lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Lillie Kelly - January 12, 2016 at 07:34 PM

KV

“ Ken. Vicky lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



ken. vicky - January 12, 2016 at 04:10 PM



“ *Joanne Brumsey lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Joanne Brumsey** - January 12, 2016 at 12:16 PM

JT

“ *Jimmy Thurman lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Jimmy Thurman** - January 12, 2016 at 09:16 AM

GJ

“ *Gail And Billy Morris Going To Miss J.W sent a virtual gift in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Gail and Billy Morris going to miss J.W** - January 12, 2016 at 01:50 AM

CF

“ *J.w. you will be missed, you have been a long time friend of our family. You always ask about how are daddy was doing, we always talk about hunting. You will be sadly missed.*

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**Carol Rowland an family** - January 11, 2016 at 07:27 PM

WT

“ Wyatt, Gary, And Tammy Trent sent a virtual gift in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



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**Wyatt, Gary, and Tammy Trent** - January 11, 2016 at 04:13 PM

WT

“ Wyatt, Gary, And Tammy Trent lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



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**Wyatt, Gary, and Tammy Trent** - January 11, 2016 at 04:10 PM

TD

“ Tamra Dalton lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



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**Tamra Dalton** - January 11, 2016 at 01:44 PM

TV

“ TONY & ANGIE VASSER lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



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**TONY & ANGIE VASSER** - January 11, 2016 at 12:55 PM

CK

“ *Carroll Keatts lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Carroll Keatts** - January 11, 2016 at 11:19 AM

KK

“ *kevin kinsler*

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**kevin kinsler** - January 11, 2016 at 11:05 AM

KK

*praying for jamie and family*

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**kevin kinsler** - January 11, 2016 at 01:24 PM

MG

“ *Praying for comfort and strength for Jamie, Joey, Lib, and their families during this difficult time. J.W. will be truly missed. Michelle and Chuck Glidewell*

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**Michelle glidewell** - January 11, 2016 at 11:02 AM

FF

“ *Jamie, Joey, Libby, and family so sorry for the loss of JW. He was a friend to me as well as to Ray and I have many fond memories of him. My thoughts, prayers, and love are with you all. May God be with you all in the coming days and give you all peace, strength, and comfort. Love to all....Faith*

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**Faith Burgess Francis** - January 11, 2016 at 10:27 AM

BC

“ *Butch & Glenna Carr lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Butch & Glenna Carr** - January 11, 2016 at 10:25 AM

FF

“ *Jamie, Joey, Libby, and family I am so sorry for the loss of JW. He was a good friend to me as well as to Ray and I have many fond memories of him. My thoughts, prayers, and love are with you all at this time and in the coming days. God be with you all and give you all peace, strength, and comfort. Love...Faith*


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**Faith Burgess Francis** - January 11, 2016 at 10:16 AM

RA

“ *Sending prayers and our sincere condolences to the family of J.W. He was a good man who took great care of his mother. He is now with her rejoicing with the angels.*

*Love,  
Mary O'Dell, Regina and Collin Adams*

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**Regina Adams** - January 11, 2016 at 09:59 AM

 Trisha Keatts

“ *Trisha Keatts lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Trisha Keatts** - January 11, 2016 at 09:46 AM

DS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

**Dianne Sykes** - January 11, 2016 at 07:49 AM

FR

“ *Jamie, Joey, and Libby  
I am so sorry for your loss. I have a lot of  
memories of growing up with Jamie Joey and  
JW. Fred*



**Fred** - January 11, 2016 at 07:31 AM

LB

“ *Linda Blessard lit a candle in memory of  
James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



**Linda Blessard** - January 11, 2016 at 07:06 AM

EP

“ *Eddie Puckette lit a candle in memory of  
James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



**Eddie Puckette** - January 11, 2016 at 07:03 AM



“ *Stuart Roberts lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Stuart Roberts** - January 11, 2016 at 06:59 AM

GM

“ *Gail And Billy Morris lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Gail and Billy Morris** - January 11, 2016 at 04:48 AM

RB

“ *Robin Boley lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**robin boley** - January 11, 2016 at 02:53 AM

LL

“ *I only met J.W a few times but found him to be a good caring man...full of laughter an kindness to all he came in contact with... Prayers to Libby & all the family.. RIP J.W. Heaven truely gained an angel... You will be missed by all...*



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**Loretta Laughlin** - January 10, 2016 at 09:01 PM

JH

“ *Jamie & Kim Hodges lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Jamie & Kim Hodges** - January 10, 2016 at 08:12 PM

AK

“ *ALICE FAYE KRANTZ KEESEE*



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**ALICE KEESEE** - January 10, 2016 at 08:02 PM

SF

“ *Rest in peace....Prayers for family*



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**Shirley Forloines** - January 10, 2016 at 08:00 PM

BY

“ *BRIGHAM YOUNG lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**BRIGHAM YOUNG** - January 10, 2016 at 07:53 PM

VC

“ Thoughts and Prayers to the family of J.W.Kelly.



Vicky Creasy - January 10, 2016 at 07:42 PM

LK

“ Linda Keesee lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



linda keesee - January 10, 2016 at 07:10 PM

EB

“ Edwin & Sue Blackstock lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Edwin & Sue Blackstock - January 10, 2016 at 07:08 PM

AB

“ Amy And Brian lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Amy and Brian - January 10, 2016 at 07:03 PM

LR

“ Lisa Reed lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Lisa Reed - January 10, 2016 at 07:02 PM

TW

“ Theresa Worsham lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Theresa Worsham - January 10, 2016 at 06:46 PM

DB

“ Dwayne And Lorie Barley lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Dwayne and Lorie Barley - January 10, 2016 at 06:46 PM

TW

“ Tommy & Myra Walker lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Tommy & Myra Walker - January 10, 2016 at 06:38 PM

KC

“ KYLE AN CARLA lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



KYLE AN CARLA - January 10, 2016 at 06:36 PM

CS

“ Cary Padgett And Sarah Sexton lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Cary Padgett and Sarah Sexton - January 10, 2016 at 06:25 PM

RR

“ Ruth Rice lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Ruth Rice - January 10, 2016 at 06:25 PM

MM

“ Mary Moses-Hicks lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Mary Moses-Hicks - January 10, 2016 at 06:22 PM

PT

“ Pat Tompkins lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



pat tompkins - January 10, 2016 at 06:22 PM

RB

“ Thoughts and Prayers are with Jamie, Ava, Jonathan ,Lib ,and the rest of the family !



Ricky & Evelyn Bell - January 10, 2016 at 06:16 PM

RC

“ Ray And Kay Caldwell lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Ray and Kay Caldwell - January 10, 2016 at 06:16 PM

PW

“ Pam & Eddie Walshaw lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Pam & Eddie Walshaw - January 10, 2016 at 06:14 PM

WV

“ *Willie Seamster & Vicky lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Willie Seamster & Vicky** - January 10, 2016 at 06:12 PM

JW

“ *Janet West lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Janet West** - January 10, 2016 at 06:09 PM

SP

“ *Stephanie Perrow lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Stephanie Perrow** - January 10, 2016 at 05:35 PM

JP

“ *Jennifer Perrow lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



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**Jennifer Perrow** - January 10, 2016 at 05:34 PM

RS

“ Robin Scruggs lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Robin Scruggs - January 10, 2016 at 04:30 PM

AG

“ Angie Garner lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Angie Garner - January 10, 2016 at 04:28 PM

JG

“ J.W, Angie, Ian Garner lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



J.W, Angie, Ian Garner - January 10, 2016 at 04:27 PM

DR

“ Donna Phillips Rader lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.



Donna Phillips Rader - January 10, 2016 at 03:53 PM

DR

*May God be with you! Love and prayers for you all!!*

**Donna Phillips Rader** - January 10, 2016 at 03:54 PM

AG

“ *Andrew And Judy Guthrie lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



**Andrew and Judy Guthrie** - January 10, 2016 at 12:53 PM

FR

“ *May God b with us at this sad time aunt maude passing and now j w god please comfort this family and give them strength*



**faye hammock rudd** - January 10, 2016 at 12:30 PM

CW

“ *Carroll And Gwenda Willard lit a candle in memory of James "J.W." William Kelly, Jr.*



**Carroll and Gwenda Willard** - January 10, 2016 at 11:01 AM

CW

“ *Sorry for your loss.He will be missed. Carroll and Gwenda Willard*

**Carroll and Gwenda Willard** - January 10, 2016 at 09:29 AM