



Jack M. Austin

December 8, 1938 - February 1, 2022

Jack M. Austin, Age 83, of Nashville, TN, passed away on February 1, 2022. Jack is preceded in death by his son, Chester 'Chuck' Austin; parents; Earl Lee Austin of Rich Creek, WV and Ina Louisa Lilly of Welch, WV; sister, Shirley Richardson of Roanoke, VA and brother, Lawrence Wills of Beckley, WV.

Jack is survived by his wife, Marilyn Austin, who he often referred to as his angel; daughter, Deborah St. Clair of Roanoke, VA; three granddaughters; Jennifer, Jessica and Amber; and great grandchildren.

Jack served his country in the US Army, where he worked in communications. He was a graduate of Liberty University in Lynchburg, VA, Shenandoah Baptist College in Roanoke, VA and Western Community College in Roanoke, VA.

He worked for General Electric, Salem's Sherriff Department and pastored Temple Baptist Church in Salem, VA.

All of his life he had a love for music. He owned a recording studio and was part of a Christian music band, touring various churches all over the country. He loved to entertain in the arts of ventriloquism and Christian Illusions.

Visitation will be Monday, February 7 from 11am until service time at 1:30pm at Phillips-Robinson Hadley Chapel, 1700 Hadley Ave in Old Hickory, TN, with a graveside immediately following the service at Hermitage Memorial Gardens at 3pm.

In lieu of flowers, make donations in Jack's name to The Gideons International

at: <https://www.sendtheword.org>

Cemetery Details

Hermitage Memorial Gardens

535 Shute Ln.
Old Hickory, TN 37138

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home - Hadley Chapel
1700 Hadley Ave
Old Hickory, TN 37138
(615) 847-1010
info@phillipsrobinson.com
<https://www.phillipsrobinson.com/>

Funeral Service

FEB 7. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside

FEB 7. 3:00 PM - 3:15 PM (CT)

Hermitage Memorial Gardens
535 Shute Lane Hermitage, TN US
Hermitage, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Jack M. Austin*

October 14, 2022 at 08:02 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jack M. Austin.*



February 06, 2022 at 06:51 PM



“ *To the Jack Austin family,
My thoughts go back about about 30 years or more when I did a
vacation Bible school
at Temple Baptist Church in Salem VA. Where Jack Pastored. Jack
was such an encouragement to my wife Diane and I. He constantly
prayed for us in children's ministry.
He was a great communicator. I was amazed in his gospel illusions
for both old and young
alike. Since he had this gift, I encouraged Jack to get into
ventriloquism, and he got a
Grandpa ventriloquist figure. Jack never met a stranger; he reached
out everyone he met.
Diane and I are praying for your family at this time.
Ron and Diane Lighty*

Ron Lighty - February 02, 2022 at 09:57 PM