



Jerry West

September 26, 1945 - July 9, 2024

Jerry Wayne West, age 78, a resident of Athens, Alabama, passed away on July 9, 2024.

Born on September 26, 1945, in Woodville, Alabama, Jerry was the son of the late John Kimsy West and the late Bessie McAllister West. Jerry was a devoted husband and father. In addition to a long career of banking and owning his own businesses, Jerry used his talents to support his church family at Bethel Church of Christ by serving as an Elder and Treasurer. Jerry also served in the U.S Army Reserve. His greatest joy was spending time with his grandchildren.

Jerry is survived by his wife of 59 years: Peggy Burgess West, his children John (Jessica) West, Elizabeth (William Eric) Downing, sister: Carolyn (James) Black, grandchildren: Lily Claire and William Hudson (Liam) Downing, and Brittany Rasche and many dear cousins, nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Jerry is preceded in death by his brothers: William Loyd, Herman, Leo, Harold, Johnny, and J.C. and sisters: Velma McAllister and Gladys Stoey Mullins

Limestone Chapel in Athens, Alabama has assisted the family with funeral arrangements. A graveside service will be held at Bethel Cemetery in Athens,

Alabama, on Saturday, August 10th, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.

Cemetery Details

Bethel Cemetery

Athens, AL

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Bethel Cemetery
25535 US-72
Athens, AL 35613

Tribute Wall

FD

“ From Bob and Jeannie Downing planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerry West.

From Bob and Jeannie Downing - August 05, 2024 at 05:00 PM

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“ From Bob and Jeannie Downing purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jerry West.



From Bob and Jeannie Downing - August 05, 2024 at 05:00 PM

BC

“ My dear Peggy, I was so surprised to see this on Facebook. I am so sorry for your loss. You and your children will be remembered in my prayers. Sincerely, Billie Burns

Billie Collier - August 05, 2024 at 04:01 PM

RW

“ So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. Prayers for his loving wife and family.
Glenda and Ronald Wall

Ronald and Glenda Wall - July 13, 2024 at 07:02 PM

DF

So so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Peggy.

Dianne Farris - August 06, 2024 at 11:30 AM

TR

“ Tina Randolph lit a candle in memory of Jerry West



Tina Randolph - July 13, 2024 at 05:28 PM

TR

“ So sorry for your loss. I was saddened to hear of Jerry's passing. Praying for comfort for family. Tina Randolph

Tina Randolph - July 13, 2024 at 05:27 PM

BH

“ Jerry was my cousin and childhood friend. We grew up together, and went to school together for 12 years. Sending Peggy my heartfelt condolences.

Brenda Washburn Hicks - July 13, 2024 at 04:51 PM

JM

“ A devoted Christian and we are going to miss him very much. We will see him again on the other side. God bless Peggy and all the family Jimmy and June



Jimmy moody - July 13, 2024 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ So Sorry for your Loss Prayers for the Family 🙏🙏

Patsy Adams - July 12, 2024 at 05:10 PM