



## James 'Jay' Thomas Williams

July 13, 1963 - August 15, 2016

James "Jay" Thomas Williams, Jr., 53, of Mooresville, passed away on Monday, August 15, 2016 at his residence.

He was born on July 13, 1963 in Charlotte, to the late Rebecca Phillips Reyes-Santoro. Jay's greatest joy was his role as a father and spending time with his two sons, Tyler 18 and Justin 16. He was employed with Freightliner Trucks in Cleveland, NC and will definitely be missed by his Freightliner family.

He is survived by his wife, Randi Williams; sons, Tyler Williams, Justin Williams; sisters, Kim Williams, Tammy Hutson; brothers, Frankie Reyes, Stephen Reyes, Mark Reyes; and nieces and nephews, Jeffrey, Ricky, Kyle, Jennifer, Rebecca, Hayden, Emily, Logan, and Joshua.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, August 18 from 4:30-6:00 PM with a memorial service following at 6:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, is serving the Williams family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *James 'Jay' Thomas Williams*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *James 'Jay' Thomas Williams*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *James 'Jay' Thomas Williams*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *He will be forever in our hearts and in our memories. Our thoughts and Prayers for his family specially those 2 boys Tyler & Justin our heart breaks for you having to grow up without your dad but he will always be watching over you.*

**Bo Bohanon** - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Randi, Tyler and Justin so sorry for the loss of Jay. You all are in my thoughts and prayers! Anything you guys need I am here for you!*

**Angie Wally** - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Randi, Tyler and Justin. My family and I will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless*

**Doug Clifton** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Randi, Tyler and Justin. My Family and I will keep you in prayer. Please know that we are here if you need us for anything. God bless*

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**David Connor** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jay helped coach my son Sam for a couple of years. I don't know much about baseball, so I leaned on Jay to show Sam the right way. He was always friendly and stuck out to me as a wonderful father. I'm sorry for other kids that won't get to know Jay. But I'm sure his sons will carry on where their dad left off. Peace to his family. Y'all are in our prayers. Chris Montgomery*

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August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *No words can ease the pain but may knowing thoughts and prayers are with you give you strength now and in the days ahead. Lean on each other and your friends and family. We are here to support you. Love you!*

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**Denise Watson** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *I am so sorry for your loss he will truly be missed. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Crystal Miller** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We know what you are going through is difficult, just know that we are here for you. We're truly sorry for your loss. Please accept our condolences and know that if there is ever anything that we can do for you, please do not hesitate to call.

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**The Shipp Family** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ When a person departs from this earth they never truly leave for they are still alive in our hearts and minds. And through us, they live on. Your basketball family mourns your loss and is always here when need us.

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**The Carolina Heat** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Jay was a good friend. We always joked around with each other, making each other laugh. I will truly miss him.

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**Keith Stewart** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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*Chuck Rabon,*

*Salisbury, North Carolina*

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**Chuck Rabon** - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Dear Randi, Justin and Tyler, I was so sorry to learn about Jay's passing. May the love and friendship of your family and friends be with you and give you comfort and strength in the days ahead. You are all in my prayers.

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**Kathy Brewer** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ Randi, Tyler, Justin and the Williams and Reyes family, Our thoughts and prayers are with everyone at this time. Jay will always be remembered by the lives he touched.

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**Peggy and Don Wark** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Jay, I will cherish our phone call we had just last month, catching up on the past 40 years. Your kind words really touched my heart. To your son's, Tyler and Justin whom you loved to know end and to your whole extended family especially Tammy, you will all be in my thoughts and prayers. J, I know your up in haven with our father resting in peace for eternity or at least until I make my trip up there. lol! So until then my friend RIP! Your friend forever!

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**Steven Michaels** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ Randi, Tyler and Justin I'm so sorry for your great loss. I know it's such a huge shock and know I'm sending my thoughts and prayers. I will always cherish all the youth baseball games we all attended and Jay will be sorely missed. Let me know if I can help you all!

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**Mark Elam** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *The Hobbs family is very sorry to hear of your loss and extend our heartfelt prayers to family and friends. RIP Jay...til we all meet again.*

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**Leila Hobbs** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ *We will never know or understand the things that happen in life. Randi, Tyler and Justin - I am thinking and praying for you all. I am and will be here for you. Jay had the most contagious smile and loved you boys more than anything! Love and God Bless you.*

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**Susan Nation-Doyle** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *So sorry to hear about your loss. Thoughts and prayers go out to Randi and Tyler and Justin during this time. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for the family.*

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**Michelle Miller** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Randi, Tyler and Justin, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family at this time. Your extended family is always with you. God bless*

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**Stephanie Brown** - August 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM