



Mr. James Alvin "J.A." Sharp

April 27, 1948 - February 3, 2026

James Alvin "J.A." Sharp passed away on Tuesday, February 3, 2026.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 7, 2026, at Scottsboro Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation will begin at 10:00am, with celebration of life to follow at 12:00pm. Jim Flowers and Aaron Andrews will officiate and interment will follow at Pinehaven Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Sharp is survived by his wife, Ann Flaherty Sharp; two children, Jim (Elizabeth) Sharp and Amy (Adam) Sharp Kaufhold; three grandchildren, Lucy Sharp and Harper and Canon Kaufhold; two brothers, Roger (Paula) Sharp and Albert (Connie) Sharp; one brother-in-law, Cecil Pounders; several nieces and nephews; and Jill Clevenger, dear friend and loving caregiver.

Mr. Sharp was preceded in death by his parents, James Wesley Sharp and Ruby Martin Sharp; two sisters, Sandra Sharp Pounders and Marie Sharp Kiser; and brother-in-law Larry Kiser.

J.A., as he was known by all who loved him, was born April 27, 1948, in Lauderdale County, Alabama. He graduated from Central High School in 1966. He then went on to earn a bachelor's degree in Animal Science from Auburn University, and a master's degree in Agribusiness from Alabama A&M University. J.A. was drafted into the United States Army in May of 1970, and

served for two years.

J.A. was a farmer and cattleman and served the agriculture communities of Jackson County and the State of Alabama for over 50 years. J.A.'s faith was also very important to him and he was an active member of the Church of Christ. Friends and family will remember J.A. for his quiet demeanor, his hard work, and his faithful servant heart.

Memorial donations may be made to a scholarship fund for a student whose parent is a member of the Jackson County Cattlemen's Association.

Donations may be sent via PayPal @ jim@w4lnx.us or Venmo @w4lnx.

Arrangements Entrusted to Scottsboro Funeral Home

Cemetery Details

Pinehaven Memorial Gardens

28615 US Highway 72 E
Hollywood, AL 35752
(256) 574-4163

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Scottsboro Funeral Home
1502 County Park Road
Scottsboro, AL 35769
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Funeral Service

FEB 7. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Jim - Bobbi and I pray for you, your family and your father at this difficult time. Your father was a wonderful gentleman. We will all be together again one day with Jesus.

Charles Deling - February 11 at 10:07 AM

JP

“ Ann, Jim & Amy , so sorry to hear of J A's passing. I wasn't aware of his illness. You know we were special friends. Never thought I would know someone who could out talk me, but he could. I really loved and thought the world of J A. We are praying for God's peace and comfort to you all. Joe & Lynn Potter

Joe & Lynn Potter - February 06 at 03:15 PM

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“ So very sorry for your loss. Mr. Sharp was a loving dad and a strong Christian man. He loved his family so very much. You all will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Sherry Crafton - February 05 at 08:22 PM