



Jimmy Dale Jarvis Sr.

September 28, 1951 - May 19, 2025

Jimmy Dale Jarvis Sr. was truly a force of nature—a strong-willed, big-hearted man whose presence filled every room he entered. Born on September 28, 1951, he lived a full life until his passing on May 19, 2025. He was a good man in every sense of the word, known for his deep love of life and unwavering devotion to those he held dear. Jimmy cherished his family and shared a special, loving bond with his partner, Lois. Together, they built a life full of laughter, love, and companionship.

Jimmy had a one-of-a-kind sense of humor. He was a legendary cut-up and jokester, always ready with a witty remark or playful prank that could brighten even the darkest day. His laughter was contagious, and his spirited nature left a lasting mark on everyone who knew him.

He found great joy in attending church and growing in his faith. Jimmy also had a green thumb and took pride in tending to his flowers, finding peace in caring for them. His yard was a reflection of the care and attention he gave to the things—and people—he loved.

A talented and hardworking self-employed mechanic, Jimmy could often be found under the hood of a car, doing what he loved. He was known throughout the area as the “Jeep Man,” and had a special fondness for square body trucks. His mechanical skills were matched only by his willingness to help

others, always ready to lend a hand or share his knowledge.

Jimmy had an ornery streak and a determination that meant he usually got his way—but always with a smile and a laugh. He had a favorite nephew, Jason Jarvis, who many say carries his same spark, humor, and heart. Of all those who will miss him, his granddaughter Kyleigh feels the loss most deeply. She was the light of his life, and the bond they shared was irreplaceable.

Jimmy is survived by his son, Jimmy Dale Jarvis Jr. and his three children, Jimmy Dale Jarvis III, Laney Jarvis, Allie Jarvis; three siblings, Junior, Dot, and John Wayne; 11 other grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and extended family who will always cherish his memory.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Anderson Jarvis and Dora Blevins Jarvis; and five siblings: David, Donnie, Joyce, Betty, and Lynn.

Jimmy Dale Jarvis Sr. leaves behind a legacy of love, laughter, hard work, and faith. He will be missed more than words can say, but his memory will live on in the stories, smiles, and hearts of all who knew and loved him.

A memorial service honoring Jimmy Dale Jarvis Sr., will be held on Saturday, May 24, 2025, at 2:00 PM at Watkins-Casteel Cemetery, located on Highway 490 in East Bernstadt, Kentucky. Family and friends are invited to gather in remembrance and celebration of his life. The family has entrusted House-Rawlings Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY **24**. 2:00 PM.

Watkins-Casteel Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jimmy Dale Jarvis Sr..*



May 23, 2025 at 08:26 AM



“ *We will miss Jim so much .
Roger and Joyce*

Joyce Osborne - May 21, 2025 at 05:38 PM



Jim you will be missed

DannyHuff - May 21, 2025 at 09:40 PM



Jim from the First to the Last you Never Skipped A Beat. Rest Now 😊

Karen Williams - May 23, 2025 at 06:28 AM