



## Chad Garrett Dearing

September 1, 1979 - April 15, 2024

It is with great sadness to announce that Chad Garrett Dearing of Kingston, TN, passed away Monday, April 15th. Chad was born to James Dearing (Talbot, TN) and Peggy Adkins, (Rockwood, TN) on September 1, 1979. Chad graduated from Bearden High School and Spartan College of Aeronautics and Technology.

He is preceded in death by his grandmother Imogene Bullion, (Grany B), grandfather J.C. Dearing, (Papaw J.C.), Uncle Gene Bullion, cousins Jeremy Brooks and Travis Vineyard.

Chad is survived by his fiancé Chrissy Carroll, sons Major Carroll, unborn baby Lincoln, father James (Tami) Dearing, mother Peggy (Phillip) Adkins, brother Clint Dearing, grandmother Dot Dearing, aunts Diane (Bobby) Cupp, Beverly Bullion, Rita Vineyard, Carol Brooks Jenkins, uncle John Dearing, and many cousins.

The family will have a private service. Please remember Chad's family in your prayers. The care of Chad Dearing and his family has been entrusted to the staff of Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston.

# Tribute Wall

RH

“ I knew Chad when he was in Tulsa for mechanical school. He was a character. He used to make us all laugh. We used to drag race up and down Memorial. I have lots of pictures of those times. Praying for his family.

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**Rachel Hunter** - May 02 at 12:27 AM

CL

“Everyday of our lives even throughout high school we were unseperable. You were not only my only brother , but also my best friend. When our relationship turned to a silent one and out of sight out of mind. The only thing that kept me going and making me push myself to go to work and try my best to do the right thing was the hope of us repairing our relationship and once again being as close as we always were. We were all each other had most minutes, hours, days, weeks, months, and years. I just wanted you to be proud of me again and I really tried to be the best version of myself, but for some reason as you already know I always come up a day late and a dollar short. I can't even explain to you the feeling I had in my heart and soul when I was the last one to find out out you'd already been missing for an entire week and I was just finding out. I can honestly say Bro that when I heard you were up there at the hand of God all I wanted to do was follow suit. I didn't want anything to do with continuing on without being able to see my baby brother again. The only thing that changed my mind besides the the love of my life was seeing your Boy and holding him in my arms and just knowing one day he is going to come looking for his uncle Cletus and his Aunt Barbara Anne. I would give up anything if you could just hold Lincoln in your arms for the first time. You would've been so great for him Chad. I would also give up anything for you to be able to meet my wife bro. She saved my life and is by far my angel and purpose in life. She is the only woman who loves me for me , unconditionally. I miss you so very much, you have no idea. We pray for you everyday and already know God's using you. I just wanted to let you know how very much you are missed and also how loved you are. Just please don't talk back to Granny B up there, because we both know what happened last time you did that. I'm writing this because you have really been on my mind for the past couple days. I Love you so much brother man, and I can't wait to see you again.

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Clint - January 11 at 02:32 AM

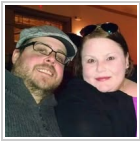
JD

“ Bro', I love you sooo much! Life is not the same with you gone. I hope you are getting the rest and peace that you've always wanted. I wish you were here to see how beautiful your son is. You'll forever be a part of me. I love you sooo much,

*Cletus*

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**James Clinton Dearing** - September 01, 2025 at 02:26 PM



“ Chad and I had a class together called intro to health careers. He became a great friend. He took care of my hvac multiple times. There was no one I trusted more. I'm sad to find out that he passed He will be forever missed. Love ya Chad rest in peace!

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**Jenny Sturgill Gibson** - August 02, 2025 at 12:10 PM

PA

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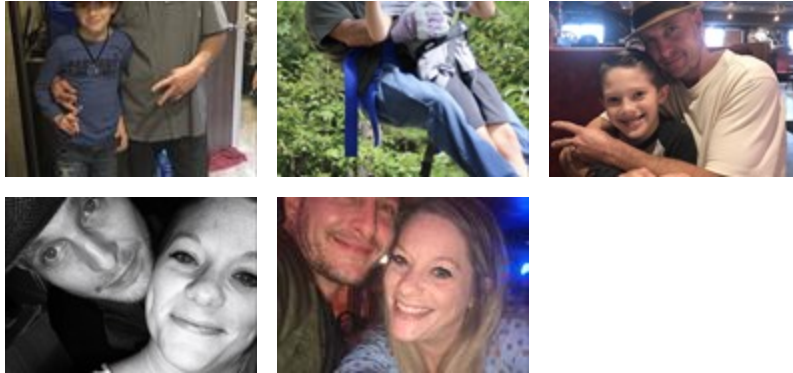


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**Peggy Adkins** - April 29, 2024 at 12:06 AM

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Chrissy Carroll - April 28, 2024 at 01:03 PM

BB

“ Brenda Bradley lit a candle in memory of Chad Garrett Dearing



Brenda Bradley - April 24, 2024 at 11:57 AM

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Brenda Bradley - April 24, 2024 at 11:59 AM

AS

“ I have know Chad since he was 15 years old. He always knew how to make people feel good and have a good time whenever he was around you. There are so many things i remember about him. I hope you are at peace now. Forever missed. Ashley

Ashley - April 23, 2024 at 12:20 PM



“ *Prayers for peace and comfort for your hearts*

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**loretta adkins** - April 20, 2024 at 11:06 AM