



Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett

February 22, 1944 - January 11, 2025

Reynald James Charles Pickett was born in Sydney Australia 02/22/1944 to the parents of Charles Pickett and Margaret Siler. He is survived by his siblings Charles Pickett of Harrisburg NC, Ronald Siler of Camp Hill PA, Gloria Sipe of Harrisburg PA, Eric Siler of Etters PA, and Lisa Siler of Camp Hill PA, his children, William Edward Pickett of Arab AL, Cambron Heith Pickett of Arab AL, Heather Jossie Pickett of Boaz AL his grandchildren Jenifer L. Gray of Union Grove AL, Robert K. Pickett of Huntsville AL, and Justin C. Parsons of Arab AL, and 9 great-grandchildren. Reynald was better known as Jim Pickett. He was preceded in death by his wife Joyce F. Cambron and first son, Reynald James Charles "Chuck" Pickett 2nd. Jim joined the United States Army in 1962 and served in Vietnam as a Helicopter gunship pilot. He then joined Marshall County Sheriff's Department in 1975. He retired from the United States Army at the rank of Major. He then retired in 2006 as the Chief Deputy with 33 years of service. While Jim worked with the Sheriff's Department, he became well known for his talents at gun smithing and leather crafting. He also enjoyed restoring classic cars with his brother Ron along with many miscellaneous projects. Jim was a committed law-enforcement officer and always strived to advance professionalism and service to the public. Jim died 01/10/2025 at 11:18 P.M. with family by his side. The family will receive friends at Carr Funeral Home on Saturday January 18, 2025, from 11 AM until the time of service. The Memorial Service will begin at 12 PM with Honors.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Carr Funeral Home
1960 O'Brig Avenue
Guntersville, AL 35976
(256) 582-3411

Memorial Service

JAN 18. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CB

“ Jim and I were partners as Deputies with the Marshall County Sheriff's Department. Over a little more than two years (77-79) we shared adventures that served as a foundation for a friendship that has lasted all these years. I treasured my relationship with Jim and Joyce and I stayed in touch with them after I left Guntersville and the SO in late '79. I was honored to serve with him in the SO (Sheriffs Office) and admired him tremendously. Courageous, cool under pressure, extremely smart and perceptive and a gifted leader. In spite of the relatively short time we were patrolling partners, I learned volumes working at his side. Those lessons led to my being promoted to Investigator before I left to continue college and pursue a continued career in law enforcement. I am very saddened to learn of Jim's passing, especially since I missed the opportunity to attend any of the services that honored him. I would have been there. I send my condolences and affection.

Charles 'Charlie' Brown
Clayton, NC
kimberman@icloud.com

Charles 'Charlie' Brown - January 24, 2025 at 05:01 PM

DM

“ Dean Mashburn lit a candle in memory of Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett



Dean Mashburn - January 18, 2025 at 10:11 PM

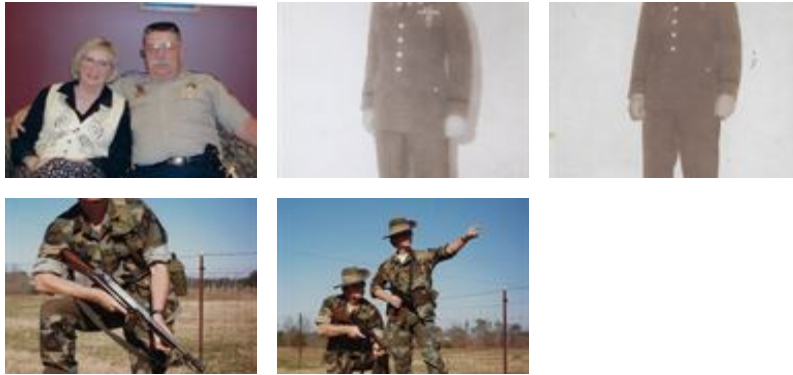
DM

“ I was just thinking the other day of going by and seeing him I thought the world of Jim he was always respectful to me one of the few who worked for Rex Smiley at the time.... I never saw him disrespect anyone didn't matter which side of the law you were on.... I always called him Captain Pickett I sure thought a lot of that man my prayers go out to the family and all who knew him rest in peace my friend

Dean Mashburn - January 18, 2025 at 10:09 PM



“ 7 files added to the album Life Tributes



Carr Funeral Home Guntersville - January 18, 2025 at 12:29 PM

TN

“ The Siler Siblings & Nieces planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett.

The Siler Siblings & Nieces - January 17, 2025 at 07:21 AM

TN

“ *The Siler Siblings & Nieces purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett.*



The Siler Siblings & Nieces - January 17, 2025 at 07:21 AM

CS

“ *So very sorry for your loss. Prayer*

Carl and Peggy Brooks Saint - January 16, 2025 at 02:04 PM

YF

“ *Your GEI Auto & Tire family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett.*



Your GEI Auto & Tire family - January 15, 2025 at 01:23 PM

DD

“ *So sorry for the passing of Jim, a great loss. Praying for the family.*
Dola Dyson

Dola Dyson - January 15, 2025 at 08:53 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. (Jim) Reynald James Charles Pickett.*



January 14, 2025 at 04:47 PM

DB

“ *My condolences to all the family. May he RIP.*

Doris Brazelton - January 13, 2025 at 12:42 PM

DH

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. May he rest in peace. Della*

Della Hocey - January 12, 2025 at 08:48 PM