



## James Ray Lucas

November 4, 1932 - November 21, 2018

James Ray Lucas, 86, of Jonesville, VA passed away on Wednesday, November 21, 2018 at his residence.

Ray was born on November 4, 1932 to the late Roy and Estelle Snodgrass Lucas. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife of 29 years, Wilma Alder Lucas.

He served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He delivered dairy products for Hillcrest Dairy, was a manager at Cas Walker Supermarket, and was a co-owner and operator of Way-Lo Supermarket and Lee Packing Company. Ray retired at the age of 83 from Food City as a bag boy.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Hobbs Shuler Lucas; daughter, Vickie Lucas Roberts; two grandsons, Jonathan Roberts and wife Amanda, and Travis Moore and wife Nikki; the apples of his eyes, two great-granddaughters, MacKenzie Kay Moore and Maddison Raye Moore; two honorary great-grandsons, Liam and Kaceton Wray; two step-sons, Allen Shuler and wife Sheila, and Robert Shuler and wife Sheila; four step-grandchildren, Dawn Bailey and husband Neal, Trey Shuler, Gary Shuler and Max Shuler; three step-great-grandchildren, Nathan Bailey, Brook Bailey and Warner Shuler; and a host of cousins and good friends.

The family will receive friends from 6 until 8:00 p.m. Sunday, November 25, at Robinette Funeral Home in Jonesville. The funeral service will follow at 8:00 p.m. with Rev. Bill Rines officiating. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, November 26, at Lee Memorial Gardens in Woodway. Everyone is asked to meet at the funeral home by 10:30 a.m. to travel in procession to the cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Gary Shuler, Max Shuler, Nathan Bailey, Dana Hobbs, Trey Shuler and Robert Shuler. Honorary pallbearers will be Allen Shuler and Elton Hobbs.

# Cemetery Details

## Lee Memorial Gardens

1986 Hickory Cir Rd  
Pennington Gap, VA 24277  
(276) 546-2523

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Jonesville)  
146 Maple Drive  
P.O. Box 238  
Jonesville, VA 24263  
(276) 346-1196

## Funeral Service

NOV **25**. 8:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Jonesville)  
146 Maple Drive  
P.O. Box 238  
Jonesville, VA 24263  
(276) 346-1196

## Graveside service

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NOV **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Lee Memorial Gardens  
1986 Hickory Cir Rd  
Pennington Gap, VA 24277  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *James Ray Lucas*

October 05, 2023 at 07:31 PM



“ *JANET HAYS lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



**JANET HAYS** - December 17, 2018 at 09:51 AM



*We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Ray. Blessing and condolences to the family!  
Janet and Chip Hays*

**JANET HAYS** - December 17, 2018 at 09:55 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of this. Always looked forward to Rays smile. He was always friendly when we went to Food City. Such a gentle soul. Ray was the same every time you seen him. Remember going to his house when him and his wife raised hogs... He will be missed. Prayers for the family.  
With kindest regards,  
Linda Kinser and Nikki Gilbert*

**Linda** - November 28, 2018 at 09:55 AM

AO

“ DEAR FAMILY,SO SORRY WE DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THIS UNTIL MON.AM...HOYE AND RAY WERE GOOD FRIENDS..I KNOW BOB IS GOINNG TO BE VERY SORRY BECAUSE HE WAS HOME AND WENT BACK LAST NIGHT AND DID NOT KNOW IT..THEN THERE IS MY DEAR FAMILY (SHEILA AND BOB AND THE BOYS) I AM SO SORRY....BUT I WILL GET IN CONTACT WITH THEM SOON....AGAIN...SO SORRY..And dear!!linda..please know we care and did not know...the osbornes...

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**ADA OSBORNE** - November 26, 2018 at 10:15 AM

DP

“ Doris Presley lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



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**Doris Presley** - November 26, 2018 at 08:55 AM

BW

“ Bill And Irene Whittimore lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



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**Bill and Irene Whittimore** - November 26, 2018 at 12:25 AM

AS

“ *New Ray a long time,always had a smile,was a good man and friend*



**Aubrey Stapleton** - November 25, 2018 at 11:13 PM

WR

“ *I always enjoyed seeing him at Food City. He was always so friendly and helpful. Miss seeing his warm, welcoming smile. Prayers for his family.*

**Wanda Rogers** - November 25, 2018 at 08:49 PM

MC

“ *I'm so sorry. Prayers for the family.*



**Mary Lou Clontz** - November 25, 2018 at 05:30 PM

VM

“ *Vickie McElyea sent a virtual gift in memory of James Ray Lucas*



**Vickie McElyea** - November 25, 2018 at 01:27 PM

RM

*The Lord bless you and keep the family!! May he show his face to you in this time of need. May he give you peace and comfort in this hour. The Lord Bless you and your family! Prayers and thoughts to you .Linda, Neil, Dawn, Nathan, Brooke, and others*

Randy/Vicky/Preston McElyea - November 25, 2018 at 01:35 PM

AR

“ Audrey Ramey lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Audrey Ramey - November 24, 2018 at 09:37 PM

Nancy Garrett

“ Nancy Garrett lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Nancy Garrett - November 24, 2018 at 08:42 PM

BH

“ Bob And Sammie Horton lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Bob and Sammie Horton - November 24, 2018 at 08:07 PM

MJ

“ Margaret Jones lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Margaret Jones - November 24, 2018 at 06:40 PM

DS

“ Danny Sweeney lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Danny Sweeney - November 24, 2018 at 05:48 PM

JC

“ Judy Cody lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Judy Cody - November 24, 2018 at 05:46 PM

BC

“ Bill & Judy Cody lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Bill & Judy Cody - November 24, 2018 at 04:45 PM

DR

“ *Diana Robbins lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



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**Diana Robbins** - November 24, 2018 at 02:01 PM

JC

“ *JBruce Catron lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



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**JBruce Catron** - November 24, 2018 at 12:18 PM

KB

“ *Ray was a great, kind and caring man. He loved his family and never met a stranger. We love you and will miss you so much. Fly high!!*

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**Kelly Baker** - November 24, 2018 at 11:00 AM

JW

“ *Jimmy Williams lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



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**Jimmy Williams** - November 24, 2018 at 10:21 AM

KB

“ *Rest In Peace. Love and miss you*



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**Kelly Baker** - November 24, 2018 at 10:01 AM

PM

“ *Pat Morrison lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



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**Pat Morrison** - November 24, 2018 at 08:24 AM

FM

“ *Fred Marion lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas*



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**Fred Marion** - November 24, 2018 at 02:03 AM

BR

*Remembering Ray  
Beverly Ringley*

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**Beverly Ringley** - November 24, 2018 at 10:29 AM

RF

“ Ray lived up to his name, for he was always a ray of light. Always smiling and willing to strike up a conversation with any that were willing. The community there will be changed forever with his passing. May God bless his loved ones who mourn his passings.

Rusty Fitzpatrick - November 23, 2018 at 08:10 PM

GH

“ Gina Kirk Hensberger lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Gina Kirk Hensberger - November 23, 2018 at 03:29 PM

SH

“ I knowed Ray for years working at all the stores. So sorry to hear this . Prayers for your family.

Sue Haynes - November 23, 2018 at 02:48 PM

BA

“ Bill & Tinker Anderson lit a candle in memory of James Ray Lucas



Bill & Tinker Anderson - November 23, 2018 at 01:14 PM