



CM3 Jimmy Nathan Cherry

March 16, 2026

CM3 Jimmy Nathan Cherry, a resident of Prattville, AL passed away on Monday, March 16, 2026, at the age of 78. Celebration of Life services will be held on Saturday, March 21, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. from the chapel of Brookside Funeral Home with Elder John Burkett officiating. Military Honors will immediately follow the funeral service. Jimmy was born on June 24, 1947, in Dothan, AL to Carl Cherry and Polly Ann Cherry. Jimmy was a distinguished veteran and proud patriot who spent 2 years, 4 months of active service in Vietnam as a Navy Seabee. He was a member and a Deacon of Montgomery Primitive Baptist Church. He worked for Southern Bell telephone company until his retirement. Jimmy was preceded in death by his parents Carl Cherry, Polly Ann Glassburn and stepfather Melvin Glassburn and son, Jimmy Earl Cherry. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife Velma Ann Cherry, daughter Michelle Cherry Law (Jason), sister Joy Housch, his grandchildren Kyle Cherry (Gracie), Chase Law, Great-granddaughter Alaina Cherry. The family will receive friends on Saturday, March 21, 2026, from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home. Brookside Funeral Home, Crematorium & Memorial Gardens of Millbrook, AL directing.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Brookside Funeral Home
3360 Brookside Dr
Millbrook, AL 36054
(334) 285-7442
<http://www.brooksidefuneralhomeal.com>

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Brookside Funeral Home - March 21 at 11:31 AM

DN

I am so sorry to hear about Jimmy. He was always so nice to Curtis and me.

Dianne Norris - March 21 at 10:33 PM

HD

I loved me some Mr Cherry ❤️❤️ I met Mr Cherry way back when he worked for the phone company. He retired and I moved on to work at Chappy's Deli, that's where we met again. Mr & Mrs Cherry became regular customer and would ask for me to take care of them. It's always a pleasure to see them all most everyday. Mr Cherry was a wonderful man a loving person. I could go on and on about him, I'm going to miss him so very much. Rest easy my friend and I will meet you again 💔

Hazel Donaldson - March 22 at 01:30 PM

ZD

Such a good man. Love you brother Jimmy. You'll be missed.

Zach Davis - April 03 at 04:00 AM

CS

“ Worked with Jimmy years ago with phone company. He was always nice and helpful. He was always good to work with. Sorry for your loss.



Carlene Strahan - March 20 at 08:00 PM

RW

“ Velma, I am so sorry will not be able to attend the services. Jimmy was a dear friend and totally enjoyed working with Jimmy. He was a class act and wonderful person. Robert Williams

Robert Williams - March 20 at 04:20 PM

BJ

“ I DO NOT HAVE THE WORDS TO EXPRESS HOW I FEEL ABOUT JIMMY. HE VISITED ME IN THE HOSPITAL AND AT HOME WHEN I WAS SICK. WE KEPT IN CONTACT OVER THE YEARS. I CAN STILL HEAR THAT VOICE AND SEE THAT SMILE. I LOVE YOU MY FIRST COUSIN. WE WILL MEET AGAIN WITH JIMMY EARL AND JESUS, UNTIL THEN I HAVE TO STAY HERE A LITTLE LONGER.

BRUCE JONES - March 20 at 01:10 PM

DC

“ *Mr. Cherry was such a wonderful man. He was always so kind to me at Chappy's. Well he was kind to all of us there! Many years ago before Mrs. Velma lost her sight, they let me borrow these sweet questions that you ask your spouse on a date. I loved hearing the answers they had for each other too. He was so proud of his children and grandchildren. He loved Mrs. Velma so much!! He loved Jesus and his family as much as I think a man could possibly love. Such a wonderful person!*

Delisha Corbitt - March 19 at 03:37 PM

WF

“ *Woodie & Victoria Fritz purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of CM3 Jimmy Nathan Cherry.*



Woodie & Victoria Fritz - March 19 at 10:31 AM