



Mr. Zachary James Scruggs

November 1, 1958 - May 13, 2025

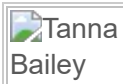
Zachary Scruggs, 66, of Chattanooga, passed away Tuesday, May 13, 2025, in a local healthcare facility. Mr. Zachary Scruggs was born November 1, 1958, in Chattanooga, TN, to Willie James Scruggs (Bobby Bates) and Diane Hardy. He was educated in the Chattanooga School system and was a student at Howard High School, where he participated in various school activities and made many lifelong friends. He was a member of Rock of Salvation Church, where he was an honorary deacon. Zachary had various employment ventures. He was a Supervisor at Standard Coosa Thatcher, where he met his lifelong partner, Janet Sales. He was also a counselor at Orange Grove, but his passion was for fixing broken things. Zachary was the founder of Scruggs Home Improvement, where he worked diligently in the City of Chattanooga as a carpenter.

Among those who preceded Zachary in death included his mother, Diane Myree; father, Willie James Scruggs (Bobby Bates); lifelong partner, Janet Sales; sister, Michelle Myree; aunt, Lizzie Kate Tillman. Zachary passed away on May 13, 2025, at Standifer Place under Adoration Hospice Care. Those left to cherish his memories include his daughter, Jasmine (Robert) Clark; grandchildren, Alex Stone and Riyah Clark, of Chattanooga; sisters, Lizzie Scruggs, of Philadelphia, PA, Annette Moore, of Tallassee, AL, and Sabrina Scruggs and Jacqueline (Jackie) Myree, both of Chattanooga; brothers, Clarence Myree and Leonard (Lebron) Myree, both of Chattanooga; aunt,

Sabrina Cranford, of Cleveland, OH; nieces and nephews, Terry Scruggs, Paulette Scruggs, Maurico Sanders, Martresa Scruggs (Martrel Usher), MarKiesha Sanders, Maurice Sanders Jr., Ferris Witcher, Whitley Witcher, Chyna Myree-Dave, Diana Hampton of Atlanta Ga, Greg Hampton, William Daniel, Katoura Myree, Shakera Myree, Alexis Myree, Antwon Myree, Zachariah Myree, Tobias Myree, Jeffery Sparks, Laquandra Mcleod, Javonte Mcleod, Charles Scruggs, and Kentrel Usher; a host of relatives and friends.

Zachary will lie-in-state on Sunday, May 25, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will follow in the chapel at 2:00 p.m. with Apostle William McGee as the Eulogist.

Tribute Wall



“ *Tanna Bailey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs*



Tanna Bailey - May 24, 2025 at 06:50 AM

FH

“ *My prayers goes out to the family Zachary an I were high school classmates very funny an nice he an my sister Dorothy who as well has passed they were very good friends to my friend you will be Missed RIH my friend*

Fannie Hill - May 24, 2025 at 02:45 AM

TD

“ *You were a cool guy cuz always kept me and my wife laughing when we talked. You will be missed RIH!!!!💙💙 Tre and Sharonda Davis*



Trenton Davis - May 23, 2025 at 06:03 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs.*



May 23, 2025 at 09:32 AM

VT

“ *Vivian L Townsend lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs*



Vivian L Townsend - May 22, 2025 at 07:42 PM

FD

“ *My Condolences to the Family. My friend you will be missed. Rest In Peace.*

Fred Doss - May 22, 2025 at 04:15 PM

AC

“ *My condolences, Zach I miss you already.*



April Arnold Zacks cousin - May 21, 2025 at 06:09 AM

TS

“ *Lord have mercy I have known Zach about all my life. So sorry to hear about his passing.*

Tina Westfield (Fred's sister) - May 20, 2025 at 07:12 PM

MP

“ *Margie Penn lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs*



Margie Penn - May 17, 2025 at 02:53 PM

RM

“ *Robbie And Barbara Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs*



Robbie and Barbara Marshall - May 16, 2025 at 11:41 AM

CW

“ *Connie Williamson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zachary James Scruggs*



connie williamson - May 13, 2025 at 08:05 PM