



Tony Karnes

July 30, 1981 - February 28, 2020

Aaron “Tony” Karnes was born on July 30, 1981 in Chattanooga, TN and went to be with his Lord on Friday, February 28, 2020, at his home in Graysville, TN at age 38.

Tony loved nature and all of God’s creatures, most of all his family and caring for his cat Blue. He was a supporter of St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital and never ever thought twice about helping someone in need. Tony graduated from Chattanooga State Community College with an associate of science degree. He was employed in his family’s business.

Survivors include his parents, Tony and Kathy (Langston) Karnes of Graysville, TN; his sister, Angela Karnes of Hixson, TN; grandparents, Allen and Meda Langston of Graysville, TN; grandmother, Clara Wells of Columbia, TN; uncle, Randy Langston of Graysville, TN; aunt, Sandra Lower of Murfreesboro, TN; and many cousins.

He was preceded in death by great-grandmother, Violet Wilson; great-grandmother, Trennie Sims; and uncle Chuck Karnes.

No parent has ever been as lucky or blessed to have a son like Tony. Although we are separated now for a while, we will be reunited someday in Heaven, forever with him. Tony will never see another cloudy day. “And there

shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither the light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light; and they shall reign forever and ever".
(Revelation 22:5)

Funeral services for Tony will be held Friday afternoon, March 6, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Milton Knox officiating. He will be laid to rest in Rhea Memory Gardens.

Please share your memories of Tony on his online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by the Vanderwall Funeral Home where they will receive friends Friday after 12:00 noon.

Cemetery Details

Rhea Memory Gardens

Highway 27 Bypass P.O. Box 148
Dayton, TN 37321
(423) 775-2662

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)


Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc.
164 Maple St.
Dayton, TN 37321
(423) 775-2662
tvan193@aol.com

Service

MAR 6. 4:00 PM (ET)

Vanderwall Funeral Home
164 Maple Street
Dayton, TN

Tribute Wall

 Julie Barger

“ *Julie Barger lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Julie Barger - October 17, 2020 at 11:07 AM

 Shea Barger

“ *Shea Barger lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Shea Barger - June 28, 2020 at 11:15 PM

 Julie Barger

“ *Julie Barger lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Julie Barger - April 09, 2020 at 03:56 PM

SB

“ *Shea Barger lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Shea Barger - April 07, 2020 at 01:11 PM

Shea
Barger

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Shea Barger - March 31, 2020 at 10:56 AM

Shea
Barger

Tony and I shared a love of all music, but especially Pink Floyd. We didn't get the opportunity to hang out anywhere near as much as I wish we had. I do regret that. I am thankful though that we got the opportunity to see Roger Waters together. I think he had a great time that night. I know Jody and I did. Dude I think about you everyday, but I know you are doing much better where you are. People say "well see them again one day". I think it's just something they say because they don't know what else to say, but I really do believe that day will happen. If we don't have that hope, then we have nothing. Love you man

Shea Barger - March 31, 2020 at 11:14 AM

AK

“ Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes



Angela Karnes - March 26, 2020 at 09:10 AM

AK

“ Tony,
I hate it you spent the last several months of your life single. Even though you were single, you were never alone nor unloved. We all know there were things in life you would have loved to experience. For one, a girlfriend or wife who would love you and be there for you, not play pretend and ultimately betray you. But, it wasn't so and you spent the last several months of your life at home with us day in and day out without that special someone, betrayed by those who should have stood up for you. How quickly “memory faded” as I remember you saying. But know, you are loved by us, your family, who never left your side and stand ready to protect and cherish your memory with TRUTH. We love you, not in words but in actions, and we always will.
Love,
Your sister

Angela Karnes - March 25, 2020 at 06:23 PM

AK

“ *I love you Baby T. We'll be there with you soon enough. It won't be long. Heaven's going to be great. Until then, I'll be taking care of your business and Mama and Daddy, and Blue. We love you more than words can say, and we rest in knowing that you know just how much you are loved. Death doesn't change that. Until that day,*
Love, Baby E.

Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 08:17 PM

AK

“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 08:15 PM

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“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 08:13 PM

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“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 08:10 PM

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“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 08:08 PM

AK

“ *I love you Baby T. We'll be there with you soon enough. It won't be long. Heaven's going to be great. Until then, I'll be taking care of your business and Mama and Daddy, and Blue. We love you more than words can say, and we rest in knowing that you know just how much you are loved. Death doesn't change that. Until that day, Love, Baby E.*

Angela Karnes - March 19, 2020 at 10:02 AM

AK

“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 07:31 PM

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Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 05:37 PM

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Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 05:36 PM

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Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 04:34 PM

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Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 04:28 PM

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Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 04:27 PM

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“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 17, 2020 at 04:25 PM

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“ *Angela Karnes lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Angela Karnes - March 10, 2020 at 03:32 PM

AK

“ *I love you Baby T. We'll be there with you soon enough. It won't be long. Heaven's going to be great. Until then, I'll be taking care of your business and Mama and Daddy, and Blue. We love you more than words can say, and we rest in knowing that you know just how much you are loved. Death doesn't change that. Until that day, Love, Baby E.*

Angela Karnes - March 05, 2020 at 09:27 PM

KD

“ *Kathy Derryberry lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Kathy Derryberry - March 05, 2020 at 07:08 PM

KD

*Sweet young man. Enjoyed our talks. You will be missed Little Tony.
Prayers for the family*

Kathy Derryberry - March 05, 2020 at 07:10 PM

PW

“ *Praying for You all.*



Pam Creasman Webb'Henderson - March 05, 2020 at 05:55 PM

VS

“ *Vickie Stout lit a candle in memory of Tony
Karnes*



Vickie Stout - March 05, 2020 at 12:25 PM

JS

“ *Joyce Stutzenberger lit a candle in memory of
Tony Karnes*



Joyce Stutzenberger - March 05, 2020 at 06:23 AM

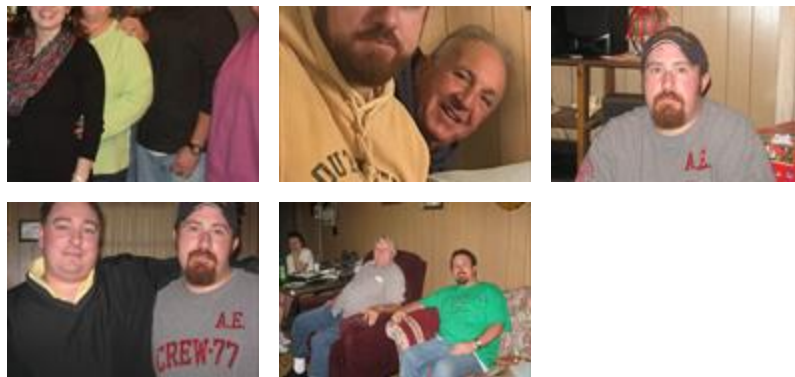
KS

“ I have known Tony for about 10 yrs now and he was such an amazing friend he loved his friends more than anything he was always smiling wen I seen him..... He is gonna be missed dearly by all of his friends.....

Kari Sherrill - March 04, 2020 at 09:52 PM



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Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - March 04, 2020 at 03:53 PM

BL

“ I am heart broken to see this, my prayers and thoughts are with the family.

Barbara Langston - March 04, 2020 at 01:58 PM

MK

“ We are so sorry to hear this sad news. Tony was always such a great kid- tons of memories of playing after elementary school with he and Angela. Again, our condolences. Burma Pierce and Margo Pierce Krogulski

margo krogulski - March 04, 2020 at 01:16 PM

KC

“ *Kim Sims Caraway lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Kim Sims Caraway - March 04, 2020 at 12:59 PM

SF

“ *Stephanie Freeman-Brown lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Stephanie Freeman-Brown - March 04, 2020 at 12:24 PM

RH

“ *Rhonda F, Hillian lit a candle in memory of Tony Karnes*



Rhonda F, Hillian - March 04, 2020 at 11:30 AM



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Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - March 04, 2020 at 11:17 AM



Tabatha
Colemar

Prayers for the Karnes family! I pray the Lord lays His hands on your wounds and comforts you w His presence and comfort. RIP Tony

Tabatha Coleman - March 04, 2020 at 11:48 AM