



Irving Bell

December 20, 1955 - November 1, 2024

Irving “Jay” Bell, beloved husband, father, grandfather, and brother, passed away at the age of 68 on November 1, 2024. Born in Chicago, Illinois, on December 20, 1955, to James and Joyce Bell. Irving lived a life full of passion, adventure, and love for his family and friends.

He was a man of many interests and talents, Irving was known for his youthful spirit and endless curiosity. He loved to learn new things, whether it was through his passion for reading and research, sharing stories with family, or experimenting in the kitchen. A gifted cook, Irving was often found preparing meals for those he loved. He was a highly intelligent and charismatic individual with a knack for captivating those around him.

Irving had a passion for motorcycles, target practice and spending time outdoors. His love for movies was matched only by his ability to tell a great story, often captivating friends and family with his vivid storytelling and laughter.

Irving was a father to many. Since he was young, he knew that he wanted children and had eight of them. He was most passionate about raising his children and they were his pride and joy. Irving’s impact on his family and community was profound. His legacy will live on through the many lives he touched, and he will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Irving was deeply loved by his wife, Tracey, and is survived by his children: Felicia, Stan (Candy), Trushaun (Latoya), Jarred (Jasmine), Xavier (Alexis), Travis, Darius, and Cameron. He also leaves behind nine grandchildren: Erryka, Nayia, Trestan, Jayce, Jaedyn, Iman, Levi, and Cole. As well as several siblings: Anthony, Cornelius, Demetri, Cedric, Katherine, Timothy, Riley, and Aaron, and a host of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Joselyn.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

TS

“ Jay was a very nice and loving person. May he rest in power.

Taeana Stokes - November 09, 2024 at 05:14 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Irving Bell.



November 08, 2024 at 01:19 PM

TC

“ The Kankakee Congregation. purchased the Encanted Cottage for the family of Irving Bell.



The Kankakee Congregation. - November 08, 2024 at 11:09 AM

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“ The Kankakee Congregation. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Irving Bell.

The Kankakee Congregation. - November 08, 2024 at 11:09 AM

RA

“ *Roberta Asher lit a candle in memory of Irving Bell*



Roberta Asher - November 08, 2024 at 07:12 AM

JB

“ *JOANN BOX lit a candle in memory of Irving Bell*



JOANN BOX - November 07, 2024 at 06:22 PM

CW

“ *My Condolences. Sending Prayers.*



Cheryl Wilson - November 07, 2024 at 09:44 AM