

On Monday evening, May 2, 2022, God in His infinite wisdom called James to His eternal home where his soul is at rest, safe in the arms of the Most High God.

James, 70 years old, was born April 4, 1952, in Americus, Georgia, the oldest of six children born to the late Mr. Willie C. and the late Mrs. Nettie Pearl Barlow Harp. At an early age, he joined the New Bethel Baptist Church. James attended the Sumter County School System. He was employed as a lineman with The Tog Shop for many years.

He is preceded in death by his loving and devoted grandmother, Ms. Maggie Barlow and his caring aunt, Ms. Eddie Mae Lampkin.

James enjoyed making everyone laugh. He was quite a comedian and was often called “Richard Pryor”. James knew that laughter was good for the soul. He organized and coached a baseball team named after him “Super Low & The Gang”. He used humor to propel his team into winning. Everyone loved and gravitated around him. James “Super Low”/“Richard Pryor” Barlow was indeed our sunshine.

James leaves with precious memories: two brothers, Mr. Randy Barlow and Mr. Roosevelt Harp, both of Americus, GA; three sisters: Ms. Deloris “Dian” Smith, Mrs. Willie Pearl (Henry) Smith and Ms. Valerie Harp, all of Americus, GA; five nephews: Mr. Vernon (Tasha) Golden, Mr. Randy Barlow, Mr. Bryan T. Barlow, Mr. Oscar Smith and Mr. Simeon Smith, all of Americus, GA; five nieces: Ms. Deborah Barlow, Warner Robins, GA; Mrs. Jetta (Tristen) High, Atlanta, GA; Ms. Dominique Smith, Americus, GA; Ms. Nanette Smith, Columbus, GA and Ms. Shauntai Smith, Americus, GA; his great nephew, Bryan T. Barlow, Jr.; his great nieces, Jaelyn Golden and DeAnna Barlow; a devoted sister-in-law, Ms. Helen Barlow, Americus, GA and a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.