

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Charles Rucks, Donald Hatcher, Sr., Jimmy Johnson, James Hayes, Earl White, Edward Seay, Raymond Clay, William Dirksen, Melvin Neal

### **Active Pallbearers**

Dexter Hurd, Julian Crutchfield, Adriel Wilson, Adrien Wilson, Darrell Johnson, Micheal Rucks, Quincy Johnson, Douglas Johnson, Micheal Jones

### **Honorary Floralbearers**

Gladys Hooper, Ada Stokes, Geraldine Johnson, Margaret Beamon, Olivia Gregory, Majorie Hatcher, Freddie Neal, Edith Tubbs, Emma Roberts

### **Active Floralbearers**

Jamelun Crutchfield, Lucretia Taylor, Geneva Wilson, Carla Martin, Lana Moore, Arlinda Frazier, Andrea Joyce, Jacqueline Clayborn, Tonya Hollerman

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

We sincerely thank you for the many expressions of love, understanding and comfort shown during our time of bereavement. Your prayers, phone calls, food, flowers, cards, well wishes and other acts of kindness are deeply appreciated. In the midst of heartache and pain, we have found peace in the Lord Jesus Christ. May God bless each of you.

**-The Rucks Family**

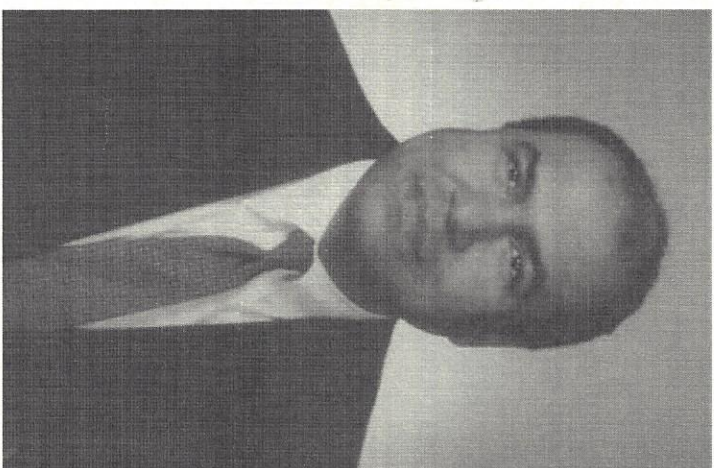
#### Final Arrangements Entrusted To:

Neuble Monument Funeral Home, LLC  
1330 Bluebird Road  
Lebanon, TN 37087  
(615) 444-3117

*"Honoring the Life of Your Loved One and the Heritage of Your Family"*

*In Loving Memory  
Of*

**James E. Rucks**



Sunrise: August 28, 1945 - Sunset: June 5, 2014

*Saturday, June 14, 2014  
12:00 P.M.*

***Market Street Church of Christ***  
*502 E. Market Street  
Lebanon, Tennessee 37087*

## Obituary

James E. Rucks, 68, a resident of Las Cruces, NM and formerly of Flint, MI, Cleveland, OH and Nashville, TN departed this life on Thursday, June 5, 2014. He was born on August 28, 1945 to the late Alfred and Gladys Hayes Rucks of Lebanon, TN. James graduated from Wilson County High in Lebanon, TN and received a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Tennessee State University. He was the owner of a nationwide recruiting company, ADD-Vantage Personnel Services based in Flint, MI before retiring.

He is survived by his devoted wife of 45 years, Gloria A. Murray Rucks, Las Cruces, NM; Children: Christopher (Melissa) Rucks, Denver, CO and Leslie Rucks, Nashville, TN; Siblings: Alfred Rucks, Las Cruces, NM; Claudine (James) Wilson, Akron, OH; Thomas (Gloria) Rucks, Cleveland, OH; Mary Rucks Hurd, Lebanon, TN; Jarvis (Wilma) Rucks, Hermitage, TN; Elaine (James) Crutchfield, Lebanon, TN; Joseph Rucks, Lebanon, TN; Aunt Lena Sadler, Carthage, TN and many nephews, nieces, cousins and in-laws. James was a devoted and faithful member of the Las Cruces Church of Christ in New Mexico and often served as a teacher and song leader. He received tremendous joy from singing and sharing it with others. He had a love for nature and the adventures of traveling. His loving spirit and gentle nature could always be seen in everything he did. Life was always lived with a song in his heart.

## The Order of Service

*David Meek, Officiating*  
*Minister, Market Street Church of Christ*

*Allen Johnson, Song Leader*

The Processional.....	<i>A Mansion, Robe and Crown</i>
Selection.....	<i>The Glory-Land Way</i>
Scripture (Psalm 1).....	Donald Hatcher
Scripture (Psalm 23).....	Todd Fitzgerald
Prayer.....	Larry Elliott
Selection.....	<i>I'll Fly Away</i>
Acknowledgement.....	Carolyn Rhone
Selection.....	The Ambassadors 40 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Church of Christ
Silent Reflection (Reading of the obituary)	
Reflecting Memories (Video)	
Selection.....	<i>The Greatest Command</i> Led by Alden Hall
Remembering Our Father.....	Christopher and Leslie Rucks
Remarks.....	William Hogin
Remarks (kindly limit to 2 minutes).....	Audience
Selection.....	<i>No Tears in Heaven</i>
Eulogy.....	James Wilson, Sr. James Wilson, Jr.
Selection.....	The Rucks Family Siblings
Closing Prayer.....	Samuel Seay
The Recessional.....	<i>To Cannan's Land I'm on My Way</i>

~ INTERMENT: Bellwood Cemetery, Lebanon, TN ~