



James David McClain

February 6, 1961 - February 2, 2022

James David McClain, beloved father, brother and friend passed away February 2, 2022 in a devastating auto accident. James is survived by his loving daughters, Jessica Leigh Peebles, (Nelson) of Sanford FL, Kelly May McClain of Orlando FL, Kennedy Nicole McClain and Delaney Rae McClain both of Winter Park, FL; grandson Braxton, and granddaughters Mason and Lennon and his considered son Kekoa K. K. Mahoe of Orlando, FL.

He is also survived by sisters JaNeen Passalaqua, Beverly Canole and Linda Stanley and brothers Michael McClain and Kenny McClain.

He was predeceased by his parents, Earl and May McClain; two brothers Ricky McClain and Donald McClain, and two sisters Barbara Wilkins (Bill) and Sharon Wright.

James was a respected and very active member of his community as the owner of EuroTech German Car Service in Winter Park, FL for nearly 30 years. He was a friend to all who needed him. He was an avid fisherman with a personality that would fill any room. He lived his life fully in every moment.

He is most certainly throwing a party up there with Mr. Bling by his side.

All are welcome to join us in celebrating his incredible life Friday February 11 at The Tap Room at Dubsdread- where James enjoyed lunch for over 20 years.

In lieu of flowers we ask that you make a donation to the American Cancer Society.

Previous Events

Celebrating his incredible life

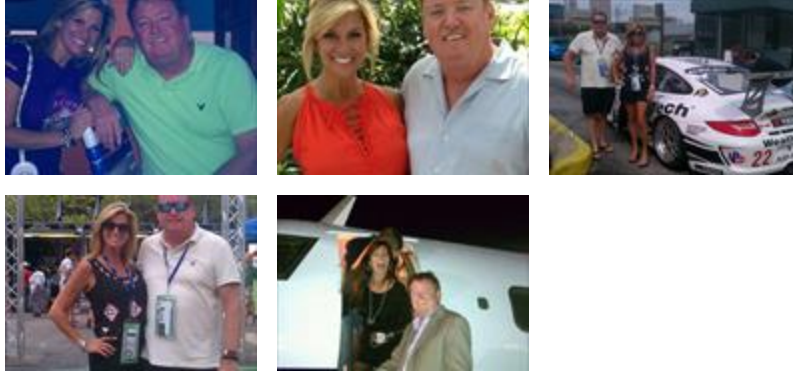
FEB 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

The Tap Room at Dubsdread
549 W Par St.
Orlando, FL 32804

Tribute Wall

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“ 14 files added to the tribute wall



Shannon Harris - October 08, 2025 at 05:04 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Shannon - May 06, 2022 at 03:39 PM

JL

“ *Jaime was quite a talker since he was little. I really admired him all his life from the time he started TV commercial's. I used to get so excited when I would see him on TV I would have to call his sister Barbara (my aunt) to let her know I seen his commercial. Our family and many families would go pack up the boats, skis and whatever we needed and head to the river for days and all have a ball.*

I always think about the time when I spent the night with my cousin JaNeen W at their house and we would wait until Jamie fell asleep and we would sneak in his bedroom and polish is nails that was so funny.

I know you are entertaining all of them up there. Rest in Peace.

Jackie Lilley (Kenny and LaVonne's daughter)

Jackie Lilley - February 12, 2022 at 01:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James David McClain.*



February 10, 2022 at 09:23 PM

ME

“ James was the man every man wanted to be like. Generous, loving, family man, upstanding, hard working, great conversationalist, fun loving and just the right amount of swag and bad boy! These last 2 1/2 years he was my best friend and protector. Our spontaneous road trips were the best! Washington DC rallies, Bryson, NC white water rafting, Blaireaville GA glamping , Chicago city slicker, Texas, Memphis and Nashville BEst BBQ hunt and New Years Eve. Our next trip was going to be New Orleans in March and then Ireland 🇮🇪 Gone too soon. In love you and will miss you dearly 💔 His true love were his daughters and the sea 🙏 Rest In Peace James.



Maria Ellis - February 10, 2022 at 11:04 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James David McClain.



February 10, 2022 at 10:04 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of James David McClain.



February 10, 2022 at 08:50 AM

AP

“ Uncle James was extremely approachable. Always easy to talk to and was truly brilliant. When I first moved from NY he was the first to encourage me to get my business out to everyone. He hired me for his Company Christmas Patty’s and personal NYE party’s. It was with his help I met several Winter Park businesses to do work for, he was always a cheerleader for my business. My fondest memory goes all the way back to 1981-1982-1984 where wife Epcot was being built he allowed me to cruise the streets not yet open for traffic in his cars, joined by Joe Canole I learned to drive stick in his BMW 320i. I was always treated well when visiting and James was a big part of it.

When I swam the Bay Lake chain for Arnold Palmer and his charity run James with Bill Eilkins were there in James’ speed boat to make sure alligators were not in my path.

I will miss you Uncle James thanks for the memories. - Adam Passalacqua (JaNeen’s youngest son

Adam Passalacqua - February 07, 2022 at 05:01 PM