



## James William Bice

August 4, 1955 - October 31, 2023

James William Bice, age 68, of Springfield, passed away Tuesday, October 31, 2023 at the Waters of Springfield. A Masonic Service will be conducted at 7pm Friday, November 3rd in the chapel of Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with the Western Star Masonic Lodge #9 officiating.

The family will receive friends from 5-7pm Friday at the funeral home.

Mr. Bice was born August 4, 1955 in Alameda, CA to the late Cecil and Annie Catherine Bond Bice. He was an Electrical Engineer with Smith Seckman Reid Engineering. Mr. Bice was a member of Mt. Zion Methodist Church, a member of the Coopertown Men's Club, a 3rd degree Master Mason with Western Star Masonic Lodge #9, and an avid Alabama fan.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Bice was preceded in death by his brother, Michael Steven Bice.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Kathryn Coleman Bice; sister, Tina (Tommy) Cutts; half sister, Mildred Kirkland; sister-in-law, Charlene Bice; and

multiple nieces and nephews.

Following the visitation and Masonic service, Mr. Bice's wishes were to be cremated.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-  
509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

# Previous Events

## Masonic Service

NOV 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield  
509 Walnut St.  
Springfield, TN 37172  
(615) 384-1000  
<https://austinandbell.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ Jimmy was my high school sweetheart and first love. I am devastated in hearing this. May he now rest in peace

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**Catherine Wetzel** - November 10, 2023 at 09:55 PM

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“ Reminding those whom you support that your thoughts are with them.

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**George M. Johnson** - November 03, 2023 at 04:32 PM

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“ James William Bice

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**Anonymous** - November 02, 2023 at 07:03 PM