



## John David Olinger Jr.

January 1, 1960 - August 5, 2021

John David (JD) Olinger, Jr., age 61, of Blacksburg, went home on Thursday, August 5, 2021. He was born in Radford, VA on January 1, 1960 to the late John David, Sr. and Betty Ann Mullins Olinger.

JD sold cars at Hokie Honda for 20 years and most recently at the Radford Arsenal. He loved to spend time with his family and friends and going fishing.

He is survived by his wife of 33 years, Tammy Olinger; daughters, Kelley Olinger, Kasey Olinger; sisters and brothers-in-law, Debbie and Mike Meadows, Becky and Roger Broce, Karen and Chip Craven; brother, Chuck Olinger; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Melissa Tarter for all of her love and support.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 7, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. at Blue Ridge Church, Christiansburg, with Pastor Scott Obenchain officiating. The family will receive friends immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Blue Ridge Church.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Blue Ridge Church  
1655 Roanoke Street  
Christiansburg, VA 24073

# Tribute Wall

IN

“ There is a sadness in my heart with the passing of J.D. He was my good friend and we spent a lot of time together with Casey at tangent outfitters in Pembroke Va. he was also one of my hunting buddies and loved to spend time in the fall hunting with me on my farm. you will be missed my friend. you are in Gods' hands now and no other place can offer your soul the love it deserves. Irv and Ernie Nichols 8/10/21

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**Irvin Nichols** - August 10, 2021 at 12:07 AM

WR

Goodbye,my cousin...and friend. Wanda G Ratcliff

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**wanda ratcliffe** - October 22, 2025 at 10:38 PM

TM

“ JD was a very good friend to me and my family he loved anything Honda. We sold lawn mowers etc JD always came in our store and he sold us cars to at Hokie Honda. He will be truly missed. Tammy Martin-Whorley.

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**Tammy Martin-Whorley** - August 09, 2021 at 08:32 AM

DL

“ JD and myself were good friends in high school and never connected until a few years back at a restaurant eating breakfast His family was always with him heading to church afterwards you could tell his family adored JD especially his children they were both daddy's girls you could tell by the love and attention he gave them.He was a great dad husband and Christian man and will be missed by all.Rest in peace my friend till we all meet on the other side your friend David -Nick name Floyd in school.

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**David Lovern** - August 07, 2021 at 12:56 PM

HC

“ Tammy, you may not remember me, but I worked for the Turman State Farm agency for many years. JD was always a pleasure to work with. I am so very sorry to learn of his passing. I remember his dad also. John was a funny guy who could always make us laugh when he visited the office. My sincerest sympathy to you and your family.

*Hilda Compton*

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**Hilda Compton** - August 07, 2021 at 11:59 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of John David Olinger Jr..



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August 06, 2021 at 08:06 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of John David Olinger Jr..



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August 06, 2021 at 02:10 PM

ME

“ Karen, Chuck and Family

*Please accept our sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs.*

*Metro Insurance Services  
Angie, Kim, Katrina and Madeline*

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**Metro** - August 06, 2021 at 01:16 PM

HC

*I talked to jd about a month ago he was in good spirits what a good guy he was we all that knew him loved his personality was always positive he will be missed by many one of your many friends/Hunter*

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**Hunter Clayton** - August 07, 2021 at 09:38 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John David Olinger Jr..



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August 06, 2021 at 12:19 PM