

# Jack William Lowe, Jr.

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Jack W. Lowe Jr., 86, of Kingsport, TN, passed away on Monday, January 22, 2024 at his residence. He was a native of Bristol, Va and had resided in Kingsport for many years. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jack W. Lowe, Sr. and Dorothy Brown Lowe of Bristol.

Mr. Lowe received a BA degree in chemistry from King College, his MA degree in chemistry from East Tennessee State University, and a DBA degree in business administration from California Coast University. He was also a graduate of LaSalle

University's Law for Executive Leadership program. He was employed for 37 1/2 years at Eastman Chemical Company in a variety of technical and marketing positions. He retired in 1998 as president of Eastman's worldwide sales.

Mr. Lowe is survived by his wife of 63 years, Janice Earlene Mahaffey Lowe; two sons, Mark Lowe (Hope) and Stephen Lowe (Kendra) of Kingsport. In addition, he is survived by two grandchildren, Lauren Smith (Jake) of Lexington, SC and Matthew Lowe (Kelly) of Columbia, SC; and a step-granddaughter, Tessa Gonce of Kingsport, Tennessee. Great-grandchildren are Eleanor Smith, Tristan Smith, Miriam Smith, and Charles Lowe. He is survived by a brother, Mack Lowe (Sandy) of Kingsport, a sister Kay Barker (Tom) of the Greater Chattanooga, TN area; and several cherished in-laws, nieces, and nephews.

Mr. Lowe was an elder and long-time adult Sunday School teacher at Waverly Road Presbyterian Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to King University Scholarship Fund at the following address: 1350 King College Road, Bristol, Tennessee 37620.

## A Celebration of the Life of **Jack William Lowe, Jr.** January 5, 1938 – January 22, 2024



*I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.*  
– Philippians 4:13

**January 27, 2024**

**12:00pm**

Waverly Road Presbyterian Church 1415 Waverly Road Kingsport, TN 37664



A Service of Witness to the Resurrection for  
**Jack William Lowe, Jr.**

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*\*Those who are able, please stand*

**PRELUDE**

**SEATING OF FAMILY**

**GREETING**

**OPENING PRAYER**

**\*HYMN 611**      *“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

*God of mercy whose loving—kindness endures forever:  
we confess that often we have failed to receive and  
give love; to care for others as we have cared for  
ourselves; to forgive and accept forgiveness.*

*We remember good intentions that were not put into  
actions; harsh words that were hurtful; selfish  
purposes that caused pain; persistent pride that would  
not yield. We acknowledge our fear in the face of  
death and our failure to accept the hope you offer  
us in Christ.*

*Gracious God, forgive us and help us to forgive others;  
heal us from the pain of self-condemnation; free us  
from the burden of failures that cannot be corrected;  
renew us with your loving assurance that our sins  
have been forgiven, through Jesus Christ, our  
Redeemer. AMEN*

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Family of God, the Good news is that in Jesus Christ  
you are forgiven.

*The Lord lives! Blessed be my rock, and exalted be  
the God of my salvation.*

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Psalm 100 & 1 Corinthians 13

**HOMILY**

Rev. Collin Adams

**\*HYMN 634**      *“To God Be the Glory”*

**\*COMMENDATION**

**\*BLESSING and BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**



Minister: Rev. Collin Blair Adams

Accompanist: Eileen Butler