



Jacob William James

October 15, 1942 - November 15, 2020

Jacob William “Bill” James, 78, of Evansville, passed away on Sunday, November 15, 2020 at his home surrounded by family.

Bill was born October 15, 1942 in Mt. Carmel, IL to the late Joseph Ellsworth and Hilda Marie (Reisinger) James. He worked as an electrician and service engineer for Pacific Press Technologies in Mt. Carmel, IL, Whirlpool and Firestone/Accuride before retiring from Ameriquel. Bill was a veteran of the United States Army serving in Vietnam as a helicopter mechanic; a life member of VFW Post 1114 and member of Am Vets. Bill was also a 32nd degree Grandmaster Mason; a member of the Blue Lodge; the Scottish Rite and Hadi Shrine.

Surviving Bill are his wife of 21 years, Janet (Williams) Hart-James; daughter, Kathy Sue James; one son, Joshua W. (Meghan) James; one sister, Margaret “Margy” (Mike) Sunstrum; a brother, Donald Joe (Deanna) James; five stepchildren, Janet Helen Brunetti, Jo Ann Walker, James Anthony Hart, Jr, JaGail Darlene Greenley and Juanita Fay Little; six grandchildren, Kohlton and Dalton Hunter, Lexie, Mackenzie, Saylor and Kingston James; two great grandchildren, Kayden James Hunter and Karson Kohl Hunter, nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Bill was preceded in death by his sister, Ruth Ann

Kohlmann.

Due to the pandemic, visitation and funeral services will be private at Pierre Funeral Home. Burial will take place in St. Joseph Cemetery, where the Vanderburgh County Retired Veterans Memorial Club will conduct military rites.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Shriner Children's Hospital or to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

2500 Mesker Park Drive
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Private funeral services

NOV 18 (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jacob William James*



Pierre Funeral Home - November 15, 2020 at 03:30 PM



“ *Jacob William James*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Mount Carmel High School Class Of 1961 sends their condolences to the entire James Family. Our Thoughts and Prayers are with the Family at this very difficult time.*

Marcia Hudson Woodcock - November 18, 2020 at 12:37 AM



“ *To all of the families, you are in our hearts and prayers at the loss of our cousin Bill. Shared many memories over the years and he will be missed. May he rest in peace.*

Jean & Jenny James - November 17, 2020 at 08:00 AM

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“ ON BEHALF OF THE COMRADES AND SISTERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA YOU HAVE OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR LOVED ONE AND OUR DEPARTED COMRADE. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. SINCERELY VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA STATE CHAPLAIN KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY

KEISTON R.HOLLOWAY - November 16, 2020 at 08:55 AM

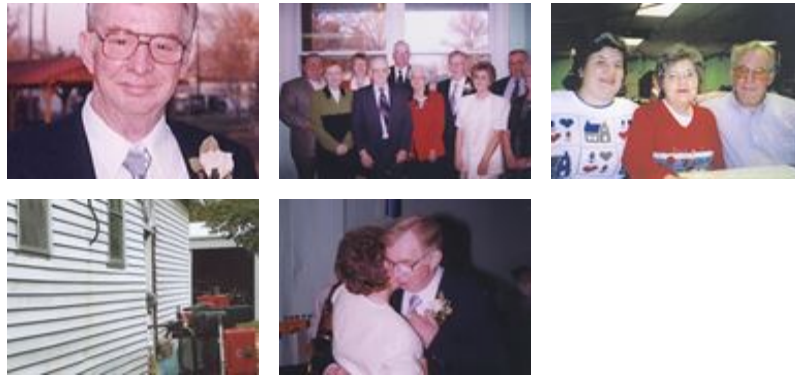
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“ Bill was a good man glad my sis Janet met and married him He was a kind and friendly person Love and God bless them 🙏

Charlene. Downen - November 16, 2020 at 01:16 AM



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“ *Dear Janet,*

On behalf of all the brethren at Cynthiana Masonic Lodge # 710 you and your family have our deepest sympathy . I know Bill always enjoyed coming to the meetings when he could and we always looked forward to sharing that fellowship together. He was a good man and will be missed.

Sincerely, Butch Kuester, Secretary

Butch Kuester - November 15, 2020 at 02:46 PM