



James L. "Jim" Hudson

April 5, 1938 - April 19, 2023

James L. "Jim" Hudson, age 85 of St. Anne passed away on Wednesday, April 19, 2023, at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee. He was born on April 5, 1938, in Boswell, IN the son of Oral and Eva (Flynn) Hudson. Jim married Judy DeVries on October 3, 1959, in St. Anne.

Jim was the owner of Hudson's Construction Company. He was a building inspector in both St. Anne and Aroma Park.

Jim enjoyed bowling, golfing, playing cards, and watching old Western movies. He loved to listen to Country and Bluegrass music. Jim was a lifelong avid Chicago White Sox fan.

Jim was a Veteran of the United States Marines serving from 1956 through 1959.

Surviving is his wife of 63 years, Judy of St. Anne; four sons and two daughters-in-law, Jim Hudson and Tim Hudson, both of Florida, Randy (Leslie) Hudson of Bradley, Dan (Heather) Hudson of Brownsburg, IN; one daughter and son-in-law, Cindy (Kurt) VanVleck of St. Anne; one sister and brother-in-law, Sandy (Gordan) Brakebill of Bloomington; three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Oral Hudson Jr. of Princeton, IL, Bill (Carolyn) Hudson of Boswell, IN, Phil (Diane) Hudson of Normal, IL; ten grandchildren, Jeremy Parker, Jeff VanVleck, Aaron Hudson, Heather Hudson, Megan Hudson, Josh Hudson, Jake Hudson, Nick Hudson, Mike Hudson, Brittany Weaver; twenty-one great grandchildren with two more on the way; numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Jim is preceded in death by his parents; one brother and two sisters-in-law, Gene (Evelyn) Hudson, Delores Hudson; one daughter-in-law, Cathy Hudson, two grandchildren, Julie VanVleck and Coty Hudson.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 23, 2023, at Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Homes, St. Anne. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, April 24, 2023, at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Oakwood Cemetery, Wichert. Reverend Mike Seed will officiate the service.

Memorials may be made to the Family Wishes

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

7697 E. 4500 S. Rd.
Wichert
St. Anne, IL 60964

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 23. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

St. Anne - Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home
214 W. Sheffield
St. Anne, IL 60964
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Service

APR 24. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Love never ends although we say good bye.
My thoughts and prayers are with you Aunt
Judy.



Julie Brown - April 23, 2023 at 07:45 PM



“ Sympathy Gift Vintage Wind Chime - "I Have You
In My Heart" was purchased for the family of
James L. "Jim" Hudson.



April 21, 2023 at 10:52 AM

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“ Debbie Clodi lit a candle in memory of James
L. "Jim" Hudson



Debbie Clodi - April 20, 2023 at 08:25 PM