



James K. Kabrick

February 26, 1936 - December 30, 2020

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

James K. Kabrick, age 84, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 3:08 p.m. on Wednesday, December 30, 2020, in Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

Jim was born in Spencer, Iowa, on February 26, 1936, to Roland and Lucille (Miller) Kabrick. He married Betty Jo Brace on June 2, 1956, in the Otwell United Methodist Church in Otwell, Indiana.

Jim moved to Jasper and was a 1954 graduate of Jasper High School , where he became the first quarterback for Jasper Wildcat Football.

Jim worked at Midwestern Gas and Old Ben Coal for many years, and then worked for Elmer Buchta as a moving engineer until retirement. At Elmer Buchta he was involved in moving many historical homes and structures, from lighthouses to covered bridges.

Jim was a member of the Otwell United Methodist Church, where he was a trustee for many years, a lifetime and founding member of the Structural Movers Association, Masonic Lodge, and the Hadi Shriners.

He enjoyed watching his grandkids compete in all their sports and attended every event. He also enjoyed golfing and going to the horse races with his Otwell friends.

Surviving are his wife, Betty Jo Kabrick, Jasper, IN, two daughters, Debra (Phil) Troutman, Otwell, IN, Vicki (Nick) Smith, Jasper, IN, two sons, Scott (Renee) Kabrick, Jasper, IN, Ty (Brandi) Kabrick, Velpen, IN, 13 grandchildren, Cody (Jess) Troutman, Travis (Nicki) Troutman, Hunter (Jordan) Elliott, Shea (Matt) Hendrixon, Erik (Lori) Smith, Jake, Samantha, Jackson, and Charlie Kabrick, Hayden Adair, Wren, and Sawyer Kabrick, 13 great grandchildren, Haven, Rueger, Ryder, Remi, Kenzie, Morgan, Taten, Caroline, Eloise, Hamilton, Cyrus, Ava, and Hudson, two sisters, Judy (Stan) Englert, Jasper, IN, Terry (John) Lukemeyer, Jasper, IN, one brother, Richard (Carol) Kabrick, Newburgh.

Private family services will be held.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Otwell United Methodist Church or to a favorite charity.

Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com.

Cemetery Details

Otwell Cemetery

Otwell, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *mis you papa*

ryder - September 28, 2023 at 02:22 PM



“ *James K. Kabrick*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *i miss you papa*

ryder - January 26, 2021 at 11:25 AM



“ *I remember as a child the excitement of a family gathering at Aunt Jo's and Uncle Jim's. Uncle Jim bar-b-qued baloney and had homemade ice cream going that we took turns churning. So wonderful! Rest In Peace Uncle Jim and thanks for waiting for my Mom, your sister, at the gates of heaven. We will see you again!*

Missy Lukemeyer

Melissa (Missy) Rutter (Lukemeyer) - January 02, 2021 at 11:26 PM



“ *Please accept our heartfelt sympathy. We are praying for your family.*

Jim and Sherryl Osgatharp - January 02, 2021 at 10:12 PM

BS

“ We are sorry for your loss. You are on our thoughts and prayers



Brenda and Scott - January 02, 2021 at 01:53 PM

LT

“ Was very nice to know JIM in my life a very nice man.

Larry Taylor - January 02, 2021 at 12:56 PM

JM

“ My thoughts and prayers to all of the Kabrick family. He was such a kind man who you could truly, see how much he loved his family. So sorry for your tremendous loss❤️ Joy M

Joy McEwen - January 02, 2021 at 10:42 AM

SH

“ Kabrick Family, I'm sorry to read of Jim's passing. Prayers and Sympathy.
Sarah Berger Humphrey, Muncie IN R.I.P. Jim



Sarah Humphrey - December 31, 2020 at 10:32 PM