



Harry C. James Jr.

October 6, 1933 - January 8, 2020

Harry C. James Jr., age 86, of Columbia City, formerly of Huntington, died at 9:11 p.m. Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at Parkview Randallia Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be from 3 – 7 p.m. Monday, January 13, 2020 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, January 14, 2020 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Rev. Gus Hacker officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory in Huntington County with military graveside rites performed by VFW Post #2689 of Huntington.

Preferred memorials are to First Brethren Church of Huntington, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Harry was born on October 6, 1933 in Warren, the son of Harry C. James Sr. and Lulu Belle (Crum) James. He graduated from Huntington High School in 1951 and served in the United States Navy during the Korean War. He married Esther E. Kellems on April 2, 1955 in Huntington. Harry attended Raedel College in Fort Wayne and worked as an electrician for Baldwin Eheret Hill in Huntington from 1954-1967. In 1995, he retired after working for Huntington County Community School Corporation since 1967 as an electrician. He was a member of First Brethren Church of Huntington. Harry

enjoyed hunting, trapshooting, fishing, and collecting coins. He loved his family, especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Esther E. James of Huntington, a son, Thomas D. James of Leo, daughters Cynthia (Dennis) Beard of Holland, Michigan and Joni (Duane) Kilty of Lexington, Kentucky, nine grandchildren, and 15 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents and brothers Charles F. James and Donald James.

Cemetery Details

Gardens of Memory

11201 S. Marion Road 35
Marion, IN 46952

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **13.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Harry C. James Jr.*



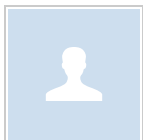
Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - January 12, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ *Esther, and family.
Sorry about the passing of Harry. Only new him for a short time. We are cousins.
I have been thinking about you.*

Gary James

Gary James - January 15, 2020 at 04:40 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Harry C. James Jr..*



January 13, 2020 at 09:40 AM

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“ Sending a heartfelt of love and prayers for you, Aunt Esther, and the rest of your family. Uncle Harry will always hold a special place in our hearts.

So very sorry we are not able to be there in person to pay our respects.

God Bless

Richard and Betty Baxter

BETTY BAXTER - January 12, 2020 at 10:42 PM

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“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - January 12, 2020 at 10:44 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Harry C. James Jr..



January 11, 2020 at 02:11 PM



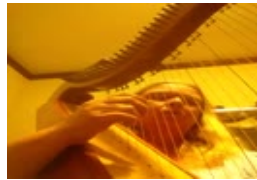
“ *Heaven's Comfort was purchased for the family of Harry C. James Jr..*



January 10, 2020 at 06:46 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Barbara Herron - January 10, 2020 at 03:16 PM



“ *Barbara Herron lit a candle in memory of Harry C. James Jr.*



Barbara Herron - January 10, 2020 at 03:08 PM

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“ Dear James family, my heart is sad but prayers of comfort are whispered to God for you at the passing of such a sweet man. My family have known you for years! From my parents, Carolyn and Marvin Land to my Aunt Pat and Uncle Wayne Lusch have grown up with your kids in the Brethren Church. Harry will live forever in heaven with Jesus is His reward and our hope. We will all be together again. May God Bless you all in your time of loss.



Barbara Herron (Land) - January 10, 2020 at 03:05 PM

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“ Barb Eddleman lit a candle in memory of Harry C. James Jr.



Barb Eddleman - January 10, 2020 at 12:19 PM