



Mr. James A. Knickerbocker

January 6, 1936 - March 19, 2018

James Adna Knickerbocker, 82 years old, has passed after a long illness. James lived in Canton, Ga, with his wife of 57 years, Hilde {Assmann} Knickerbocker. In addition to his wife, He is survived by 4 daughters, Erika Peeke, Linda Wilcox, Tina Merrill and Lora Mitchel, 3 Son in laws, 7 grandchildren, 9.5 great grandchildren, his youngest Sister, 3 Sister in laws, 2 Brother in laws, 11 Nieces and 11 Nephews.

Born and raised in Rochester, Mi. the youngest Son of Adna and Ada Knickerbocker. He served in the U.S. Army from 1955 to 1958, spending time in Japan, Hawaii, California and Colorado.

Jim and Hilde met in April, 1960 and they were married 3 months later in August of 1960. Hilde was new to the U.S. from Germany but they shared a love of music and musicals, which helped to bridge the language gap. They sang often together for their own pleasure. They lived for several years in Rochester, Mi, moving to Cape Coral, Fl in 1977. After raising their family, they retired to N. Ft Myers, Fl., in 2000, where Jim and Hilde lived in the Pine Lakes community. There he participated in cards, socializing and his favorite – the Men's day luncheons.

James was a wonderful Husband and Father. He was an easygoing person, who always had a smile. He was very proud of his 4 girls, and as the family grew, his happiest times were celebrating the Holidays and all of the many mile stones of a large and growing Family. We are really going to miss him and the stories he would tell of growing up in the "old" days.

Arrangements for cremation were made by Northside Chapel, Roswell, Ga. A funeral service will be held Friday, March 23rd at 2:00 p.m. in the Northside Chapel. 12050 Crabapple Road, Roswell, GA.

Burial will be at Georgia National Cemetery, Canton, Ga., at a future date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Homestead Hospice in Jim's memory. Homestead

Hospice, 1 North Tennessee Street, Cartersville, Georgia 30120. www.homesteadhospice.net

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. James A. Knickerbocker*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *152 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Northside Chapel - March 23, 2018 at 09:52 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.*



March 23, 2018 at 08:00 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.*



March 22, 2018 at 10:23 AM

JH

“ This is a Tribute to Mr. James A. Knickerbocker, We may not have known you as others shared wonderful memories. But know that your daughter Linda Wilcox is a Beautiful person here at Store #1755 Home Depot she is a hard and upstanding associate and I know you are very proud of her. May the family know that she always talked about her Daddy and the family times you guys shared. So long until we all meet.

Sincerely,
Sharon Henderson and Janice Martin

Janice Martin and Sharon Henderson - March 22, 2018 at 07:48 AM

DB

“ One thing for sure Jim you will always be in our hearts and our minds your big smile will be with us forever you have been a wonderful brother in law and a great uncle to our girls, Our love and condolences go out to my sister and Jim's whole beautiful family by whom he was loved so very much, God Bless you all and Rest in Peace Jim

Delbert and Ann Blanchard - March 22, 2018 at 06:36 AM

BH

“ james or as i new him nick was a great co worker and friend at hutdig building products.my wife and i enjoyed having lunch with him and his family.he will be missed.bob and dee haworth

bob haworth - March 21, 2018 at 11:25 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.



March 21, 2018 at 10:40 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.



March 21, 2018 at 07:42 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.*



March 20, 2018 at 09:10 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. James A. Knickerbocker.*



March 20, 2018 at 05:01 PM

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“ *I remember quite a bit growing up with the Knickerbocker's. Going and visiting Jim at the packing house. My first visit to Disney was with all of you, I was in awww. I know one thing for sure is he always had a smile on his face. He will definitely be missed. My thoughts and prayers to all of you.*

terri - March 20, 2018 at 03:27 PM