



James Clifford Goslyn, Jr.

July 24, 1950 - December 2, 2025

James Clifford Goslyn Jr., known affectionately as Jim, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, December 2, 2025, in New Haven, Michigan. Born on Monday, July 24, 1950, in Mt. Clemens, Jim lived a vibrant and fulfilling 75 years, leaving behind a legacy cherished by family, friends, and all who knew him.

Jim had a deep passion for vintage cars, with a particular fondness for Ford vehicles. His love for the classic and unique extended beyond cars, influencing his appreciation for life and those around him. Jim spent most of his career as an Auto Body Technician and for the last few years at Shoreline Steel in New Haven, where he was known for his versatility and commitment. He was truly steadfast in his commitment to his work.

Outside of work, Jim found joy in the simple pleasures of life—enjoying time with family and friends, engaging in social gatherings, and sharing meals with loved ones. Known for his tenacious spirit, Jim was described as "stubbornly independent," a testament to his determined and resilient nature.

Jim is survived by his beloved sons, Damon and James III, and his cherished grandchildren, Kaleb, Karter, and Halie, each of whom held a special place in his heart. He is also survived by his siblings: John Rivard, Ron (Connie) Tyvaert, Nancy (Eugene) Conforti, Vicki Baker, Ernie Tyvaert, and Mike

(Mylee) Tyvaert, along with many loving nieces and nephews who will deeply miss him.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James Sr. and Janice (Worthy), and his sister, Debbie Tyvaert-Ciszewicz, who undoubtedly greeted him with open arms on his final journey.

The family will honor Jim's wishes with private funeral services. Arrangements are being handled by Wasik Funeral Home in New Baltimore. The family asks that in place of flowers, those wishing to honor Jim's memory consider making a donation to a charity of their choice or simply take a moment to appreciate the beauty of life—a day spent outdoors or a ride in a classic car, just as Jim would have loved.

Jim's memory will forever be cherished in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.