



James Leonard Jones

December 26, 1952 - April 28, 2025

James "Jim" Leonard Jones of Macomb, passed away April 28, 2025 at the age of 72. Jim was born on December 26, 1952 in Detroit, MI. He was the first born son of Margaret and James Jones . Jim was one of 8 children: Shirley Morgan (Brian), Margaret Dalessandro Vecchione (John), Tommy Jones (Judy), Danny Jones (Mary Jo), Rose Anna Nepa (Joe), Billy Jones (Ed) and Debby Jones (Mike). Throughout the years the siblings have remained close and Jim's passing will be a great loss.

Jim served in the Air Force / ANG where he was honorably discharged in April of 1978. Jim was a proud Field Application Engineer at Valenite/Walter Tools for almost 40 years where he retired from in 2017.

On July 18, 1986, Jim married Michele Jones and together they had a daughter, Stephanie Baker (Kyle) in 1988. Jim had 2 grandchildren, who he loved fiercely and was proud to be called "Poe Poe", Blake (8) and Blair (5). Jim was a skilled craftsman and was happy to help out anyone who needed it. Jim enjoyed spending his time with his family, tandem bike riding with his wife, all things motorcycles, he jumped out of airplanes, scuba dived with the fishes, did archery but could also sit down and relax with a good book. Jim was a humble man who didn't ask for much and gave everything to those he knew and loved. Jim would talk to just about anyone who would listen (even in the Kroger checkout lines). Jim will be remembered for his "one is good, two is better", "give it back better than you found it" and accepted people for who they were. There isn't a day that will go by that his impact won't be felt by

someone.

Family and friends can visit with Michele and Stephanie on Saturday, May 3, 2025 from 2 - 8:00 pm at Wasik Funeral Home (49150 Schoenherr Rd., Shelby Twp., MI 48315).

In lieu of flowers, we ask for donations to the future cure for Parkinson's disease.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township
49150 Schoenherr Rd.
Shelby Township, MI 48315
(586) 532-8600
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Leonard Jones.*



May 01, 2025 at 01:57 PM

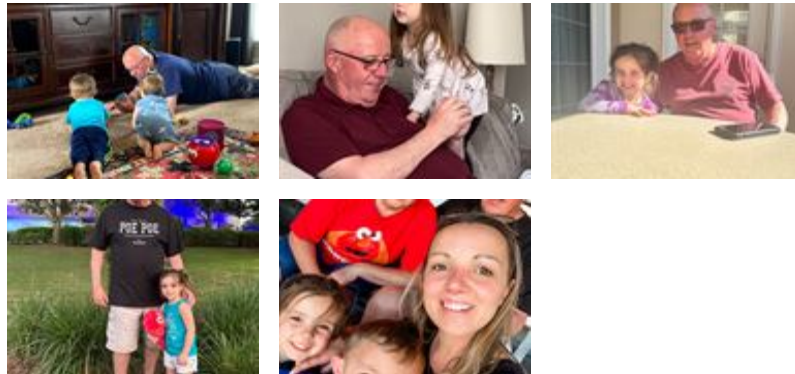


“ *My sympathy to you and your family Michelle. You are in my prayers.*
Sue C from your Lakeside family

sue - May 01, 2025 at 01:54 PM



“ *199 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. - April 30, 2025 at 12:12 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Leonard Jones.*



April 30, 2025 at 12:00 PM



“ *Jim was a very nice man, so sorry to hear he passed 🙏 We once worked for the same company Valenite part of Valeron Corp before they moved to Mexico! 🙏 For the family! Paula Bryant; Rest in peace Jimmy 😭*

Paula Bryant - April 29, 2025 at 09:07 PM



“ *I just want to express my condolences for you and your family! Your father was always such a friendly and devoted grandfather after meeting him and the kids games. May God give you strength to comfort you during this difficult time. Prayers for you and your family! Dawn Slade (Taras mother) 🙏🙏*

Dawn Slade - April 29, 2025 at 12:32 PM



“ *Jim's wonderful sense of humor will be missed! With sincere condolences and love, Roy and Roy Roy*

Roy and Roy Roy - April 29, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Leonard Jones.*



April 29, 2025 at 11:22 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Leonard Jones.

April 29, 2025 at 11:22 AM



“ *Our condolences to the entire Jones Family. May Jim Rest in Peace.*

David L. Picard - April 29, 2025 at 10:04 AM



“ *So sorry to hear this news. Michele and Stephanie my thoughts and prayers are for you at this time. My sincere sympathy goes out to all the Jones family. Love Donna*

Donna Dixon - April 28, 2025 at 08:59 PM



“ *Jim was such an awesome coworker. I enjoyed being around him as he always was such a positive person. I know he will be missed by many.*
Jim Shields

Jim Shields - April 28, 2025 at 07:58 PM

JW

“ *Condolences to all the Jones family Jim was a true patriarch .
Family was his top priority*

james watson - April 28, 2025 at 05:25 PM

MM

“ *This breaks my heart so much, I am so sorry for the loss. Jim was
such a nice man and he will be missed greatly.*

Michelle Matos - April 28, 2025 at 04:43 PM