



## James Kraus

March 17, 1952 - February 18, 2022

James K. Kraus was born in Mt. Clemens, Michigan on March 17, 1952 to Leo and Bonna Kraus. James passed away on February 18, 2022 at William Beaumont Hospital in Troy, Michigan at the age of 69. Jim is the beloved husband of Susan. Loving father of Catherine (David) Nay, Cynthia (the late Geary) Morrill, and Spencer James. Proud Papi of Zetta and Wynne Morrill, Samantha and Anthony Nay, and Preston James. Dearest brother of Betty (Larry) Walter, Raymond Kraus, Janet (Jim) Spinelli, and the late Howard (the late Mary) Kraus. Special brother in law of Barbara Hirt and David (Angela) Hirt. Dear uncle to several nieces and nephews. Visitation Saturday, February 26, 2022, 3-8 PM with a Rosary 5:30 pm at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (n. of 22 mile Rd.), Shelby Twp. Friends and family will gather on Saturday March 19 at 9:30 until 10:30 AM Mass of Remembrance at St. Hyacinth Catholic Church 3151 Farnsworth (corner of McDougal), Detroit. In lieu of flowers please donate blood to the American Red Cross which is in critical shortage.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 26. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
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## Instate at Church

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MAR 19. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Hyacinth  
3151 Farnsworth  
Detroit, Mi

## Funeral Mass

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MAR 19. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Hyacinth  
3151 Farnsworth  
Detroit, Mi

# Tribute Wall

RC

“ *Rest in hell you POS.*

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**Ruined lives due to corruption** - March 05, 2025 at 11:04 PM

PV

“ *I knew Jim as a blue coat at the Circuit Court. I will always be so happy to see him. We would always greet each other with a handshake and a hug. He was a wonderful guy and I will miss him!! May God rest your soul in heavenly peace and may He comfort those whose lives will now have a void without you. RIP my friend!!*

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**Phil Vera** - March 26, 2022 at 05:40 PM

JK

“ *Worked with Jim at Macomb Protective Services he was a very kind person and it was always pleasure to talk with him  
Condolences to his family*

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**John Krzesimowski (Johnny K)** - March 26, 2022 at 02:27 PM

GL

“ *I am so sad to hear of Jim's passing. He was always one of my favorite "blue coats". He was always friendly and engaging....he always asked about my boys and made sure that I was doing alright. My prayers are with his family and loved ones. He will be missed.*

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**Gloria** - March 02, 2022 at 01:47 PM

LA

“ My condolences to Jim's family. He was always so nice and friendly to work with while he was working as a security officer at Macomb Probation.

Lauren - March 02, 2022 at 10:00 AM

BG

“ Your friendship was a blessing and your memory a treasure. You will be missed beyond measure.

Bob Gudenau - February 23, 2022 at 02:09 PM

RD

“ Great boss I worked with him at the macomb county protective services. He will be missed

robin demuynck - February 22, 2022 at 07:36 PM

DK

“ Jim was great to work with and always fun to talk to at the Court. I was a Protective Service Officer that served with him. He was a good man and Officer. He will be missed.

David Keene

David Keene - February 22, 2022 at 10:05 AM

SN

“ I have always lived with the understanding that it's what's "beneath the surface" that matters most. Though you were reluctant to let people see, beneath the surface there was a good man, huge heart, always willing to help a friend. You and your infectious laugh will be missed my friend. Prayers for your family. RIP Jim.”

Scott Nobles - February 21, 2022 at 11:48 AM

JW

“ Sending my condolences to Sue and their entire family. . Jim was part of the Guard team that worked along side of the cashroom staff at the Palace. Enjoyed many good conversations and some good chuckles. Jim was a good man, with a good heart and soul. May he Rest In Peace .

*Jan Willhite-Iserman*

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**Jan Willhite-Iserman** - February 21, 2022 at 09:44 AM

TM

“ My condolences to Jim's family . I worked with him at Macomb protective services and enjoyed his conversation and banter . He was affable and pleasant to all. He will be missed at the courthouse.

*Tim Monti*

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**tim monti** - February 19, 2022 at 07:44 PM

CA

“ Sue and family,  
So sorry for your loss, keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers! Jim will remain forever in your hearts 💔💔



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**Caryn (Valentic) Anderson** - February 19, 2022 at 07:18 PM

JS

“ A great guy to work with, a real friend who loved his family and loved to talk about them! He will be missed by all of us.

*Jim Scanlon,  
Retired from the office of Macomb County Sheriff and currently  
Macomb county protective services officer where I worked with Jim  
for many years.*

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**Jim Scanlon** - February 19, 2022 at 06:09 PM

DK

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*David Keene*

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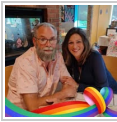
**David Keene** - February 22, 2022 at 09:57 AM

AJ

*I was Jim's partner at Probation for several years. He was will liked and we had plenty of funny stories to share. He will be missed. I will keep Jim and his family in my prayers. Rest in peace good friend. Andrew Kapusta Jr.*

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**Andrew Kapusta Jr** - February 23, 2022 at 01:29 PM



*Jim brought joy to work everyday and we were all the better as a result. I will miss his big smile and even bigger heart. My deepest sympathy to his family.*

*Anne Peters  
Agent MDOC (Retired)*

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**Anne Peters** - March 01, 2022 at 03:02 PM