



Lloyd Collins James

April 11, 1934 - June 3, 2019

Conway...

Master Sergeant, Lloyd James, US Air Force (Ret), age 85, passed away Monday, June 3, 2019 at his residence with his family by his side.

Lloyd was born April 11, 1934 in Loris, a son of the late Leamon and Ina Harris James. Lloyd graduated from Loris High School in 1951, before joining the Air Force. He retired a Master Sergeant in US Air Force. Military life was an honor and led Lloyd and family to many parts of the world from Fairbanks, Alaska to Tehran, Iran. He was an avid fan of sports and he loved Carolina Gamecocks the Atlanta Braves. Lloyd was a lover of good music, namely Creedance Clearwater Revival and Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons. Lloyd loved a good party and will be remembered for his "gator" dancing skills while the band played "Shout" He was a lover of fun, friends, and family. He was unselfish and made himself available to any and all that needed him. He will be remembered for his kindness and dry wit. Lloyd was a skilled artist, his talent for making homes beautiful remains unmatched and can be seen in many residences and businesses across the coastal area. Lloyd and his wife Carol owned and operated James Decorators until retirement in the early 2000s. He is a member of First Baptist Church in Conway SC. Lloyd is preceded in death by son Gary Dean James.

Surviving are his loving wife of 66 years Carol Dutton James; son Steven Randall James (Kitten) of Conway; daughter Robyn Caroline James - Ruff (Mark) of Conway; honorary daughter Sallie Sasser- Glover; grandchildren

Brandy Marie James, Gary Dean James II, Alyssa Blake James and Krista Alexandria "Alex" Ruff; great grandchildren Jacob Lars Stiebel and Rebecca Bree Stiebel; brothers Leamon Dewey "Dew" James (Barbara), Charles Edward James (Hester), Herman Paul James (Shelba), Robert Wayne James (Linda), Bobby Reynolds James (Judy) and his beloved daughter-in-law Dianne James; many special nieces and nephews; special friend Carol Fusco and his beloved companions that seem lost without him, his dogs Bo and Kandi.

A Celebration of Life Services will be held at 2:00 PM Thursday, June 6, 2019 Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel officiated by Celebrant Heather Black. Full Military Honors to follow the Service.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

Lloyd's family wishes to thank Crescent Hospice for their kindness and compassion over the last two weeks.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Fostering Hope at <<http://www.fosteringhopeinc.com/donate>> or Grand Strand Humane Society at <<https://www.grandstrandhumanesociety.com/how-you-can-help/donate/>> Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is serving the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel
606-610 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526

Memorial Service

JUN 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LC

“ *Carol Faye, so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you & your family. Lynda Prince, Shannon-Chipps*

Lynda Prince Shannon Chipps - July 03, 2019 at 08:38 AM

CM

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Christine McMillan - June 13, 2019 at 07:06 AM

GR

“ *Glenna Rogers lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Collins James*



glenna rogers - June 12, 2019 at 11:50 PM

WJ

“ *Sorry to hear of the loss of Mr. James. He and my Mom (Roberta Harris Gerald deceased 11/2/2018) were 1st cousins. She spoke of the James often. Cherish the precious memories and they will give you comfort during this time of grief.*

Wanda Jordan - June 05, 2019 at 05:56 PM

JG

“ *I will miss you Uncle Lloyd. The world lost one of the best people I have ever known.* ”



Jennifer Grainger - June 05, 2019 at 09:40 AM



“ *I'm so sorry. Prayers for family and friends.* ”

Doris Boyd Piver



Doris Boyd-Piver - June 05, 2019 at 09:08 AM

BJ

“ *Bob Joyner lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Collins James* ”



Bob Joyner - June 04, 2019 at 08:13 PM

BJ

Always had fun with him. Very cool man. My condolences to the family.

Bob Joyner - June 04, 2019 at 08:15 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lloyd Collins James.*



June 04, 2019 at 03:30 PM



“ *Denise Brodey Sunderland purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lloyd Collins James.*



Denise Brodey Sunderland - June 04, 2019 at 01:47 PM



“ *Dottie Lavergne lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Collins James*



Dottie Lavergne - June 04, 2019 at 01:28 PM



“ *Gene McDowell lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Collins James*



Gene McDowell - June 04, 2019 at 01:07 PM



Lloyd was the best. Followed Nite Shift from Pee Dee to the beach. I love Lloyd and the James family

Gene McDowell - June 04, 2019 at 01:07 PM

GO

“ *Carol my thoughts and prayers are with you and family..Lloyd was a great guy .we had many good times together. Couples club,clubs at the beach following the children’s band.Fish fries ,and BBQs at the beach . Love you’ll George Oliver*

George Oliver - June 04, 2019 at 12:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lloyd Collins James.*



June 04, 2019 at 12:25 PM