



James "Jess" "Jim" Evans

October 4, 1937 - September 10, 2013

James W. "Jess" "Jim" Evans, 75, of Union Hill, passed away Tuesday (Sept. 10, 2013) at ManorCare Health Services in Kankakee. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. Friday until the 8 p.m. prayer service at the Brown Funeral Home in Manteno. The Rev. Jerimiah Byers will officiate. Burial will be private.

Mr. Evans was a carpenter. He worked at VanFab and Gould National Battery. He was born Oct. 4, 1937, in Dahlgren, the son of Alphonse and Nellie Cox Evans. He was a member of the Wild Turkey Federation and enjoyed helping people with various fundraisers. He loved hosting card games, fishing and especially riding his 4-wheeler. He loved the outdoors and being with his family and friends.

Surviving are two daughters and sons-in-law, Teresa and John Rademacher, of Manteno, and Linda and Roger McBride, of Zanesville, Ohio; grandchildren, Jennifer and Dylan Zacharias, Jeannie and Jason Cobstill, Jamie and Jim Wischnowski, Jessica and Matt Winland and Melissa McBride; great-grandchildren, Bret, Brandon, Blake, Tyler, Jasmine, Ashtyn, Zac, Jack, Cassie and Meadow; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Joann and Jess James, of Ohio, Barb and Bennie Guynn, of southern Illinois; and two brothers and sisters-in-law, Boz and Louise Evans, of Peoria, and Jerry and Darlene Scott, of southern Illinois.

He was preceded in death by his parents; stepdad, Banks Scott; and his special aunt, Betty Cox.

Cemetery Details

Private Burial

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **13.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *James "Jess" "Jim" Evans*

October 06, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ *HAPPY FATHERS DAY DAD, I LOVE YOU AND MISS YOU EVERY DAY!!*

LINDA MCBRIDE, HIS DAUGHTER - June 15, 2014 at 09:03 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with Theresa and all of the family. We love you!*

Barb Clarence Riesebeck - September 20, 2013 at 05:50 PM



“ *Thanks for all the wonderful memories, all the knowledge you shared, all the tricks you played and most of all your friendship. May God hold you in his arms till we all meet again.*



Tammy Kamp - September 13, 2013 at 02:56 PM



“ *love you ... always... Peggy Sue*



Peggy Sue Withrow - September 13, 2013 at 12:09 PM

JM

“ James Majesky lit a candle in memory of James "Jess" "Jim" Evans



james majesky - September 13, 2013 at 08:47 AM

RK

“ Rachel Fruehling, ManorCare Of Kankakee lit a candle in memory of James "Jess" "Jim" Evans



Rachel Fruehling, ManorCare of Kankakee - September 12, 2013 at 12:00 PM

TL

“ Theodore G Lease lit a candle in memory of James "Jess" "Jim" Evans



Theodore G Lease - September 12, 2013 at 11:24 AM

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“ I remember Jim when he worked at Gould. Never forget when Lyle Myers decided to cut Jim's hair and clipped Jim's ear. I think us old timers will always remember the kidding around and tricks that used to be played by Jim and Lyle and Bill Boumpous.

Jim, God Bless you in your new home.

Ted Lease

Theodore G Lease - September 12, 2013 at 11:23 AM