



James Casper Myers

February 6, 1930 - August 10, 2023

James “Jim” “Jimmy” Myers Obituary

James Casper Myers of Edinburg, VA passed away on August 10th, 2023.

He was preceded in death by his grandson Joseph P. Trunz IV, 3 brothers, 3 sisters, 6 stepbrothers, and 2 stepsisters.

He is survived by his loving wife Dolores Myers, daughter Donna Trunz and husband Joseph, grandson James Trunz, and granddaughter Tatiana Trunz.

Orphaned at the age of eight, Jim had a rough start in life. Though he came from humble beginnings, through hard work and determination he achieved success and created a wonderful life for his family. In fact, he built or helped to build several of the family’s homes. He was skilled in electrical work, plumbing, carpentry, woodworking, mechanical work, and gardening. In short, he could figure out how to build, fix, or grow almost anything.

Jim also had a sense of adventure. Together, he and Dolores traveled to all 50 states, Canada, and Australia. He loved to drive and was blessed with that independence until the age of 92.

Though he was talented in many areas, his passion was serving others. After

the Army he went on to serve as one of the earliest members in Fairfax County Fire Services. Jim loved everything about being a fireman, from protecting the community to taking care of the men in his station. Expressing that care through his talent for cooking earned him the nickname “Captain Cook”.

After retiring from the fire service, he continued to be involved with his community by serving in the United Methodist Church.

Jim was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather. Dolores was the love of his life from the moment he laid eyes on her at the roller skating rink, where he showed off and picked her up each time she fell. Together they were blessed with nearly 70 happy years of marriage. His daughter and grandchildren were his pride and joy. His love and strong family values will be passed down through future generations.

Jim was truly selfless. He gave fully from his heart, soul and body. He faithfully gave blood several times a year, from early adulthood into his eighties, and was the type of person that never owned a brand new car. Instead he chose to buy more important things ... a meal, a tank of gas, or even a hotel room for a stranger in need. Though, he never actually met a person that he did not consider to be a friend. He greeted everyone with his infectious smile and put them at ease with his great sense of humor.

Jim touched the hearts of many people in many different ways. His joyful and selfless expressions of love will be deeply missed by all that knew him.

It is truly difficult to describe such a beautiful, loving soul with mortal words.

Viewing - Thursday August 17th, 6-8PM

Pierce Funeral Home

9609 Center St, Manassas, VA 20110

Service - Friday August 18th, 12 noon
Centreville United Methodist Church
6400 Old Centreville Rd, Centreville, VA 20121

Burial - Friday August 18th, 2PM
Stonewall Memory Gardens
12004 Lee Hwy, Manassas, VA 20109

In lieu of flowers please send donations in memory of James Myers to:

Tunnel to Towers Foundation
2361 Hylan Boulevard
Staten Island, NY 10306

to learn more about Tunnel to Towers please go to t2t.org

Cemetery Details

Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Funeral Service

AUG 18. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Centreville United Methodist Church
6400 Old Centreville Road
Centreville, VA

Tribute Wall

DT

“ 30 files added to the album *Through the Years*



Donna Trunz - January 25, 2025 at 05:46 PM

PM

“ *Jim was the first person to greet and welcome us into the neighborhood many years ago riding his lawnmower up to our house. It was always a joy to have Dolores and Jim come for a visit up to the house or out to Vernon's garden in the summer. We loved to play dominos together which became a frequent tradition too. Jim always found ways to help us with his carpentry skills. He is greatly missed. Polly and Linda*

Polly & Linda McManamay - September 08, 2023 at 05:49 PM

DD

“ *Dear Delores,
You and Jim were the first people we met when we attended Woodstock UMC. We were made to feel welcomed and loved because of both of you. We have missed you both and send our love and support to you now. Love, Denise and Randy Doyle - "the pineapples" as you named us!*

Denise DOYLE - August 17, 2023 at 10:05 AM



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

August 16, 2023 at 02:57 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James Casper Myers.



August 16, 2023 at 02:57 PM



“ Jimmy was a great friend, great Christian inspiration to me, and a great brother-in law. I'll miss him until we meet again in Heaven. Mary.

Mary Kaye - August 16, 2023 at 02:51 PM



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

August 16, 2023 at 08:22 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Casper Myers.



August 16, 2023 at 08:22 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Casper Myers.*



August 15, 2023 at 09:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Casper Myers.*



August 15, 2023 at 09:14 PM