



Phillip R. James

March 24, 1939 - October 15, 2022

Phillip R. James, 83, of North Tonawanda, Saturday (October 15, 2022) at home surrounded by family under the care of Niagara Hospice. Phillip was born in Ebensburg, Pennsylvania on March 24, 1939 to Russell and Margaret (Sterner) James. Phillip was a United States Navy Veteran, retired from General Motors Powertrain, active member of Crowsnest Fishing club, avid outdoorsman who enjoyed hunting, fishing, golf, and spending time in Cuba, New York.

Phillip was predeceased by his wife of 45 years Barbara F. James (Pich), who died in 2021 and sister Rebecca Abbarno, 2013.

Phillip is survived by his children Tracey (Michael) Warning, and Don (Lois) Keller, Sandie (Joe) Kobee, Phillip R. Vernon, Sr. and Susan (Ken) Seth, grandfather of Jammie (Ken) Horn, Michael Warning, Jr.; Lindsay (Charles, Jr.) Sanfilippo, Carlos Keller, Brittany (Justin) Thomas, Chelsea Kobee, Phillip Vernon, Jr, and Nicholas Seth, great grandfather of Zachary, Andrew, Nolan, and Olivia Horn, Michael Dahlman, Charles Sanfilippo, III, Henry and Josephine Sanfilippo, also surviving are many nieces and nephews. Friends may call Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 P.M. at the Wattengel Funeral Home , 533 Meadow Drive, North Tonawanda, where funeral services will be held Thursday at 1 PM. Interment White Chapel Memorial Park. If desired memorials may be made to Niagara Hospice or Disabled American Veterans. Wattengel.com

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Memorial Park

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
North Tonawanda, NY 14120
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Second Visitation

OCT **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

WATTENGEL FUNERAL HOME
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Funeral Service

OCT **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Phillip R. James.



October 20, 2022 at 07:21 AM



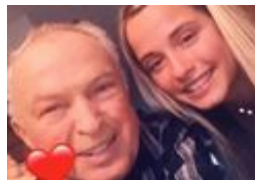
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October 19, 2022 at 12:01 PM



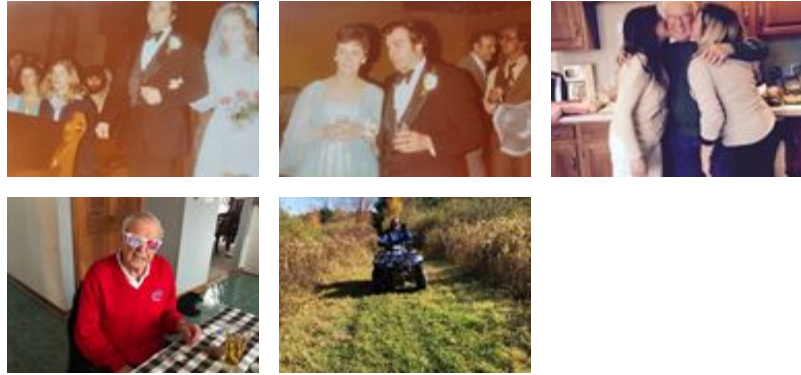
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Wattengel Funeral Home - October 18, 2022 at 03:26 PM



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Wattengel Funeral Home - October 18, 2022 at 11:52 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Phillip R. James.



October 18, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Daniel Rossi* purchased the *Strength & Solace S* pray for the family of Phillip R. James.



Daniel Rossi - October 18, 2022 at 08:18 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Phillip R. James.*



October 17, 2022 at 03:09 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Phillip R. James.*



October 17, 2022 at 07:12 AM