



James H. Harlan

March 14, 1934 - January 15, 2022

James H. Harlan, 87, of Indianapolis, passed away January 15, 2022. He was born March 14, 1934 in Indianapolis to the late Ray and Lena Harlan. Jim proudly served his country in the U.S. Army and was an electrical contractor before beginning his career with the Indianapolis Fire Department. He worked at Station 15 and Station 25, retiring after 23 years of service. Jim was an amateur photographer for the Indianapolis News for many years.

Jim is survived by his wife of 65 years, Carol Ann Harlan; children, Jay (Debra) Harlan, Jeffrey (Lezlie) Harlan and Julia Corcione (Jerry); sister, Dorothy Hyfield; four grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren. A grandson, Neil Harlan, preceded him in death.

Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Irving Hill Chapel.

Tribute Wall

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“ About 20 years ago a bunch of us used to travel around central Indiana participating in various shooting matches. I often rode with Jim to the matches. Once he told me that he was glad that we "young guys" let him shoot with us. Man, did he have that backwards. It was an honor and a privelege to hang with Jim. RIP Jim Harlan

Bruce Hurley - January 21, 2022 at 06:38 PM

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Jim was such a pleasure to be around. Jim will be missed by many at MCFG

Andy Swails - January 21, 2022 at 10:37 PM

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“ that picture and smile says it all. Jim took the best pictures of our wedding of 60 years ago that we could have ever had. What great neighbors he and his wife and children and "Grandma Harlan" were. Fond memories of living with them as our friends; oh, and must not forget how they turned our family onto geocaching that our daughter has done through out our entire United States. Hope to see Carol when the weather turns much warmer!!

barbara Hensley - January 20, 2022 at 10:47 AM