



James Elwood Ready

October 12, 1946 - June 27, 2014

James E. "Jim" Ready, age 67, of Dixon, died Friday June 27, 2014, at KSB Hospital in Dixon. He was born October 12, 1946, in Peoria, the son of Harold E. and Evelyn L. (Ragan) Ready.

He had worked for Anchor Coupling in Dixon and Sterling, and then Caterpillar in Aurora prior to his retirement.

Jim was a Veteran of the Marines serving during the Vietnam Era. He had been a member of the Dixon American Legion.

He married Sandy Carr in Morrison December 14, 1986.

He was also preceded in death by his parents and an infant daughter Brenda. Survivors include his wife of Dixon; 5 children Colleen (Dave) Owens of Albert Lee, MN; Kevin (Amy) Ready of Sterling; Natalie (Joe) Brazil of Albert Lee, MN; Keith (Terri) Carr of Longmont, CO; and Kevin (Michele) Carr of Dixon; 14 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; 1 brother John (Kathy) Ready of Norco, CA.

Private Family Graveside services will be held on Tuesday, July 1, 2014, at Rock Island National Cemetery. There will be no public services or visitation.

A memorial has been established.

Cemetery Details

Rock Island National Cemetery

Bldg 118
Rock Island Arsenal
Rock Island, IL 61299
<http://www.cem.va.gov/CEMs/nchp/rockisland.asp>

Previous Events

Service

JUL 1 (CT)
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Tribute Wall



“ *James Elwood Ready*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *James Elwood Ready*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Sandra Ready purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of James Elwood Ready.*



Sandra Ready - June 30, 2014 at 10:03 AM



“ *Alvina lit a candle in memory of James Elwood Ready*



alvina - June 29, 2014 at 02:04 PM



Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of Jim. I worked with Jim when he was at Anchor Coupling/Caterpillar. He was a great person and never failed to bring a smile to my face when I needed to call him for his expertise, regardless of what my day was like. Take comfort in knowing you now have an angel watching over you. Keeping your family in my prayers. Jennifer Morrissey

Jennifer Morrissey - June 30, 2014 at 08:46 AM