



James Reese Davis

November 16, 1952 - October 1, 2021

Davis, James R. Age 68, of Shakopee, MN, passed away Oct. 1, 2021 surrounded by family. He was born Nov. 16, 1952 in Mpls. He graduated from Richfield High School and received his automotive service technician certification at Dunwoody College. Jim went on to work as an automotive mechanic for 30+ years. He then began his career at Seafoam Sales Company as their technical director. The folks at Seafoam quickly became like family. From a young age, Jim was a car guy. He began his oval track racing career in the late 1970s and then transitioned to drag racing in the late 1980s. He loved being at the race track with family. His biggest accomplishment at the track was his National Event win in Brainerd, August of 2017. Survived by his two daughters, whom he was most proud of, Kayla (Steven) Gruber and Danielle Davis (David Skjefte); five grandkids, Brayden, Cameron, Carson, Calvin, & Delilah; brother, Tom (Marie); nieces, Julie (Jim) Konija, Nicole (Brendan) Chamberlain; nephew, Richard; great-nephews and great-niece; other family and many friends. Preceded in death by father, Richard L. Sr.; mother, Frances; beloved aunt, Mildred Elfmann; brother, Richard L. Jr.; and close friends, Sam and Sandy Dercole. Memorial service 2:00 pm Thursday, Oct. 7, with visitation two hours prior, at: Washburn-McReavy.com Glen Haven Chapel 763-533-8643 5125 W. Broadway, Crystal

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429
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Memorial Service

OCT 7. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a James Reese Davis Memorial Service in memory of James Reese Davis



Washburn-McReavy - October 05, 2021 at 08:35 AM

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“ I am sorry that we were unable to come up for Jim's memorial service. BUT watched it on computer.. Please accept this hug from Joann and I. Jim was GREAT to work with, and I am SO happy to learn that all y'all will be with us some day in HEAVEN. PRAISE THE LORD ! Dale & Joann Lackore - from Texas

Dale & Joann Lackore - October 07, 2021 at 04:25 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James Reese Davis.



October 05, 2021 at 12:20 PM



“ *-Racers For Christ, Joey & Diana Keith purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James Reese Davis.*



-Racers For Christ, Joey & Diana Keith - October 05, 2021 at 12:20 PM



“ *Rose Romanesque Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Reese Davis.*



October 05, 2021 at 09:52 AM