



James P. Gilroy

April 19, 2016

Gilroy, James P. Age 67, of Mpls., born in Bettendorf, IA, passed away April 19, 2016. Preceded in death by his father, John, and sister Maggie. Jim was a valued and dedicated member of Xcel Energy's NSPM Regulatory department for almost 38 years. He was enthusiastic about emerging energy issues and loved teaching others. Jim gave back. He volunteered many hours for United Way, served on the Board for Summit Academy, Harriet Tubman Center, Kenwood Isles Area Association, YouthCARE, Midwest Minority Supplier Development Council, and others. Jim was a true Renaissance man, passionate about people, world cultures, science, math, music, art, languages, etc. A life-long learner, he was also a selfless, kind, thoughtful, gentle man who put others first and will be deeply missed by all who knew him. Survived by his adoring wife, Debra; mother, Dorothy; brother, Jack; sister, Mary; nephew, Brian Farmer. Memorial service Saturday, May 7 11:00 AM, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 4100 Lyndale Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN. Visitation two hours prior to service with luncheon to follow. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred. Washburn-McReavy.com Davies Chapel 612-377-2203

Tribute Wall

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“ I had the chance to meet Jim and a few other Gilroys in doing family genealogy with his dad John Gilroy. What a great family! I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I certainly hope his services are a celebration of his great life!
....Therese Hart Beswick 3rd cousin to Jim.

Therese Hart Beswick - May 01, 2016 at 07:30 PM

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“ My sympathy to all of the family. I just read of James passing away in newspaper.
I knew James when he came with his family to visit my dad who was a cousin of his father, John. So sorry.
Mary Hart Flaherty
Davenport, Ia

Mary Flaherty - May 01, 2016 at 07:08 PM

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“ I fondly remember Jim and am wishing you comfort as you celebrate his life.. My aunt Sister Mary Laurent taught Jim math at Assumption and thought him especially intelligent & talented. My heart goes out to all the family. Peace to your hearts. Dyan McClimon-Miller, Boston, MA

Dyan McClimon-Miller - May 01, 2016 at 05:54 PM

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Please accept my late comment. I worked with Jim at Xcel Energy. We worked together on Habitat For Humanity projects sometimes so that we can spend more time together. Jim was very nice, humble person. I missed him. I think about him a lot. RIP - my friend. My sympathy to all of his loved ones.

Bihari Desai - October 13, 2020 at 03:02 PM