



James Edward William Glockzin

November 10, 1931 - May 19, 2024

James (Jim) Glockzin, age 92 of Coon Rapids passed away peacefully. He is preceded in death by parents Victor and Margaret, son Rob, step-daughter Sharrie, brother John, and first wife Bernadette.

He is survived by wife Diane; daughter Recia; step-daughters Shannan (Mike) and Shelly (Cory); grandchildren Brian (Abbie), Michael, Sean, Christian (Jake), Rylee (Morgan), Danielle (Tom), Rayna, Torann; great-grandchildren Ariana, Naomi, and Genie; and many other family and friends.

Jim was a 3 star bronze medal recipient in the Korean War. He graduated from Frederic High School in Wisconsin. Jim was very active including playing saxophone in the popular band the Versatones. He was a dancer, golfer, and coach. He was a business owner of Speedy Market and Brownberry bread route and Jim's B-Line Market. He was a high energy man who could not be kept down after retirement. He was still an avid golfer, working at Francis Gross Golf Course and drove limo for Carey International.

Visitation to take place Thursday May 23 4:00-8:00 PM at Washburn-McReavy Hillside Chapel, 2610 19th Ave NE, Minneapolis. Service Friday May 24 11:00 AM at Nativity Lutheran, 3312 Silver Lake Rd NE, St Anthony, with visitation at 10:00 AM, and reception to follow service. Burial at Hillside Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 23. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hillside Chapel
2610 19th Avenue N.E.
Minneapolis, MN 55418

Visitation

MAY 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Nativity Lutheran Church
3312 Silver Lake Road
St. Anthony, MN 55418

Church Service

MAY 24. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Nativity Lutheran Church
3312 Silver Lake Road
St. Anthony, MN 55418

Reception

MAY 24. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Nativity Lutheran Church
3312 Silver Lake Road
St. Anthony, MN 55418

Graveside Service

MAY **24**. 1:45 PM - 2:15 PM (CT)

Hillside Cemetery (Minneapolis)
2600 19th Ave NE
Minneapolis, MN 55418

Tribute Wall

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“ Loved Jim on the golf course. He was a great competitor and friendly guy. Oh, and he could tell many stories too. William Shatner (Capt. Kirk) was once a passenger in Jim's limo.

Perry Thorvig - May 29, 2024 at 05:53 PM

RW

“ There was never a kinder or more enjoyable person on this planet. Underneath his kindness was also a reluctant but brave warrior who saved the lives of other GIs in Korea and earned a Bronze Star for it.

Jim was a favorite of our entire family. He always had a smile and a fun story to tell regardless of the circumstance, and would make others smile. He was blessed with a great gift of story telling and made others feel good just being around him. I am sure Jim is in heaven telling stories and laughing with his Mom and Uncle George.

Ron Wolff - May 23, 2024 at 04:40 PM

TA

“ Very sad to see Jim has passed. He was a fantastic driver for us. Always knew how to take care of the customer. We worked around his golf schedule and that was great. Our condolences to his family. Jim was one of a kind and the best gentleman. Todd

Todd Anderson - May 21, 2024 at 11:23 AM

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“ Steve Glockzin & Sharon West planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Edward William Glockzin.

Steve Glockzin & Sharon West - May 21, 2024 at 09:54 AM

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“ Steve Glockzin & Sharon West purchased the Love's Journey for the family of James Edward William Glockzin.



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