



Wesley J. Kipp

June 9, 1941 - January 11, 2021

Rensselaer- Wesley James Kipp, Sr., 79 of West Sand Lake NY entered Eternal life today January 11, 2021 6:35 AM at his daughter's home in Albany NY, surrounded by his loved ones. He was the son of the late Edgar and Dorothy (Atwood) Kipp.

He was known by friends and family as Jim. Everyone who knew him would tell you he had a big heart and a strong sense of humor and fairness. His family was his priority, and this was evident in how he cared for his children. He worked for many years as a heavy equipment operator with Conrail, and retired as a hydraulic engineer at Albany Hydraulics. Most weekends he would be found putting around his yard at home in West Sand Lake.

He is pre-deceased by his first wife Mary Jane Kipp, sister Dorothy and Brother Peter.

He is survived by his current wife Patricia Kipp, brother George, sister Pat, and his children Jim Kipp Jr (Luciana), Kenneth Kipp (Kim), Daniel Kipp, Mary Jane Willey (John), and Richard Kipp (Debbie). He was very blessed to have grandchildren that he adored, Michael (Cynthia), Mikayla (Fred), Brandon,

Breanna, Brodie, Bethany (Brandon), Jamie, Joshua, JJ, Jessica and Justin,
and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Alzheimer's association or
Rensselaer Hospice.

To leave a message for the family please visit www.LGFuneralHome.com

Tribute Wall

WA

“ I just found Uncle Jim’s Obituary 4 years after his passing in 2021. Living in Florida for the last 20 years and out of the Family loop, I was not aware that he passed. He was a lot of fun to be around. He was a part of my life since the 60s. To my the cousin Jim Jr, and all of my Cousins , I am so saddened by your Fathers loss. He worked for my Dad in Construction and was always there for Our Family. I will miss him until, Jesus calls him from his sleep in the Future and he returns to life here on Earth.
Love you all your Cousin Wayne

Wayne Anderson - October 28, 2025 at 10:33 PM

FR

“ Mary I am so sorry, this has to be so difficult for you

Florence Recupero - January 17, 2021 at 05:38 PM

NC

“ Pat and family, I am so very sorry for your loss. I saw Jim and Pat often while walking my dog Lupita, who was quite smitten with Jim. We are very sad to lose such a sweet neighbor and friend.

Nancy Clarke - January 15, 2021 at 09:30 PM

LA

“ So sorry for your father's loss....I remember seeing your dad doing that puttering around the house on the weekends.....I know he loved his kids that;s for sure.....my thoughts are prayers are with you all
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Laura Avery - January 15, 2021 at 08:13 AM

DG

“ *Patty ,I am so so sorry to her about the loss of your husband , rest in peace Jim .My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*

Donna Lynn Garcia - January 14, 2021 at 08:34 PM

RK

“ *My name is Roger Kipp and I was Jim's cousin from Pittsfield, MA. He was a great guy and an older cousin who I really enjoyed being around. While I did see his brothers Peter and George a fair amount, I did not see Jim much as he lived in NY state and I was in central Mass.
I wish I had seen him more. My best to his large family. Another railroad man in the family. His father, Edgar, and my father, Oscar, had also been railroad guys, so I guess it runs in the family.*

Roger Kipp - January 14, 2021 at 12:17 PM



Roger thank you, Please look me up on Facebook Jim Kipp

Jim Kipp - February 01, 2021 at 08:05 AM

JH

“ *I have such great memories of your Dad.
He was always so kind and happy, a wonderful person to be around.
My prayers are with you during this difficult time. God's Blessings to your family. May he rest in peace.
With Love,
Judy & Jim Healey*

Judy Healey - January 14, 2021 at 11:32 AM

SR

“ Our hearts and prayers go out to all of the Kipp family for your loss. I remember lots of memories of him when I lived in Averill Park when he and Aunt Mary were first starting out. He was a great additional to our family. Bless and keep him dear Lord. He is in great company .God bless to you all.

Susan and Terry Rodd - January 14, 2021 at 10:03 AM

TA

“ So very sorry for your loss. I remember Jim as always being vibrant, happy and always had time to listen. He will be missed by many , may he rest in eternal peace

Tammy - January 14, 2021 at 09:24 AM