



James (Jim) Wadle

December 22, 1941 - June 8, 2020

James Roland Wadle, Sr., of Terrell, passed away June 8, 2020. Jim was born in Mexia, Texas on December 22, 1941 to Marvin, Sr., and Margaret Wadle, both of whom preceded him in death along with his brother, Marvin “Sonny” Wadle, Jr.

Jim enlisted in the United States Navy with a duty assignment with the Attach Squadron 81 and was stationed aboard the USS Forrestal. After his honorable discharge 1965, James came to Terrell and started his career as a machinist at VanderHorst. He worked there for 17 years before retiring. Never one to stay idle, Jim then worked at Bentley Hardware and Lumber (formerly McGintys) in Terrell. James has a knack for helping people with any home renovation or project they had. He would ask questions to find out the exact need of every customer and truly listen to the challenge so that he could find just the right tool and equipment for completing task.

When not working, Jim enjoyed being outside, hunting and fishing or riding his motorcycle as his favorite activities when the weather was nice. Jim also liked watching the Dallas Cowboys and car racing. He was also an active member of the Terrell Rifle Club.

Jim leaves to cherish his legacy to his loving wife, Helen Wadle of Terrell; son, James Wadle, Jr., and wife Cheryl of Corsicana, Texas; daughter, Melody Wadle of Corsicana; five grandchildren as well as other extended family and a host of friends.

His family will have a gathering of friends from 5:00pm to 7:00pm, Tuesday, June 16, 2020 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel where all are invited to share their favorite memory of Jim.

Cemetery Details

Dallas/Ft. Worth National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway
Dallas, TX 75211

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

JUN **16**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funeral Chapel
642 N. Rockwall Ave.
Terrell, TX 75160

Tribute Wall



“ *James (Jim) Wadle*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of James (Jim) Wadle.*



June 16, 2020 at 01:57 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James (Jim) Wadle.*



June 15, 2020 at 02:09 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of James (Jim) Wadle.*



June 13, 2020 at 11:13 AM

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“ Jim will be sorely missed by all who know him. Always had a smile and friendly disposition. We grieve with his family.

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Ed Waynick - June 12, 2020 at 09:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of James (Jim) Wadle.



June 09, 2020 at 04:13 PM