



James A. Covey Jr.

July 8, 1933 - January 13, 2020

Salem, NH – James A. Covey Jr., 86, of Salem, NH, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 13, 2020, surrounded by his loving family.

James was born in Hartford, CT on July 8, 1933 to the late James A. Covey Sr. and Phyllis (DeMonte) Covey.

He was raised and attended school in Rocky Hill, CT, after graduation he joined the United States Air Force and proudly served in the Korean War. Upon returning home, he married his wife Elizabeth (Lamoureux) Covey. Together they owned and operated Flowers by Constantine in Salem, NH.

As a man of strong faith, James was a founding member of Marriage Encounter, NH. He later served as a communicant at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church in Hampton.

James made lasting friendships while volunteering at the food pantry for St. Vincent de Paul, dedicating 10 selfless and tireless years of service to help those in need.

He was a family man and always put his wife and loved ones first, his greatest joy was spending time with his grandchildren. He enjoyed sharing meals with family & friends, a good book, a challenging puzzle, camping, traveling and

cheering on his beloved Yankees.

James is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Elizabeth; his children, James A. Covey III and his wife Lisa, Dennis Covey and his wife Lynne, Michael Covey and his wife Susan, Linda Cote and her husband Brian, Susan Garabedian and her husband Jerry, Rory Covey and his wife Kate; sisters, Loretta Ramsey and Mary Ryan, sister in law Nancy Banks and her husband Kenney, and brother in law Paul Lamoureux; as well as numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his great granddaughter, Aria Antoinette Covey, and brothers in law Frank Ramsey and Thomas Ryan.

Visiting hours are from 9AM – 11AM on Monday, January 20, 2020 in the Remick-Gendron Funeral Home, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton, NH. Immediately following visitation, family and friends are respectfully invited to attend a Funeral Mass at 11:30AM at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, 289 Lafayette Road, Hampton, NH. In lieu of flowers, if desired, donations may be made to the Aria Covey Foundation, 5 Cricket Ridge Drive, Windham, NH 03087 or St. Vincent de Paul, 289 Lafayette Road, Hampton, NH 03842.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **20**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory
811 Lafayette Road ·
Hampton, NH 03842
(603) 926-6500
info@remickgendron.com
<https://www.RemickGendron.com/>

Funeral Mass

JAN **20**. 11:30 AM (ET)

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church
289 Lafayette Road
Hampton, NH

Tribute Wall



“ *James A. Covey Jr.*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *371 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - January 18, 2020 at 10:56 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of James A. Covey Jr..*



January 17, 2020 at 02:05 PM

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“ No words can express how much we will miss our dear friend. We shared wonderful times camping, traveling to Nova Scotia, Washington, DC and other places, or just sharing a meal and playing 45's. He will be forever in our hearts. Rest well our beloved friend. Russ & Joan

Russ & Joan Gebo - January 17, 2020 at 11:37 AM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of James A. Covey Jr..



January 16, 2020 at 11:06 PM

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“ Our lives have been intertwined with Jim's for so long that we have many memories of our times with him - camping, beach walks, family gatherings, dinner outing and those casino trips. We will miss him always but will remember Jim with love and joy.
Kenney and Nancy Banks

Nancy Banks - January 16, 2020 at 08:55 AM

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“ I am very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this most difficult time.

Scott Priestley

Scott Priestley - January 16, 2020 at 08:18 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of James A. Covey Jr..*



January 16, 2020 at 07:36 AM



“ *So many good times with jim and betty not only as couples but as families loving and sharing the blessing and trials of our every day living. Blessings, prayers for jim and all the family.*

Love tina salmeri

Tina Salmeri - January 15, 2020 at 01:16 PM



“ *Many happy memories in the Covey household while growing up in Newington, CT. So many weekends while our parents were leading marriage encounter weekends. Much love to each of you. xoxo, mb*

Mary Beth Salmeri - January 15, 2020 at 12:38 PM



My thoughts and prayers go to the entire Covey Family at the loss of your husband, father, father in law, and grandfather. Every Christmas as I put out the statue of Santa kneeling at Baby Jesus manger I remember the Covey Family and the wonderful support and generosity you gave to me. That was the year Rory was in my Kindergarten class. I am grateful to have known Jim and all of your family. God Bless you .

Lois Goss

Lois Goss - January 20, 2020 at 03:56 PM