



James M. Doherty

December 16, 1953 - July 30, 2013

Hampton – James M. Doherty, 59, of Hampton, died Tuesday, July 30, 2013 at Portsmouth Regional Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born December 16, 1953 in Winchester, Mass., a son of Ethel (Newman) Doherty of Hampton and the late John “Jack “ Doherty.

He graduated from Vestal High School in Binghamton, NY and Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY.

Mr. Doherty was employed by Pipefitters Local 131 for over 30 years. He made his home in Hampton the past ten years coming from Lee.

After college in his younger years, he played AA baseball for the Atlanta Braves.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Deborah M. (Scott) Doherty, three children, Ashley Doherty of Northwood, James Doherty of Durham, Christian Doherty of Barrington, three grandchildren, his brother, Michael Doherty of Meriden, NH, and his sister, Kathleen Skonieczki of Hampton.

He was also predeceased by his brother, John “Jack” Doherty.

Private services will be held at the convenience of the family. Arrangements are by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton.

Tribute Wall



“ *James M. Doherty*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Sorry to learn so late of JD's sudden passing. He was a fierce high school basketball competitor against my former school, Catholic Central. Jim also held a great deal of respect as a baseball player by my friends who also played in the Minors. My sympathies to his family. Joe Windham*

Dr. Joseph E Windham - January 04, 2014 at 02:47 PM



“ *I played basketball with Jim in high school - it is still the highest ranked team Vestal has ever had and Jim was the leader. He was one of the best athletes I ever knew. Best wishes, thoughts and prayers.*

Roger Slawta - September 09, 2013 at 08:56 AM



“ *Rest in peace brother Jim. One of the best gone too soon.*

Dean Macdonald - August 09, 2013 at 01:48 PM



“ *rest in peace, jim*

mark neville - August 09, 2013 at 07:44 AM

TB

“ I'm so sorry. We all had some amazing times back in the day, didn't we?
I want to come and see you but I don't know where you are exactly.
Tocky

Tocky Bialobrzeski - August 06, 2013 at 09:42 AM

DD

Thank you very much Tocky, it has been a sad time and the kids are all taking it hard, as assumed. We did have some great times together traveling with the soccer club through the years. Those were the best days of my life and will always be in my heart, spent on the side of a field or in a hockey rink with my family watching one of the kids. I wish those days could go on forever, and I know Jim would have said the same, he will be missed and always in our hearts. We may have some get together in his memory after the wedding season somewhere, I will let you know when and where.....love and miss ya, Deb

deborah doherty - August 08, 2013 at 10:26 AM

JB

“ I'm sorry to hear about Jim's passing. I got to know Jim and his family when they first moved from MA to Vestal. Jim was a wonderful man and a gifted athlete. My prayers to the family that God will comfort you during this difficult time.

Jeff Beam

Jeff Beam - August 05, 2013 at 07:08 PM

DD

“ Jim you will be missed and loved for all time, wish we had some of the old years back, when the kids were young. Spending days at the beach with the kids finding crabs in the rocks and cooking out in the beautiful New Hampshire sunset. Or at a game watching them play, those are the days I will keep in my heart forever....love you always....Deb

deborah doherty - August 05, 2013 at 06:33 PM

RG

“ From our family to yours please accept our condolences, I will miss Jimmy greatly and the countless hours we spent working and traveling together so many years ago when we were younger. He was a great friend, always a top shelf guy and the best fitter I ever had!
Bobby Guy

Robert D. Guy - August 05, 2013 at 04:32 PM

DD

Thank you Bob, the kids and I really appreciate your thoughts and memories at this time, I remember those days and wish we could relive some of the good days when we were all young and new parents, hope you and your family are all well...love Deb

deborah doherty - August 05, 2013 at 06:21 PM

BS

“ Debbie- I don't know if you remember me but I remember you and Jim. We were neighbors in Stonecrist. I am so sorry for your loss. I hope you and the kids will use your wonderful memories to make this an easier time.
Becky Smith

becky smith - August 04, 2013 at 07:30 AM

DD

Thank you Becky, of course I remember all the fun times we all had at Stonecroft, hope you Harrison and the boys are doing well, the last time we saw each other was at a ball game that your Harrison was playing against my Christian, those were the fun times, and if Jim has his way, then he is probably rounding the bases heading for home.....love to you all.....Deb

deborah doherty - August 05, 2013 at 07:51 PM

JO

Today I was told of Jim's passing from my brother Nate. Our family and the Doherty's, who lived up the street, were very close for many years. Jim, Jack and Mike were the best athletes I have ever had the pleasure of being around. My sincere condolences to the Doherty family.

John Giorgio

John - November 11, 2014 at 04:47 AM

TB

Deb, my name is Tom Boone, and just by coincidence I am now finding out about Jim's passing. In a nutshell, I was a basketball teammate of Jim's at Ithaca College back in the day. What an athlete he was, and such a great guy. Many of us have stayed in touch, and I always wondered what happened to Jimmy. I don't know how many, if any, of his best friends at IC you knew, but one of his best friends, big John McCarthy passed away last July. That is two legends of IC athletics from the 70's gone way too soon. I don't know if you'll ever even read this note, but if you do, please know that your husband was revered by many at iC, and many, many, many of his former teammates, friends and coaches would be more than heartbroken to know of his early departure from life, his family and friends. On behalf of us all, I want to say that we hope that you, your children and your grandchildren are doing much better, and are all healthy and living well. With love from his buddies at IC, Tom Boone in Houston, Texas.

Tom Boone - May 07, 2016 at 11:29 PM

DD

Tom, thank you so much for your condolences, we all miss Jim everyday, and I will forward your thoughts to Jims mom also!!

Deborah Doherty - January 19, 2020 at 03:07 AM