



James Francis Parry

October 2, 1940 - December 12, 2020

James Francis Parry, 80, Oneonta, NY, passed away on December 12, 2020, at U. F. Health Leesburg, Leesburg, Florida. James was born on October 2, 1940, to his parents George B. Parry and Vilma (Amberg) Parry. He was an alumni of Xavier High School, New York City, NY, and St. Peter's College, Jersey City, NJ.

Jim and his wife June raised their family of four children in northern New Jersey where Jim was an enthusiastic gardener - for many years, growing most of the family's vegetables and raising chickens. He was a self-taught carpenter who could build anything from a chicken coop to a 3-bay garage. He was a securities trader for over 21 years before pulling up stakes and heading north to the hills of Otsego County with their youngest son to the property he and his wife bought early in their marriage. At first, he spent a couple of years getting to know the dirt roads and byways of the region while working as a delivery driver for local florists and transportation for cancer patients to Bassett Hospital. For the next 30 years he and his wife June built up their rental properties, housing families visiting the region for baseball tournaments and the Baseball Hall of Fame. About 10 years ago they joined the snowbirds and have now called Wildwood their winter home for the past few years. He was an avid reader of science, archeology, boating and fishing magazines.

Jim was the kind of man who loved his family first and foremost. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years: June Parry of Oneonta, NY; a son: James P. Parry of Buffalo, NY; two daughters: Jacqueline Parry of Laurens, NY and Judith Parry and her wife Jennifer Savino of Tampa, FL; a brother: John L. Parry of Port Jefferson, NY; a sister: Susan M. Madden of Rochester, NY. He was preceded in death by his parents, a son, John K. Parry, a daughter-in-law, Christine Fluhr, a grandson, Jacob R. Parry and a granddaughter-in-law, Mayra A. Parry.

A Funeral Mass of Resurrection will be held on Wednesday, April 7, 2021 at 11:00AM at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Wildwood, Florida. In lieu of flowers the family asks that you consider a donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital at stjude.org/memorial in his loving memory. Online condolences may be shared by visiting <http://www.pagetheus>

funeralhome.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Page-Theus Funeral Home and
Cremation Services, Leesburg, FL.

Cemetery

Events

Lone Oak Cemetery **APR** **Mass of the Resurrection** **11:00AM**

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Leesburg, FL,

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

5323 East County Road 462, Wildwood, FL, US, 34785

APR **Graveside Ceremony to follow Funeral Service** **12:15PM**

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Lone Oak Cemetery

Leesburg, FL, US

Comments



“ Gerald Guy Harring lit a candle in memory of James Francis Parry



gerald guy harring - April 28, 2021 at 09:15 PM



“ I have considered it to be a genuine pleasure to have been given the opportunity to get to know the Parry family these past few years. You would not ever meet a more hard-working, business savvy family who exemplify what it means to operate in an environment following the highest standards in both both business practices and ethics. So rare these days! He was at all times fair and a tough as nails negotiator who always tempered his rock solid business stance with a gentleman's delivery. I learned a great deal from this man- all good. Jim and family built a business on reputation, service, and consistency. I knew I had made acquaintances with he and the family at more the twilight side of his business career, but I still consider this a privilege to have gotten to know such a fine example of how a person should conduct themselves in the business world. Jim will surely be missed, and I am sure never forgotten. Take care June, Jackie, and family. My prayers are with you! Rodger Moran

Rodger Moran - December 23, 2020 at 02:34 AM



“ Lindy Ferguson lit a candle in memory of James Francis Parry



Lindy Ferguson - December 22, 2020 at 11:08 AM



“ Love and sympathy to June and all your family...
Rest in peace Jim, thank you for your friendship and wonderful talks, I will miss them

Lindy - December 22, 2020 at 11:11 AM