



James Hubbard

November 24, 1931 - March 31, 2022

James W. Hubbard, age 90 of Carbondale, passed away Thursday, March 31, 2022 in Reflections Memory Care.

He was born November 24, 1931 in Carbondale to John and Lura (Frost) Hubbard.

He proudly served his country in the United States Army.

In February of 1956 he married Alma Jewel Martin. They shared 62 years of making wonderful memories. She preceded him on March 25, 2018.

He had worked for the Agronomy Research Center in SIU Agriculture Department. He had participated in the Carbondale Farmers Market for over 40 years

He was a lifelong farmer on the Hubbard Farms, only halting farming to serve his country. He was a 4H leader for many years. He loved to travel.

James is survived by his children, Anita (Rex) Aldridge and Randy (Laura) Hubbard, all of Carbondale; grandchildren, John Waldron; Robert Hubbard; Jason (Valerie) Hubbard; Chris (Jordan) Hubbard and Jessica Hubbard; 6 great-grandchildren; a sister, Juanita Dean of Murphysboro; many other

relatives and a host of friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents; wife, Alma Jewel and a son, Michael Hubbard.

Funeral Services for James W. Hubbard will be Monday, April 4, 2022 at 1:00 pm in Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home with Pastor Kent Eaton. Interment will follow in Oakland Cemetery. Full Military Honors will be accorded by the Murphysboro American Legion Post #127 and the United States Air Force.

Visitation will be from noon until the hour service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to St. Francis Animal Shelter and will be accepted at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

Carbondale, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home - Old 13
31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 687-2500
crain@crainsonline.com

Funeral Service

APR 4. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *James Hubbard*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Anita & Rex and all the family,*

May you who loved and cared for Jim be comforted by memories of happy times shared over the years, and may he now rest in peace.

Ed O'Day

Customer and friend from the Farmer's Market from its opening days.

Edward O'Day - April 04, 2022 at 02:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Hubbard.*



April 02, 2022 at 11:54 PM



“ *I met James at Reflections Memory Care. He was a kind man and I liked talking with him. I was there yesterday and must say, he is not forgotten. Blessings of comfort and peace to his family and friends.*

Bari Lynn Nolen - April 02, 2022 at 09:39 AM

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“ *The memories I have of Jim and Alma when I was growing up. Spent many a day at their farm. Had to even quarantine there when Anita was sick. My mom babysat all three when they lived next door to us on South Logan Street in Carbondale. I loved spending time with them. Great, great Christian people who had a huge influence on my life!! I know we will meet again today me day in Heaven!!*

Sandra (Jackson) Miller - March 31, 2022 at 10:20 PM

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*I enjoyed meeting James at Reflections. I visit almost everyday and would speak to him when I saw him. A few weeks ago James and I had a long talk and he told me about his wife, family, farm and career. He loved his family! Condolences to you all and RIP my friend.
Paula Ritter Siefert*

Paula Siefert - April 03, 2022 at 04:30 PM

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My many blessings for your family..peace be with you . May you rise unto tomorrow 🙏..

Howerton .. - April 04, 2022 at 09:18 PM