



James "Jim" White Sr.

May 2, 1948 - February 4, 2019

James Robert "Jim" White Sr. passed away Monday, February 4, 2019 at his home in Caddo at the age of 70. He was born on May 2, 1948 in Sulphur Springs, TX to Roy T. White and Melba Inez (Sellers) White.

Jim spent his childhood in Whitesboro, TX. He graduated from Whitesboro High School then furthered his education at Grayson County Community College, Stephen F. Austin College, and Southeastern Oklahoma State University. He married the love of his life, Shirley Crook on May 24, 1969 in Pottsboro, TX. They spent 46 wonderful years together, until her passing on July 11, 2015. Jim earned a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice and graduated Suma Cum Laude. He was an intelligent man who had his hands in everything. Jim was employed in Texas all of his life and worked as a peace officer, environmental protection officer, fire marshal, and volunteer firefighter. He was a proud member of many organizations that include; Boy Scouts of America, Lambda Alpha Epsilon Fraternity for The American Criminal Justice Association, Texas Volunteer Firefighter Association, Texas Fire Marshal Association, Texas Police Officer Association, and Brown's Funeral Service's Healing Hearts Support Group. Jim was very personable and never met a stranger. He could sit and tell stories for hours, if you let him. He was of the Methodist faith and enjoyed woodworking, watching western movies, flowers, trees, kids, and his family.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Roy and Melba White; wife, Shirley White; brother, Charles LeRoy White and his beloved dog, Abigail.

Survivors include his daughter, Shirlyne White and husband, Tim; son, James Robert White Jr. and wife Vickie; grandsons, Steven and Thomas White; siblings, Joan and husband, John Carr, Lawrence Newton White and wife, Shannon, John Alton White and wife Lanae, Alelah Beth Cox and husband Roger along with many other family members and dear friends.

Graveside services to honor Jim's life will be held at 1:00 PM Saturday, February 9, 2019 at Georgetown Cemetery in Pottsboro, TX. Pallbearers will be the Grayson County Sheriff Department Honor Guard. The family will accept friends Friday evening from 6-8PM at the funeral home.

Contributions may be made to "Healing Hearts" at Brown's Funeral Service, Durant.

Online condolences may be made to the family at brownsfuneralservice.com

Services are under the direction of Brown's Durant Funeral and Cremation Service.

Previous Events

Family Hour

FEB 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

FEB 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

Georgetown Cemetery
Pottsboro , TX

Tribute Wall



“ James "Jim" White Sr.

January 08, 2023 at 11:32 PM



“ To the White family, So Sorry for Your loss. Jesus said that would be time's like this. But there is a hope (Rev 21:3-4)

Vincent Berry - February 20, 2019 at 06:20 AM



“ Shirlynn & James: I am so sorry to hear about the lose of your Dad. While I know it is difficult, honor the past and embrace the future.

Tamela Crook Rider & Becki Laney Murray - February 10, 2019 at 11:44 AM



“ I had the honor of meeting Mr. White on several occasions. He was just such a joy to talk to, Always smiling, always willing to help in any way he could. He always had an imaginative story to tell and he will surely be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.



Jennie Bailey - February 07, 2019 at 10:25 AM



“ I will always remember Jim, coming in and teasing, cutting some jokes at the Denison office of the Health Dept. He was a great soul and friend. Rest easy and stir things up in heaven!

Denise Wardell - February 07, 2019 at 10:01 AM

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“ Rest In Peace old friend, until we meet again. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Ricky and Iris Nichols - February 06, 2019 at 06:22 AM

JG

So very sad to hear the passing of such a great man. I enjoyed working with Jim at the Sheriff's office. I take comfort in the fact that he is again with his wife, Shirley, whom he loved so very much. God's blessings to his family.

June Bartlett Glancy - February 06, 2019 at 02:24 PM



Beth, John and Lawrence-please accept my condolences. It is never easy.

Deborah Holder

Deborah Holder - February 06, 2019 at 04:31 PM

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Jim was probably our champion 'trivia' player. I have so many memories of the Healing Hearts meetings with Jim in attendance. He was always cracking a joke or singing some silly song. He was always concerned about everybody else. Never himself. I will miss him. Rest in peace my friend.

Evelyn Engel - February 07, 2019 at 01:43 PM