



James A. Drake

May 30, 1955 - December 9, 2019

No obituary found for this tribute.

Tribute Wall

RC

“ Jim was a model Cadet and officer we were i Basic together. We are praying for your family and we miss you Classmate! Rick Cosby '77

Ricky Cosby - January 10, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ My condolences. You will be missed, classmate. Frenchy Fernand, '77

Jean Michel Fernand - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ A great aviator. Better still, a great man, husband, father and friend. You will be missed Jim. Deepest, deepest condolences Gayle and family. Mike Cimafonte

Mike.cimafonte@gmail.com - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Fond memories of our journey together through fighter lead-in and F4 RTU at Macdill. Expanded our relationship spending time with Jim and Gayle during deployment with HANG. Proud of Jim's accomplishments and treasure our time together and friendship

Pat Shay - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Gayle, as 40th Reunion Chair I was also glad you all got to our class reunion. I am sorry for the loss of your husband and your children's loss of their Dad. I am grateful for my classmate, and we will miss him. God bless you and your family during this time of loss.
John Buckley '77

John Buckley - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ My deepest sympathy. He was a good man. His passing leaves a hole in the long blue line that is our class wall. PRW '77. Geno Redmon

Geno redmon - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ My heartfelt condolences and prayers for Jim's family. May God comfort you, and conduct Jim's soul to his heavenly home. Steve Wittman, '77

Steve Wittman - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ My sincere condolences and prayers for the family! Larry Shafer, '77

Larry D Shafer - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Jim's family. Mario Garza '77

Mario A. Garza - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ stay strong and of good courage. my sincere condolences to the family. Tony Dronkers '77

tony dronkers - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ To Gayle and family: Please accept the sympathy and condolences of the USAF Academy Class of 1977 at Jim's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Lou Michels, '77 Scribe

John Michels - January 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ My sincere condolences to the family. Ted Shropshire 77'

Ted Shropshire - January 08, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ My deepest condolences to your family, Jimbo. I was so glad that you and Gayle were able to make it to our Class reunion at the Academy a little over 2 years ago. I know it wasn't easy for you, but I'm sure that everyone appreciated your being there - I certainly did. I was only in CS27 for our Firsty year but I always remember you having a big smile on your face. I don't think I ever saw you without it. I'll miss you, Buddy. Gayle, I hope and pray that you and your family find comfort and joy in the many happy memories you have of your time with Jim. Ben Maltz, '77

Ben Maltz - January 08, 2020 at 12:00 AM