



James Monroe Dunham

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James Monroe Dunham, 81, of Vandalia, Illinois, formerly of Decatur, passed away November 29, 2024, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville, Illinois.

James was born in Springfield, Illinois, on August 9, 1943, the son of Millard and Eudorah (Sutton) Dunham. He married Dorothy Dawdy on May 27, 1961, in Springfield, Illinois. They enjoyed over 40 years of married life until her death in 2002. James retired from Mueller Company in Decatur in 2021 after 40 years of service in many roles, including Quality Control Supervisor. In his spare time, he enjoyed bowling.

James is survived by his children James Dunham Jr. of Decatur, Andrew (Gina) Dunham of Silverdale, WA, and Kelly Sieberg of Vandalia; grandchildren Gabriel Dunham, Isabella Dunham, Olivia Dunham, Mackenzie Dunham, Marissa Dunham, Joshua Dunham, and Seth Young; great-grandchildren Jeremiah Garrett and Azriel Dunham; and many nieces, nephews, and extended family. He was preceded in death by his wife, parents, and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services for James will be held at 11am on Thursday, December 5, at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home. Burial in Graceland Cemetery will follow the service. Condolences may be shared with the family at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.




Events

James Monroe Dunham

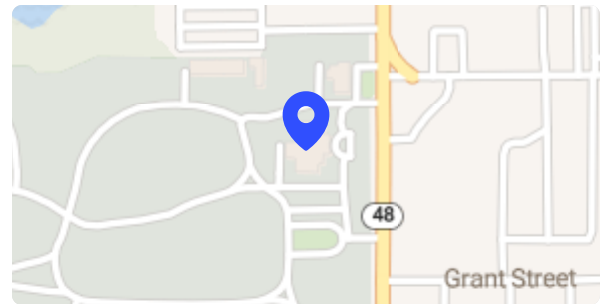
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Funeral Service

 **Thursday**, December 5, 2024


 11:00 AM CT

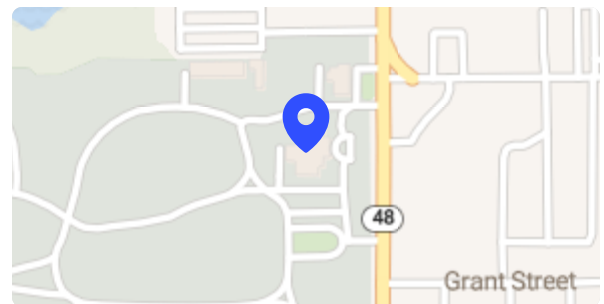
 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526




Burial Following Services


 **Thursday**, December 5, 2024

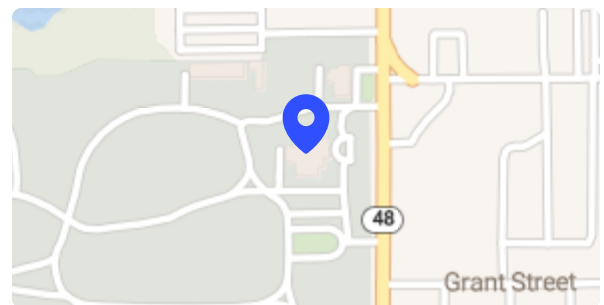
 **Graceland Cemetery**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526



Cemetery Details

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 **(217) 615-0724**





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Dunham family.



December 3 at 12:03 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jim is also survived by granddaughters, Anna and Abigail, and great grandchildren Max, Liam, Loren, MacKenzie and Camdyn.

December 3 at 11:14 AM



Greg Spain posted:

I known the Dunham Family for my entire life, a good family, Jim was a good man. My condolences to Jimmy, Kelly and the entire family. RIP Mr Dunham.Greg Spain.

December 3 at 6:33 AM



Kim Petrick Angle posted:

So sorry for your families loss, Jim was a great guy. Hugs and prayers

December 3 at 3:37 AM



Michael Magary sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Dunham family.



December 3 at 2:30 AM



Anonymous posted:

Jim will also be fondly remembered by his granddaughter Kali Reed, her husband, and his great grandson Langston reed. He will also be greeted at the gates of heaven by his grandson Dakota and great granddaughter Lillian.Rest in paradise

December 2 at 4:52 PM



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WH

W. Hutchins. posted:

My deepest sympathy to the family of James Dunham. I worked with Jim for 40 years and Mueller company. we hired in nearly the same time .a great guy to work with. a great guy to know .always had a terrific sense of humor .but everybody knew that. always had a wonderful joke to share with everybody. Loved by all he worked with. A real professional. I am so happy and lucky to have been so rich to have known Jim Dunham in my lifetime . my deepest sympathies. Too Tall .

December 2 at 4:46 PM

LW

Lisa Ward posted:

He had a great granddaughter who also preceded him in death. Her name was Lillian.

December 2 at 3:35 PM

TS

Tina Sieberg posted:

I'm so sorry for your family's loss. Mr. Jim was a very nice gentleman to me in the short time that I was lucky enough to talk with him. Prayers for comfort and strength for his entire family.

December 2 at 10:19 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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