



James Melton Jr

December 15, 1961 - October 2, 2020

James Melton, 58, of Reddick, IL, passed away on Friday, October 2, 2020 in his home.

He was born on December 15, 1961 at Little Company of Mary in Evergreen Park, IL, the son of James Melton Sr and Nancy Schindler.

James is survived by his son; James Edward (Kaitlyn) Melton, his 2 daughters; Sarah Marie and Hannah Elizabeth Melton, 3 brothers; Thomas, Daniel, and Timothy Melton, his father; James Melton Sr, and 1 grandchild; Jasper, Allan Melton.

He is preceded in death by his mother Nancy Melton.

James was affiliated with the Trinity Church in Ashkum and was also a Navy veteran. He belonged to the car club, Scapegoats, loving classic cars specifically from the 1920s-1970s, like his 1940s Hudson that survived the bombing of Pearl Harbor which was only one out of twelve. He also like his fishing and relaxing outside bird watching.

A Memorial Service will be held at a later date.

Jensen Funeral Home is handling the arrangement.

Tribute Wall



“ Thinking about you today after all these years. You are missed --- we had good times together! I will never forget you.

Mary Simpson - November 09, 2025 at 08:15 PM



“ James Melton Jr

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ Sorry for your loss, I was blessed in being his neighbor. He was a good person and will be missed. Rest in peace James 🙏❤️

Mandy - October 08, 2020 at 07:16 PM



“ A true fighter your battle is over go rest high. Jim always kept smiling even when he felt like falling apart you were inspiration in my life i will forever miss you.

sherry Woestman - October 08, 2020 at 05:30 PM