



## James D. "Jim" Reed

February 4, 1943 - March 30, 2024

James D. "Jim" Reed, 81, of Parker City, passed away on Saturday, March 30, 2024 at Community Hospital North in Indianapolis.

He was born on February 4, 1943, in Muncie, Indiana, a son of the late Donald G. and Ethel (Fountain) Reed.

Jim graduated from Parker City High School in 1961. He married the love of his life, Alma "Marie" Weatherly, on June 18, 1963. Jim worked for General Motors/Muncie Chevrolet/New Venture Gear for 43 years before retiring in 2006. Jim was a member of the Moose Lodge 1977 of Winchester and the Alexandria Eagles Aerie #1771. He and Marie loved line dancing and gardening together and attended Farmland Friends Church. Jim also enjoyed working on cars and doing carpentry work. Most importantly, Jim loved his family and always had their best interest at heart.

Those left to cherish Jim's memory include his wife of 60 years, Marie Reed; four children, Dean Reed of Parker City, Jeff (Anne) Reed of Fishers, Lisa (Scott) Swanson of Traverse City, MI, and Amy (Jon) Radloff of Mt. Horeb, WI; seven grandchildren, Casei Reed (Tyler Adams), David Reed, Matthew Reed, Addison Swanson, Joelle Swanson, Paige Radloff, and Lucas Radloff, and a great-granddaughter, Romy Adams.

In addition to his parents, Jim was preceded in death by a brother, Walter Reed, and two sisters, Viva Vorhees and Wanda Owens.

Graveside services will be held privately for family only at Gardens of Memory in Muncie.

A service to celebrate Jim's life will be held at Farmland Friends Church, and the date and time will be announced soon.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be offered to Muncie Mission Ministries, P.O. Box 2349, Muncie, IN 47307, [munciemission.org](http://munciemission.org) or by Clicking Here (<https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/WebLink.aspx?name=E6971&id=3>).

You may send the family a personal condolence at [www.sprolesfamilycares.com](http://www.sprolesfamilycares.com).

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Sproles Family Funeral Home in New Castle.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of James D. "Jim" Reed.

# Tribute Wall

TB

“ So sorry for your loss.  
Jim, you will be deeply missed by all. Rest in  
peace beloved friend.



The Bears - April 10, 2024 at 08:53 AM

SG

“ I'm sorry to hear this. Marie, you and Jim were always a welcome  
sight in my store. I wish you well...

Steve Guinn - April 08, 2024 at 09:03 AM

CL

“ Our Condolences sent to your family during this difficult time. Hugs  
and prayers, Troy & Connie (Small) Landers

Connie & Troy Landers - April 06, 2024 at 09:53 PM

BG

“ So sorry for your loss ❤️. Jim will be missed  
😭.



Brenda Gaines - April 06, 2024 at 03:57 PM

LS

“ Marie and family please accept our love and prayers. We are in Florida now but will be home this week.

*Blessings and comfort  
Larry and Kathy*

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**Larry D. Swearingen** - April 06, 2024 at 12:44 PM

TM

“ I'm so sorry to see that Jim has passed away. Please except my sincere condolences. Praying for comfort and healing for the families.

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**Tim McKelvey** - April 06, 2024 at 10:09 AM

DS

“ I am very sorry to read of Jim's passing and will miss him calling me about plumbing supplies. We would spending more time talking about our families than we did business and both of us enjoyed our visits together. My condolences to you all!  
David Ryan Stanley

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**David Stanley** - April 05, 2024 at 08:43 PM