



## James T. Stork

August 10, 1935 - January 27, 2019

Beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather passed away Sunday, January 27, 2019 at Covenant Medical Center Cooper following a brief illness. Age 83 years. The son of the late Theodore (Bocianski) Stork and Cora (Machelski) Stork, Jim was born August 10, 1935 in Saginaw, Michigan. He married Sally Ann Snarski, his loving wife of 62 years, on May 12, 1956. She survives him. Jim was employed at General Motors for 43 years until his retirement. He found comfort in his Catholic faith and had attended Mass at several area churches. Jim served and loved his Carrollton Community where he served as a Trustee for Carrollton Township for over 23 years. He enjoyed his trips to Tennessee and listening to Johnny Cash music, rummage sales, fast cars, NASCAR, #24 and his Puggies. Most of all, Jim loved spending time with family and friends.

Surviving besides his wife Sally are two daughters, Kathy and Will Badour, Bay City; Shelley Fournier, Saginaw; seven grandchildren, Kayla (Nick) Petz, Paul Cairns, Jeff Cairns, Tawny Fournier, Rory Fournier, Kassie Fournier and Trent Fournier; one great-grandson, Preston Fournier; many loved nieces and nephews. Jim was preceded in death by a son, Jimmy, and by two sisters, Evelyn and Ray Pegley, Delphine and Ed Niemaun.

Honoring Mr. Stork's wishes, cremation and a private memorial service, led by Sister Christine Gretka, CSJ, has taken place. Friends may visit at The Snow Funeral Home, 3775 N. Center Rd., (between Shattuck and McCarty), where the family will be receive friends on Wednesday, January 30, 2019 from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Those planning an expression of sympathy may wish to consider memorials to the Alzheimer's Association.

# Events

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**JAN**   **Visitation**   03:00PM - 08:00PM

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Snow Funeral Home

3775 N. Center Rd., Saginaw, MI, US, 48603

# Comments

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“ A tribute video has been added.



**Snow Funeral Home** - January 29 at 03:26 PM

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“ Kathy, Will, Jeff, Paul & Family...May God's angels be with you today and always to help you during this sorrowful time. We wish you and your family strength and peace.  
Love, Jodi and Johnny Ely

**Jodi Ely** - January 30 at 07:01 PM

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“ We will always remember Jim as being a very kind man and devoted to the community of Carrollton. As a trustee for Carrollton he was always dedicated to excellence for the residents.  
Sincerely and With Prayers,  
Dolores and Chuck Edwards

**charles w. edwards** - January 30 at 11:02 AM

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“ As a boy growing up on Stork Rd, I always looked up to my friend's dads as I am sure they looked up to my own father. I have nothing but fond memories of Jim and most especially the few visits I paid him and Sally as an adult. While I remember the old milk jug that he used to serve cold water out of during little league baseball games as a coach for the VFW knothole baseball team in Carrollton, I think now of the living waters he will find comfort in along the shores of the glassy sea in heaven. It is with both sadness for his loss but gladness for my having been touched by this wonderful man that I share such a small, but big memory of a child growing up on the road named for his family. Shalom! Craig Fisher, Roanoke, VA

**Craig Fisher** - January 29 at 11:40 PM

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“ Aunt Sally, Shelly, and Kathy,

I am so saddened to hear about Uncle Jim's passing away. I was just thinking of you between Christmas and New Year's and wondering how everyone was doing. I wish I had reached out then, even if Uncle Jim didn't know who I was at the time, it would have been something. I don't know why, but I just assumed there would be another time. I know our family fell apart after Aunt Dale's and Grandma's (Evelyn's) passing away, but somehow I thought it would come back together, like it should.

I've remembered little things Uncle Jim has said and done when I was a kid, over the past few years and it's always brought a smile to my face.

For some reason one that sticks out a lot is me as a five or six year old having to go to the bathroom so badly but not wanting to miss out on whatever holiday we were celebrating that I was dancing around about to explode. Everybody told me to go, but I kept saying I was fine, Uncle Jim looked at me and asked me to do him a favor, "I can't leave to go, can you run in and go to the bathroom for me?" I was so naive and happy to be doing a favor for someone that I was all over that idea. I use(d) that with my kids all the time.

Also, I know (remember) he was Santa somewhere in the late '70's early '80's for Me and Sara and Aunt Sharies kids one year. I think he sold me on believing for another year or so.

He was such a good person in so many ways and will definitely be missed by me and so many others. I am extremely sorry for your lost.

Joe

Joe Choate - January 28 at 09:54 PM

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“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James T. Stork.



January 28 at 09:32 PM

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“ I have so many memories I wouldn't know where to start or finish!! He was a wonderful man and was always smiling!! He will be greatly missed!! All my thoughts, prayers and love to all of you!! RIP Uncle Jim.

**Christine Snarski Cornell** - January 28 at 05:02 PM



“ We The Halls , would like to send our condolences to the Stork family. Jim and Sally are the Best. Great people , Great neighbors. Many a basketball game where played in that driveway on Schust Rd .Thank you Jim and Sally I have great memories and very glad to had the pleasure of knowing you all . Love Thomas Hall Shirley Hall and family. R.I.P.  
James Stork

**Thomas Hall Jr. /Shirley Hall** - January 29 at 05:44 PM