



James Michael Moreland

May 19, 1963 - October 23, 2020

James "Jim" Michael Moreland, age 57, a faithful servant to his Lord who lived by grace through faith in Christ passed away peacefully on October 23, 2020 in Alexandria, VA, following a long fought battle with an unexpected stroke. He was born in Rockville Center, New York to James and Ethel Moreland on May 19, 1963. He is survived by his loving wife, Carolyn Moreland, and his adoring daughters, Victoria "Grace", Oliva and Sophia, as well as mother, Ethel, sisters Jean (Bob), Christine (John) and Sharon (Brad); father-in-law Roger Fritzel and mother-in-law Helen Fritzel, sisters-in-law Valerie Warren, Susan Achbezf, and brother-in-law Mark Fritzel; as well as many nieces and nephews. Although he was predeceased by father, James Anthony Moreland, he is survived by many extended relatives in the New York area.

Jim married the love of his life, Carolyn (Fritzel), on September 22, 2001 after meeting through the Alexandria Jaycees. Together they continued their community service work, with Jim serving proudly as the President of the Alexandria Jaycees in 2002. Jim made many life-long friends during his time in the Jaycees enjoying special events, such as, the construction of the annual Haunted House and the Christmas tree sale. A proud Eagle Scout, Jim was also an avid cross-country runner at Mount Vernon High School, and completed 11 Marine Corps Marathons before transitioning to daily walks. He was a loving and devoted husband, and a doting Dad, who enjoyed coaching and supporting his daughters, as they excelled in both athletics and

academics. Jim was also a loving son, kind brother and wonderful friend.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests a donation to Compassion International to honor Jim's life. In addition, the family is forever appreciative for all those who provided prayers, spent time visiting Jim, and compassionately supported the Moreland family, after Jim's stroke.

A small gathering of family and friends will take place at 3pm on October 25 at Jim's church, Word Of Grace Christian Church in Herndon, VA. Due to COVID-19 and CDC guidelines Jim's celebration of Life ceremony will be video streamed live on Zoom.

We encourage all who want to join us to copy and paste the zoom login access information found below to your url window and to register to participate.

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/tZMldOGpqDooHNYXDA_xWrZ_3UAJjqNhVPFV/success?user_id=BFTS9GeJRdOq7n8ICNb9yg&timezone_id=America%2FLos_Angeles

If you would like to send a personal recollection of Jim or thoughts to be expressed during the celebration of Life service and you are participating via Zoom, please send them to carolyn via email at carolynmoreland53@gmail.com and we will share them out loud during the service as best we can.

We know you will be with us in spirit and we look forward to a future cookout with you.

Jim's funeral procession will begin at 2pm 10/26/20 at Jefferson Funeral Home in Alexandria, VA, to his burial at Mt. Comfort Cemetery at 2:30pm.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Comfort Cemetery

6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **25**. 3:00 PM.

Word of Life Christian Church
Herndon, VA

Graveside Service

OCT **26**. 2:30 PM (ET)

Mt. Comfort Cemetery
6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Tribute Wall



“ *James Michael Moreland*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *R.I.P. my friend. I will never forget you and our friendship through the years. Tell we meet again*

Paul Teixeira - October 26, 2020 at 11:43 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. We met Jim when our daughters became close friends and teammates in middle school. What I remember most about Jim is how much his love for his daughters shown through. We always enjoyed sitting and watching games together. He was their biggest fan. Your family is in our prayers.*

Christina Ladner - October 25, 2020 at 07:43 PM



“ *I remember Jim most by seeing him and his family at Jaycee Picnics. I loved the way he was so immersed in what his wife and kids were doing and in making sure they got the food and drinks they wanted and everything was just so.*

My husband Dan and I met through the Jaycees, just like Jim and Carolyn did. That was in the 70's. The Alexandria Jaycee chapter was literally our life then and remains a part of our life now. Friendships like Jaycees make with each other just go on and on.

My heart breaks for Carolyn and the girls. God bless and keep you.

Wendy Marie Koci Boone - October 25, 2020 at 02:55 PM

WB

“ Wendy Marie Koci Boone lit a candle in memory of James Michael Moreland



Wendy Marie Koci Boone - October 25, 2020 at 02:36 PM

LR

“ Jim was a terrific friend and Jaycee. He truly enjoyed being a family man; he shined so much with Carolyn and his girls. Moreover, I'll always remember Jim's passion for classics, Cadillacs, and his love of life. Rest in Peace.

Larry Radford - October 25, 2020 at 01:29 PM

LB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Linda Beutelschies - October 25, 2020 at 01:28 PM

RF

“ Jim's generosity, hospitality, exuberance, friendliness, plus Great Love for Carolyn & his daughters come to mind. He's a true Bible believer. So many things now missing for all the family. Jim loved to teach & coach the girls!

Roger Fritzel - October 25, 2020 at 12:56 PM

BG

“ *Brett And Genie lit a candle in memory of James Michael Moreland*



Brett and Genie - October 25, 2020 at 12:47 PM

RF

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Roger Fritzel - October 25, 2020 at 12:41 PM

RF

Jim and Carolyn in October 2017

Roger Fritzel - October 25, 2020 at 02:33 PM

SH

“ *Stewart & Pamela Hannah lit a candle in memory of James Michael Moreland*



Stewart & Pamela Hannah - October 25, 2020 at 12:19 PM

CC

“ We are filled with sadness but know that jimmy is with his God now at peace. I will remember all the family reunions and good laughs all the cousins had always. Rest in peace Jimmy, love cousin carolyn

Carolyn carlucci - October 25, 2020 at 12:13 PM

NS

“ We are so sorry to hear the news of Jim's passing away to Glory. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Carolyn and the whole family. May God's peace surround you doing this time.
Nicole Springfield & Nora Swilling

Nicole Springfield - October 25, 2020 at 09:39 AM

SF

“ We are so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Our prayers go out to your family. Fond memories of growing up as neighbors.

The Hightower Family

Susan Hightower Ford - October 25, 2020 at 07:49 AM

FL

“ Florence lit a candle in memory of James Michael Moreland



Florence - October 24, 2020 at 11:47 PM

KK

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Kristie Kehoe - October 24, 2020 at 10:37 PM

MS

“ *Manjusha Singh lit a candle in memory of James Michael Moreland*



Manjusha Singh - October 24, 2020 at 06:52 PM

MS

“ *Jim was a warm and a kind hearted person. Always there to help anyone in need.*

I remember numerous times you two were there for me when I needed help. He is one of the God's angel now. Please accept my heart felt sympathies for your loss.

Wishing you and Grace, Olivia and Sophie peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your heart.

Manjusha Singh - October 24, 2020 at 06:51 PM

KM

“ Dear Carolyn, girls, Aunt Ethel, and cousins,
We were all so very sad to hear about Jimmy’s passing. Our hearts are broken. We wish we were able to be with all of you in person but are happy we can be there virtually. I will always remember Jimmy walking up to (us) saying, “Hi Cuz”, and giving is a great big hug. He was a special guy. I know his dad welcomed him home and they are probably already talking about the “Football Team” over a beer.
(Gotta get a name!)
We will miss you, Jimmy.
Say Hi to Joe, Uncle Jim and Aunt Irene for us.
Love you, Cuz!!

Xoxo Karen and family, Linda, and Aunt Pat

Karen Manzione - October 24, 2020 at 06:27 PM

AB

“ *Jim touched many lives and will be terribly missed.*



Annette Beacham - October 24, 2020 at 05:59 PM



“ 9 files added to the album Jim Moreland



Jefferson Funeral Chapel - October 24, 2020 at 04:16 PM