



James Paul Golden

September 7, 1955 - January 28, 2024

James “Jim” Paul Golden, 68, of LaPlace, Louisiana, passed away on January 28, 2024 surrounded by his loving family. Jim was born on September 7, 1955 in Munster, Indiana.

He was preceded in death by his parents Joseph M. Golden and Frances Kubacki Golden, his brothers Fred Golden, Roy Golden and Martin Golden and his sister Rita Golden Vischak.

He is survived by his daughters Leslie Williams (Theo) and Natalie Smith (Justin) and his grandchildren Hayden and Brooklyn Williams and Brayden and Vallie Smith.

Jim graduated from George Rogers Clark High School in 1973 and received a bachelor’s degree from Simpson College in 1977 where he played baseball. He started at Cargill in 1977, kicking off a 47 year career. He was a dedicated Safety Coordinator and loved his work family. He was a lover of all animals, especially his dog Poochie. He enjoyed golfing with his grandson Brayden and having his family over for Sunday dinners. He was a devout Catholic and long time parishioner of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church. Jim loved to give and was a 10 gallon blood donor. He was greatly loved and will be truly missed.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a Funeral Mass at 12:00 PM on Friday, February 2, 2024 at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 529 W. 5th Street, LaPlace, LA 70068. Visitation at the church will begin at 10:30 AM. Interment will be in St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Millet-Guidry Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery

2205 W. Airline Hwy.
LaPlace, LA 70068

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church
529 W. 5th St.
LaPlace, LA 70068

Funeral Mass

FEB 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

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529 W. 5th St.
LaPlace, LA 70068

Tribute Wall



“ Millet Guidry Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Paul Golden



Millet Guidry Funeral Home - February 02, 2024 at 09:22 AM

DT

Over the years I have seen many memory video's , this one is the best I have ever seen . Was nice to see pictures of Jim from an early age, but sadden to realize he is no longer with his family & friends. You were always a friend and great company when we had B-B-Q's at my home in Belle Terre Estates. Rest In Peace Jim . Shalom.

Dr. Rosemarie C. Till - February 11, 2024 at 05:11 PM

CT

“ Cargill EHS Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Paul Golden.

Cargill EHS Team - February 02, 2024 at 09:01 AM

CT

“ Cargill EHS Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James Paul Golden.



Cargill EHS Team - February 02, 2024 at 09:01 AM

SS

“ Skylene & Sean planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Paul Golden.

Skylene & Sean - February 01, 2024 at 04:12 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Paul Golden.



February 01, 2024 at 04:12 PM

JR

“ Jeff and Amanda Roccaforte purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of James Paul Golden.



Jeff and Amanda Roccaforte - January 31, 2024 at 06:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Paul Golden.



January 31, 2024 at 04:09 PM

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“ Love, The Delaneuville's and The Flynn's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Paul Golden.

Love, The Delaneuville's and The Flynn's - January 31, 2024 at 03:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Paul Golden.



January 31, 2024 at 03:45 PM

SM

“ I've had the pleasure of knowing Mr. Jim for many years. I'll miss the weekly visits from him at the country club. May he rest peacefully, and his family find comfort.

Stevi McClung - January 31, 2024 at 11:59 AM

DT

“ Dr. Rosemarie Till lit a candle in memory of James Paul Golden



Dr. Rosemarie Till - January 30, 2024 at 06:01 PM

DP

I've known James, Patti, Leslie, Natalie and Jim, since I lived in Belle Terre C.C. Estates in the early 1980s' Seems time goes by quickly as the girls are now married. Along with Dorothy, Liz, and their families always had great B-B-Q's and spent happy times together. Sorry to hear Jim has passed. May he rest in peace in God's heavens.

Dr. Rosemarie Till Ph.D.'s - January 30, 2024 at 06:12 PM