



James A. La Tour

March 1, 1967 - January 29, 2025

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Age 57, of Custer Park, IL, passed away unexpectedly, Wednesday, January 29, 2025 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee, IL. Born March 1, 1967 in Joliet, IL to James A. Segatto and Betty (nee Robertson) La Tour. Jim was an Electrician for Local Union #176, retiring in May 2023. He married Anna Reese on June 11, 2005. Jim was an avid hunter, enjoyed snowmobiling, fishing, 4-wheeling, attending concerts, and spending time with his family. He was known for his witty humor and the ability to make everyone laugh. He was a very loyal friend and always willing to lend a helping hand.

Surviving are his wife, Anna of Custer Park; son, Nathan La Tour of Plainfield, IL; daughter, Lara La Tour of Custer Park; mother, Betty La Tour of Plainfield; step-father, Bob La Tour; and sister, Beth (Paul) Swearngen of Wilmington, IL; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Preceding him in death were his father, James A. Segatto; son, Cameron Albert La Tour; cousin, Brandon Robertson; and grandparents, Cleo and Louise Robertson.

Visitation will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory on Sunday, February 2, 2025 from 1-5 p.m. Cremation rites will be accorded following services.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MP

“ *I grew up with Jim. It was a honor to have known him. We shared similar views and I respected his opinions! Way too early! Peace brother!*

Michael Penczek - February 03, 2025 at 08:56 AM

JP

“ *My sincere condolences to you Anna, Lara and Nathan and your families as well. I am heartbroken to hear of Jim passing. I will continue to pray for all of you*



Judy Poppleton - February 02, 2025 at 09:48 AM

DC

“ Jim was a friend and later ex-brother-in-law.
He was sharp, witty and if you needed something he would give you a helping hand.
I never had a chance to tell him how I was envious of him as we were growing up until recently. After not seeing him since working at Citgo many years before He reached out to say hello, just in time as I was struggling with an electrical issue. I asked if he had time to come by and see if he could help and he responds with, “ I’m your guy”.
We talked that day after he helped me out and had a lot of laughs also a couple of tears. He conveyed his love for his family and how he was proud of his children.
We were kids when we met, but now men with kids sharing memories.
It was good to see him one last time as I moved away.
I’ll remember all the laughs Jim, keep the stars shining bright for us brother.

Danny Chaparro

Dan Chaparro - February 01, 2025 at 12:49 AM

LR

“ Lara and mom, I was sad to learn of your dad/husband’s passing. Please know that my heart aches for you. God bless. Mrs Lee Roberts (first grade at Custer park, Lara)

Lee Roberts - January 31, 2025 at 11:00 AM



“ Jim was a great friend, father and husband he will be truly missed. 🙏



Judy Cantrell Jones - January 31, 2025 at 08:56 AM

MG

“ Jim was my big brother when we moved back to Plainfield. From my 6th grade through the 9th grade when we moved into town. He was 3 yrs older. Beth was my age. The best guy ever. He saved my little brothers life when he was 4 and jumped into the pond at Knopps when none of us were watching the rope swing. Pulled him out before anyone one of us noticed. Many more stories. Miss you my brother.

Mike George

Mike George - January 30, 2025 at 07:22 PM

MH

“ Margie Hart lit a candle in memory of James La Tour



Margie Hart - January 30, 2025 at 03:09 PM

JA

Such sad news 😞. Jim was an awesome guy and one of the funniest people I've ever met. I'm sure he's up in heaven making everyone laugh.

Joe Andrews - January 30, 2025 at 04:27 PM