



James Frank Davis

April 3, 1922 - August 13, 2013

James Frank Davis, age 91 of Calumet Park, IL, passed away August 13, 2013. James was born April 3, 1922 in Chicago, IL.

Loving father of Christine Buck of Crestwood, IL and Diane Davis of Calumet Park, IL. Cherished grandfather of Wendy Rae Davis and Aaron James(Amanda)Buck; devoted great grandfather of Austin James Buck and Ashley Theresa Buck. Also survived by ex-wife Charlotte Davis of Matteson, IL. Dear brother of late Lorraine J. Wood and late step-brother Ed Davis.

James' career expanded over 40 years as a switchman for Illinois Bell and lived in Alaska and Greenland where he worked for Western Electric. He was a veteran of the Army Air Corps while serving in WWII.

James was an avid scuba diver with Aqua Rays of Roseland who raised the shipwreck "Alvin Clark". In addition to being a proud NRA member along with the auxiliary coast guard, James was an avid fisherman, hunter and camper.

Memorial visitation will be held on Saturday, August 17, 2pm till time of service at 3pm at Heartland Memorial Center, 7151 183rd St., Tinley Park, IL

Tribute Wall

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“ Wendy Davis lit a candle in memory of James Frank Davis



Wendy Davis - September 01, 2013 at 05:03 PM

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“ I have so many memories of Uncle Jim. The movies he brought from work with the fancy projector. The Diving. The ship he found in Lake Michigan. Vacations at the lake house. His speed boat. Swimming on Friday nights at the YMCA and pizza afterwards. Gifts he bought my cousins when he worked in Alaska. I remember my cousin Chris saying they were nice, but she'd rather have him home. The laughter we shared and our serious conversations. Family, just says it all even when the years and the miles separate you, even when there are differences of opinion, you are still family. He was a true friend, a generous father, a man of convictions and opinions and he always had his faith. He was tough when he needed to be and stubborn when he felt that he was right. His laughter will be missed. May he sail and dive in calm clear waters where-ever he cares to roam.

Karla McBride - August 16, 2013 at 09:00 PM

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Thank you so much Karla for sharing your memories of 'Butchie'. Just found this site today. =) Wendy

Wendy Davis - September 01, 2013 at 05:03 PM

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“ To the family of James Frank Davis, I extend heartfelt condolences to you, so sorry about the pain and emptiness that the enemy death has brought upon you. Jesus Christ said at John 5:28&29 that; "He will call all those asleep in the memorial tombs to a peaceful life on a paradise earth. Yes, the resurrection is a reality that will soon be fulfilled, because Almighty God created us to live eternally. All pain, suffering and death will be no more. (Revelation 21:4)

V.G. - August 15, 2013 at 03:29 PM