



## James M. Grieco

January 15, 1929 - October 20, 2016

James M. Grieco, 87, of New Britain, husband of Lucille (Jehnings) Grieco, passed away Thursday (October 20, 2016) at home. A New Britain native and lifelong resident, James served with the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He was employed in the Steel Strapping Division of Stanley Works for 46 years, retiring in 1991. James was a member of St. Ann Church in New Britain and the Spartan Veterans. An avid fisherman and duckpin bowler, he appeared on television many times on bowling shows. James truly enjoyed spending time with his family and especially his grandchildren.

Besides his wife Lucille, he leaves two sons, James Grieco, Jr. and his wife Pamela of Kensington; and Donald Grieco and his finance Terri Hamilton of Holiday, FL; a daughter, Christine Gavallas and her husband Matthew of Berlin; a sister, Angeline Walicki of Madison; seven grandchildren, Donald Jr., Nicole, Michelle, Lisa, James III, Bella and Gina; several nieces and nephews. James was predeceased by a son, Todd Grieco; a sister and two brothers, Stella Kowalczyk, Peter Grieco and Michael Grieco.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Monday 10 AM at St. Ann Church, North Street, New Britain. It will be followed by military honors. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. At James' request, there are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Ann Church, 47 Clark Street, New Britain, CT 06051. Please share a memory or note of sympathy at

[www.carlsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.carlsonfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Previous Events

## **Mass of Christian Burial**

OCT **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Ann Church  
101 North Street  
New Britain, CT 06051

# Tribute Wall

DI

“ *Uncle Jim, best uncle ever. Always smiling and laughing and loving. I'm going to miss him very much.*

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**Diane** - October 30, 2016 at 09:11 AM

JK

“ *So saddened to hear of Uncle Jim's passing. I will remember him by his laughter, kindness and encouragement.*

*Condolences to Aunt Lucille, Jimmy, Donny, and family.*

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**Jeff Kowalczyk** - October 27, 2016 at 01:59 PM



“ *Uncle Jim, aunt Pam, Nikki, Shelly, Lisa and jimmy we are so sorry for your loss. Our hearts are with you. Much love Kristy & John Elliott*

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**Kristy Elliott** - October 25, 2016 at 12:38 PM

AT

“ *Jim,*

*My thoughts are with the family. I know how hard it is to lose a parent.*

*Art Trantolo*

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**Art trantolo** - October 24, 2016 at 04:54 PM

PD

“ *I'm so sorry for the loss of your husband father and grandfather! You are all in my thoughts and prayers! Love Patty*

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**Patty Derosier** - October 24, 2016 at 04:09 PM

LM

“ *Nicole, Michele, Lisa & Jimmy, sorry for the loss of your grandfather. Jason, Lori & Morgan Mount*

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**Lori mount** - October 22, 2016 at 09:03 PM

GM

“ *The world is sadly missing a great man now that my Uncle James is no longer with us. So many great memories laughing and talking baseball. Our hearts and prayers are with Aunt Lucille and the family.*

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**Glen Malone** - October 22, 2016 at 02:33 PM