



James M. Simao, Sr.

September 7, 1946 - September 5, 2019

James "Jim" Simao, Sr., 72, of New Britain, husband of Glorya (Kobela) Simao, passed away Thursday (September 5, 2019) at the Hospital of Central CT. Born in Hartford, Jim is a graduate of Pulaski High School, Class of 1965 and is a US Navy veteran serving during the Vietnam War. A New Britain resident most of his life, Jim was employed at Foodmart in West Hartford for 15 years and then at Sanson Cabinet Makers in New Britain for over 15 years until his retirement in 2011.

Besides his wife Glorya, he leaves a son, James M. Simao, Jr. of East Hartford; two brothers, Anthony Simao and Edward Simao and his wife Barbara, all of North Carolina; a sister, Michelle Violette and her husband Dave of Plainville; a sister-in-law, Andrea Kobela of New Britain; a special granddaughter, Juliana Bailly-Simao; several nieces and nephews.

Calling hours will be held Tuesday (September 10, 2019) 5 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. A graveside service with military honors will be held Wednesday 10 AM at the CT Veterans Cemetery, Middletown. Donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, PO Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675. Please share a memory or note of sympathy at www.carlsonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

CT Veterans Cemetery

Bow Lane
Middletown, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

SEP 10. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Carlson Funeral Home
45 Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051
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Graveside Service

SEP 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CO

“ Thanks for helping to turn us into men. You are loved and will be missed. Fair winds and following seas shipmate.

Craig D. Orzel - September 10, 2019 at 08:27 PM

WM

“ With Sympathy, Melissa and Christian McCool purchased the Cheeseboard Complete for the family of James M. Simao, Sr..



With Sympathy, Melissa and Christian McCool - September 09, 2019 at 05:17 PM



“ Ghirardelli Galore was purchased for the family of James M. Simao, Sr..



September 08, 2019 at 08:48 PM

CC

“ Prayers and Sympathy to James Family...He was a classmate graduating with me in '65..May he Rest In Peace..Carol (Valente) Collins

carol collins - September 08, 2019 at 02:38 PM

 Cheryl Carollo

“ Dear Glorya and family please accept my thoughts and prayers for you all at this time. Jim and I were friends many years ago and the memory that jumps out right away was when he was in the Navy. We would write back and forth, I called him a Puddle Jumper, since my family were Marines. We would put each other down jokingly. The problem was I didnt know he was sharing my letters with the troops and all of a sudden I received all these letters from the Navy putting down, jokingly, the marines. The other memory is introducing you to him and seeing the love grow between you both, and sharing in your wedding. Glorya may today's sorrow gently turn into the wonderful memories you have. God be with you all.

Cheryl Carollo - September 08, 2019 at 07:06 AM

ML

“ *Glorya- I'm so sorry to hear this. I hope you are well. I'm moving back to the east coast. (NC, but still closer to CT). One of these visits, I'm going to call you.*

maggie Lenertz - September 07, 2019 at 08:38 PM

KW

“ *Glorya, so very sorry to hear about Jim's passing. Love, hugs, and prayers for you and your family at this difficult time.*

Karen Wynn - September 07, 2019 at 04:49 PM

RD

“ *Glorya - So sorry to read of your husband's passing in today's paper. I didn't know him but having lost my Walter a number of years ago, I can appreciate the loss you and your family are experiencing. I'm sure you all have many wonderful memories of times spent with Jim that will keep him in your thoughts and heart forever. Memory Eternal.*

Rosemary Demetro

Rosemary Demetro - September 07, 2019 at 02:56 PM

MS

“ *Dearest Gloria,
Thinking of you today and sending all my love and sympathy...so sorry for your loss and hoping you find peace and healing. Much Love, Marianne*

Marianne Swittlinger - September 07, 2019 at 10:06 AM