



James Strohmeier

November 28, 1927 - June 10, 2018

Rochester: Noted local artist, passed away June 10th after a brief illness. In addition to painting, he was an accomplished clarinetist, master gardener, chef and baker.

He is survived by 3 children, William Strohmeier (Ann) of New York City, Karen Verrone (Robert) and Peter Strohmeier of Rochester. In addition there are 6 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Another child, James Jr. (Patti), passed away in 2011. James Sr. was a single parent; the debt his family owes him can never be repaid.

Memorial services will be held privately at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions should be made to a local charity of choice.

Comments



“ Sending love to your family at this time of loss. Love, Cousin Julia

julia schwartzman - July 11, 2018 at 11:40 AM



“ My deepest sympathy's to the family on the loss of their father. A full life he did have raising his family and enjoying his ability to play music for so many. I, like many others enjoyed listening to him play in recent years at the Rochester International Jazz Festival. He left behind children to carry his life forward along with all the memories of his accomplishments. He had a wonderful life. My prayers too his remaining children through this time of remembrance of James life. He is now at play in the fields of the lord.

GOD Bless him and keep him safe.

Robert Blake
pcfix@rochester.rr.com

Robert Blake - July 05, 2018 at 10:57 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. "Mr Strohmeier" was a family friend and a humble person. He was a caring, thoughtful man - I loved his paintings. I wanted to share this photo - this is how I will remember Mr Strohmeier taken at Bristol Mountain shortly after a bike ride around 1972.



Kathy Gilchrist (Walter) - June 17, 2018 at 02:00 PM



“ Mr. Strohmeier (never let kids call him Jim LoL) was a wonderful family friend, and the greatest whistler I've ever heard. Sounded like another instrument of his own. Just like him. Such great memories of how much he meant to my family growing up. God speed.

Dan McGuire - June 13, 2018 at 03:07 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. Such a talented man and good person. The entire RG&E Big Band will miss Jim, as he played many gigs with us as 1st Alto. A remarkable musician. Rest in peace Jim. David Payne and the RG&E Big Band.

David Payne - June 13, 2018 at 12:57 PM



“ Karen, Peter and Bill, there is hardly a childhood memory I have that doesn't include your dad! Whether it was at your home, for which I was always intrigued by his art and his humbleness, or the many days travelling the bike racing circuit. He was a great friend to our family XXOO. You are all in my thoughts at this time.

Kathy (McGuire) Krueger

kathy krueger - June 13, 2018 at 10:19 AM



“ My sincere condolences on the passing of your dear dad. He sure lived a full life and I've enjoyed getting to know him through your beautiful photos and stories on Facebook. The love you shared was so special and may your wonderful memories give you some comfort.

Cathy Medina

Cathy Medina - June 13, 2018 at 08:36 AM



“ Karen and family,
We are so sorry for your loss. Know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.

Joanie and Craig

Joan Sewert - June 13, 2018 at 06:58 AM