



James Robert "Jim" Gehrke

January 29, 1957 - January 30, 2026

James R. "Jim" Gehrke, 69, of Huntley, passed away Friday, January 30th, 2026 at home surrounded by family. He was born January 29th 1957, in Oak Park, IL the son of Harold and Irene (Coyle) Gehrke.

He married Rosemary Pavia, September 7th, 2018 in the Dupage, IL Courthouse.

Jim is survived by his wife, Rosemary; his siblings, Daniel (Dawn) Gehrke, Louise Slegar, Dawn Ellen Perez, Norman (Karen) Gehrke, and Denise Hamilton, and many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, and Arlene Garcia.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, February 12th, from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm at James A. O'Connor Funeral Home, 11603 E Main St in Huntley, until the time of service at 12:00 pm. Burial will be private at a later date, at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Hillside, IL.

In lieu of flowers, Memorials in Jim's name may be directed to the American Kidney Association.

James A. O'Connor Funeral Home is assisting the Family. For more

information please call (847)669-5111

Cemetery Details

Queen of Heaven

1400 South Wolf Road
Hillside, IL 60162

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 12. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

James A. O'Connor Funeral Home
11603 E. Main PO Box 74
Huntley, IL 60142
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Memorial Service

FEB 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of James Robert "Jim" Gehrke.*



February 09 at 10:29 AM



“ *Rose,
I am sorry for your loss. We are all thinking of you and your family during this difficult time.*

Shane Borkowsky - February 04 at 07:43 PM



“ *Rose, I am so very sorry for your loss. My sympathy to you and your family.*

Jon Radosta - February 03 at 02:46 PM



“ *Oh Rose, I am so sorry for your loss...sending hugs and prayers your way.*



Sylvia Mallek - February 03 at 01:09 PM