



James A. Nelson

April 21, 1955 - August 28, 2011

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RACINE-James A. Nelson, 56 passed away on Sunday August 28, 2011.

James was born in Sturgeon Bay on April 21, 1955, the son of the late Joyce "Joe" and Doris (Peterson) Nelson. He was a graduate of Wm. Horlick High School. James was a machinist for Thermal Transfer for several years in addition to remodeling homes with his brother William. He also was a general handyman at various homes throughout the Racine area.

James is survived by siblings, Linda (Frank) Lamb, Joe Nelson, Chris (Thomas) Polzin and William Nelson all of Racine. He is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and many dear friends. James was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Carrie Sue Nelson.

Funeral services will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Tuesday September 6, 2011 at 11 a.m. James will be laid to rest next to his mother, Doris, at Graceland Cemetery following services. Visitation will be held at Sturino Funeral Home from 9:30 a.m. until service time at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the family would be appreciated.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

Racine, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
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Funeral Service

SEP 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I may not have known Jim very well, but he was a good man. I will never forget the blizzard of this past year. I had stayed with my mom (geri vash) through that night. The following day after the plows had come through my car was completely buried. All you could see was the roof. Jim had walked over to check on my mom and to help shovel and when he found out that my car was buried he took the time to help me dig the car completely out and push it from the snow bank out onto the road. I will never forget how hard the work was and he never complained once. I will always be thankful for that fond memory and for so many others of conversations we had. Jim, you will truly be missed.



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