



James "Jim" Dealey

June 30, 1935 - November 10, 2019

James "Jim" Dealey, 84, of Grand Island passed away Sunday, November 10, 2019 at Emerald Care Center Lakeview.

Memorial service will be held Saturday, November 23, at 11:00 a.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home. Military honors will be presented by the United States Army and Grand Island Veterans Honor Guard. Burial of ashes will be at Blue Hill Cemetery at a later date.

Visitation is from 10:00 a.m. until the service.

James was born June 30, 1935 at Post, Texas to Joseph and Anna (Oye) Dealey. At a young age he moved to Blue Hill with his family. James graduated from Blue Hill Public School in 1952. After graduation he attended Kearney State College. In 1955 he went to Illinois and worked as an iron worker. On April 30, 1958, he was drafted into the United States Army and was honorably discharged April 29, 1960.

On February 3, 1962, he married Lorna Kumke at the Blue Hill Trinity Lutheran Church.

James had many jobs before he started working for the Union Pacific Railroad in 1971. He retired from the railroad in 2001. For years, James enjoyed working in his yard, pulling weeds or picking up leaves. They had the nicest yard in the neighborhood. Following his second round of throat cancer, he would work in the yard to get his strength back.

He also enjoyed fishing, reading and traveling to various states visiting the casinos.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife of 57 years, Lorna; children, Suzanne Tippin of Summerville, SC, Daniel (Rosita) Dealey of Mt. Home, ID, Joyce Jackson of Grand Island, NE, Nancy (Chris) Pinkelman of Lincoln, NE and John (Maddy) Dealey of Hulette, WY; six grandchildren, Kristine Tippin, Kory Jackson, and Michael, Nicholas, Mason and Roman Dealey; and one great-grandchild, Emmaline Jackson. He is also survived by a brother and sister-in-law, Donald (Jeanette) Dealey of Holdrege, two sisters-in-law, Kathy Dealey of Ogallala and Wanda Kumke of Hastings; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded by his parents; three sisters and their husbands, Frances (Burdette) Armstrong, Rosalie (George) Mohlman and Anna (Wilbur) Mohlman; four brothers and three sisters-in-law, Robert (Nancy) Dealey, Lewis (Delores) Dealey, Joseph Jr. (Imogene) Dealey and Dard Dealey; nephews, George Mohlman, David Mohlman and Joseph Dealey III; and niece, Tammy Dealey.

Memorials are suggested to the family for later designation.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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Grand Island, NE 68801
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Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *James "Jim" Dealey*

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“ *Thinking of all of you in this difficult time. Hugs to all of you and cherish all the memories. Been many years since I've seen some of you. I see Joyce once in awhile around town. Will be thinking about you in the coming week and sending lots of prayers your way. 🙏*

Greg and Kathy (Hansen) Neal - November 16, 2019 at 11:15 AM



Thinking of you with sympathy during this difficult time. Elle Keeney

Ellie Keeney - November 24, 2019 at 07:57 PM