



James Calvin Kingsbury (Seymour)

November 30, 1923 - April 21, 2021

James Calvin Kingsbury was born November 30, 1923, in Washington, D.C. He peacefully departed this life for Heaven at the long age of 97, on April 21, 2021, in Ozark Riverview Manor, in Ozark, Missouri.

After high school Jim entered the United States Navy and proudly served his country during World War II. He exited the Navy as Quartermaster Third Class having served on the destroyer minesweeper, USS Lamberton. He used his G.I. Bill to attend George Washington University where he earned a bachelor degree in foreign commerce.

In 1950, Jim married the love of his life, Pamela Ruth Baughman. Together they raised three sons and shared 64 blessed, loving, and supportive years until her passing in February 2015.

Jim had worked as a foreign trade expert for the U.S. Department of Foreign Commerce. His primary deployments were in Rockville, Maryland, Cincinnati, Ohio, and finally Saudi Arabia where he spent two years. He and Pamela retired to Fordland, Missouri, where they were ever-present and active members of Diggins Baptist Church. Jim was also quite passionate about his gardening.

In addition to his parents, Jim was preceded in death by his beloved Pamela, and their two newborn babies, Susan Virginia and David Lee; and his sister Patsy Webb and her husband Kenneth.

Jim leaves behind the legacy of his family; sons, Richard (Rick) Kingsbury and wife Lauri McClane who live in France, Dr. Charles (Chip) Kingsbury and wife Chari who live in Nairobi, Kenya, and Daniel (Dan) Kingsbury and wife Jill of Ozark, Missouri; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; and two sisters-in-law, Sue Conner and husband Tim, and Ann Hawkins and husband Dorsey.

Funeral service for Mr. Kingsbury is Tuesday, April 27, 2021, at 2:00 PM, at Holman-Howe Funeral Home in Seymour, Missouri. Burial will follow in Seymour Masonic Cemetery.

Cemetery

Events

Seymour Masonic Cemetery	APR	Funeral Service	02:00PM
800 W Steel St	27	<hr/>	
Seymour, MO, 65746		Holman-Howe Funeral Home Seymour	
		214 West. Clinton Ave, Seymour, MO, US, 65746	

Comments



“ I cherish the times with you and Pam. Your homestead in the Ozarks was my wide open paradise. The lessons learned, the wisdom instilled, the love shown will be in my heart forever. Learning how to shoot my BB gun, hauling firewood, working in the garden (I think we grew rocks), learning how to shoot a real gun, sitting back enjoying nature, helping those around the community who needed it, driving the tractor, riding in the back of the old red Ford, swimming in the creek jailing gravel for the driveway and Fireworks. Cannot forget the bottle rockets. Memories to last a lifetime. I know you are celebrating now with Pam in heaven. The thoughts of this well me up with tears of happiness for you two.
Until we meet again, with love,
Peter Hughes

Peter Hughes - April 27 at 05:17 PM



“ Gena And Mike Cooper sent a virtual gift in memory of James Calvin Kingsbury (Seymour)



Gena and Mike Cooper - April 27 at 01:52 PM



“ Tropical Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of James Calvin Kingsbury (Seymour).



April 26 at 09:35 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



rick kingsbury - April 24 at 11:18 AM



“ Dad Kingsbury was a great father by any measurement, not only to his biological children, but to those who married the 3 great sons Pam & Jim raised. He always told me "You're the best thing that ever happened to Chip" and the way he said it, I was convinced he truly meant it. He accepted me readily and without reservations and always made me feel a real part of the family. So did Mom K., who sadly passed away some years back. I will miss visiting Dad K, listening to his fascinating stories. Now he is home with his Saviour, after a life well-lived.

Chari Kingsbury - April 24 at 10:56 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Calvin Kingsbury (Seymour).



April 23 at 11:02 AM



“ Richard K. purchased the Silken Serenity Casket Spray for the family of James Calvin Kingsbury (Seymour).



Richard K. - April 23 at 07:20 AM



“ Jim and Pam were such faithful servants of Jesus attending the Yokefellows Thursday evening worship at the Medical Center for Federal Prisoners. This is where I met Jim and Pam. May God comfort all the family members as we celebrate Jim's going home go be with Jesus. Ron and Kathy Merritt

Ron and Kathy Merritt - April 22 at 05:23 PM