



James "Jim" Lee Hanna

September 7, 1934 - July 30, 2015

Age 80, passed away at his home on Thursday, July 30, 2015. He was born on September 7, 1934 in Toledo, Ohio, the son of James B. and Rayonette (Frale) Hanna. On March 10, 1956 in Angola, Indiana, he married Carol A. Stinefield (wife of 59 years) and she survives. Jim graduated from DeVilbiss High School in 1952 and headed the DeVilbiss H. S. band. In 1958 he graduated from Tri-State University in Angola, Indiana, with a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering. Jim was also in the United States 555th Air Force Reserve Band in Swanton, Ohio from 1952 to 1960. Jim and Carol founded Mectron Engineering Co., Inc., an international inspection business in Saline and Jim has been active in the business until he passed away. He and Carol also founded and ran the Giant Flea Market from 1976-1991. Jim was passionately involved with his small farm raising hay for grass fed beef and fostering 4H animals for his grandchildren. His dog "Kosan" was his constant companion. In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children, Kristen Hanna, Mark Hanna, Keira Hanna-Rockwell, Kendra McClure, and son-in-law, David Rockwell. His grandchildren include Stefan, Josh, Andrew, Casey, Shannon, Mary, Christopher, Mitchell and Colin. He was preceded in death by his parents. Visitation will be held on Saturday, August 1, 2015 from 12:00-3:00 P.M. at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home, Saline. Entombment will take place privately at Washtenong Memorial Park in Ann Arbor. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are requested to Trine University, School of Engineering, (formerly Tri-State University), 1 University Ave., Angola, IN

46703 and envelopes will be available at the funeral home. To sign Jim's guestbook, to leave a memory, or for more information or directions please visit www.rbfhsaline.com

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ James "Jim" Lee Hanna

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ Mariona & Bandar and Families purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of James "Jim" Lee Hanna.



Mariona & Bandar and Families - August 01, 2015 at 12:51 PM



“ SCOTT AND LORETTA BOYCE AND FAMILY purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of James "Jim" Lee Hanna.



SCOTT AND LORETTA BOYCE AND FAMILY - July 31, 2015 at 10:43 PM



“ About 35 years ago, I became a supplier to Mectron. Jim, bless his heart, did not leave our relationship at that and now I am mourning the loss of a friend. My thoughts and prayers are with the Hanna family and with the Mectron staff to whom he was also a friend.

Clyde Boenke

Clyde Boenke - July 31, 2015 at 03:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Lee Hanna.*



July 31, 2015 at 10:08 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Jim will be missed by our staff where he came to work out and visit . He was such an inspiration to all our fitness members. Our facility won't be the same without his daily stories of his dog and his smiling face walking through our doors. Prayers of peace and comfort to all he has touched.*

Kelli, Debbie, Lori and Cindy

Debbie - July 31, 2015 at 06:34 AM