



James R. Henning

May 15, 1945 - July 9, 2018

James R. Henning, 73, of Huntley, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on

Monday July 9, 2018.

He was born on May 15, 1945 in Elgin the son of the late John L. and Louise A.

(Kahl) Henning.

On October 30, 1965 in Harmony, he married Sharon L. Fees.

Jim dedicated his life to the Lord and his family here on earth. From the family farm in Huntley, IL Jim attended Concordia High School and College in Milwaukee, WI. After College he married his love, Sharrie, and built there home on the family farm. He became a Tool & Die maker at Woodstock Die Casting and then retired from his home-based business "Country Tool" in 2017. The Lord gave Jim the gift of creativity for making unimaginable pieces of art from both Metal and Wood. He also had a passion for gardening, animals, and capturing life's moments from behind the lens of a camera.

Survivors include his wife Sharrie,

Four children: Tammy “Jerry” Boxleitner, Jackie “Jay” Loeffel, Amy “Nick” Bokowy and James “Shari” Henning.

Seven grandchildren: Jake and Evan Boxleitner, Ryan “Sarah “ Loeffel, Kelli “Bryan” Zuidema, Cole, Cade, and Megan Bokowy.

Great grandchildren: Hannah and Molly Loeffel, Brady, Mason, Ruger, and Lilah Zuidema .

Brother: John F. Henning and Sister Bernice Hoffman.

He was also preceded in death by his sister-in-law Carol (Shadle) Henning and his brother-in-law Howard Hoffman.

Memorial service will be held at Zion Lutheran Church 412 Jackson Street Marengo, IL 60152 on Friday July 13, 2018 at 11:00 am.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 pm on Thursday and 10 to 11am Friday, at the church.

Interment will be at the Harmony Cemetery following lunch.

Memorials may be made in his name to Zion Lutheran Church or to

Henning Family Endowment Concordia University 12800 North Lake Shore Drive Mequoen, Wisconsin. 53097

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUL 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Church
412 Jackson Street
Marengo, IL 60152

Memorial Service

JUL 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James R. Henning.*



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“ *From your friends at Concordia University Wisc. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of James R. Henning.*



From your friends at Concordia University Wisc. - July 12, 2018 at 11:28 AM



“ *I remember well how often Jim, my Concordia H.S. Classmate and roommate used to lie in his dormitory room bed and turn up the volume on the 1962 Four Seasons hit, "Sherry," and sing along in falsetto! Then I thought, "this guy is truly in love with the girl of his dreams!". Rev. Paul R. Koester, H.S. Class of '63.*

Paul R. Koester - July 10, 2018 at 03:47 PM