



Irwin James Watts

September 26, 1937 - November 6, 2020

IRWIN JAMES WATTS, Jr., 83, of Hovey Twp., Parker, PA passed away early Friday morning 11-6-20 at Sugarcreek Rest following a period of declining health.

Born in Pittsburgh, PA on September 26, 1937, he was the son of the late Irwin James Watts (Sr) and Wilda Stock Watts.

He was a graduate of Munhall High School and attended Duff Business School. He retired from US Steel Corp as a production assistant with over thirty years of service.

He served as Hovey Township supervisor, roadmaster, vice chairman, and chairman for the past 30 years. He was a member of Parker United Methodist Church, F&AM Lodge #521 of Parker City, Coudersport Consistory, and a longtime social member of VFW #7073 of Parker. An avid golfer, he had been a member of Foxburg Country Club, and was an avid NASCAR fan, attending many races over the years.

Surviving are three sons: James (Janine) Watts of Pittsburgh, Jeffrey Watts of Gibsonia, and Jerry Watts of Pittsburgh. Two grandchildren, Justin and Emily Watts, one stepdaughter, Amy (James) Foringer of Kittanning, two stepsons, Harry Bartley of Franklin and Bill (Lisa) Bartley of Parker. Two step-

grandchildren, Jessica (Jeremy) Gilbert and Sadye Bartley. Four great-grandchildren, Rylan, Aurora, Orin, and "Little G" (Giovanni). Daughter in law Sophia Zhang of Pittsburgh.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Rebecca "Becky" Black Watts on November 4, 2019, and a son Jay Watts in 2018.

A memorial service will be held at the Paker United Methodist Church on November 14, 2020 at 11am. CDC guidelines, social distancing, and face coverings will be observed. If sick, please offer online condolences.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Parker United Methodist Church
Parker, PA

Tribute Wall

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“ Sending thoughts and prayers for all the family. Jim was a very nice man . I loved his sense of humor. Fond memories of him and Becky. May God hold all of you extra close and give you comfort at this difficult time.

Nancy Wagner - November 11, 2020 at 12:02 PM

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“ Nancy Wagner lit a candle in memory of Irwin James Watts



Nancy Wagner - November 11, 2020 at 11:57 AM



“ Jim was long time friend and neighbor and great guy. I remember when my daughter was born he was the first non family member to meet her Uncle Jim. We also played lots of cards always had good time. We will miss seeing him plowing on his tractor. RIP fly high..

Donald Caldwell - November 09, 2020 at 02:33 PM