



## A. James Clark

March 20, 2015

A. James (Jim) Clark, 87, of Vero Beach, FL, died March 20, 2015, of congestive heart failure.

Born in Richmond, VA, Clark and his family moved to Bethesda when he was six years old. He attended Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School; graduated from Devitt Preparatory School in Washington, DC; and received his Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from the University of Maryland, College Park.

He was hired after college by the George Hyman Construction Company and was named its President in 1969. In 1996, he merged George Hyman and Omni Construction into the Clark Construction Group. His companies built more than 1200 projects in the Washington metro area during his tenure and many more nationwide.

Clark was well-known for his philanthropy and gave generously to universities, medical facilities, and other organizations that helped veterans, the homeless, and the disadvantaged. Clark served on a number of corporate boards and was a strong supporter of the Republican Party. An avid outdoorsman, he enjoyed golfing, fishing, and hunting with family, friends, and colleagues.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Alice Bratton Clark; two sons, Paul Clark and wife Carol Parrish, of Mill River, MA, and A. James (Brad) Clark, Jr.,

of Bethesda, MD; a daughter, Courtney Clark Pastrick and husband R. Scott Pastrick, also of Bethesda; and ten grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents, Woodruff and Sally Wray Clark, and his sister, Jeanne Curren.

A memorial service is planned for the Washington National Cathedral at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Mr. Clark's memory to A. James Clark Scholarship at the University of Maryland, 3207 Kim Engineering Building, College Park, MD 20742.

# Tribute Wall



“ *A. James Clark*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *A. James Clark*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *A. James Clark*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *A very great man, and a sweetheart as well. I know. How few are like him.*

**Roemer McPhee III** - May 15, 2015 at 07:49 PM



“ *Sandy Walton lit a candle in memory of A. James Clark*



**Sandy Walton** - March 24, 2015 at 07:16 AM