



James Joseph Lyons

July 5, 1944 - February 6, 2025

James (Jim) Joseph Lyons, 80, of Stevensville, MD died at his home on Thursday, February 6, 2025. Jim was born in Lackawanna, NY and was the son of the late Joseph Patrick and Irma Elizabeth (Ruesch) Lyons. Jim survived his parents and his sister, Mary Elizabeth Bakersmith.

Jim was a veteran that served six years in the U.S. Army Reserves as a Sergeant in the Military Police. Concurrently, Jim served with the Maryland State Police and retired after a distinguished 25 year career, last serving in the Executive Protection Division.

He enjoyed spending his time going to Assateague Island and Chincoteague Beach with his camper and traveling south to Florida during the winters.

A Celebration of Life for family and friends will be held at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 106 Shamrock Road, Chester, Maryland 21619 at 3:00 pm on Friday, February 28, 2025. Interment will be private at Fort Lincoln Cemetery in Brentwood, MD placed with his parents.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 28. 3:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Tribute Wall

SS

“ My Uncle. Finding out this way was the most heartbreaking news. We hadn't spoke in years due to a situation that I totally understood. I remember coming to your house when I was younger a teenager's and hanging out with you for a weekend. I wish I could rewind back time and we were in a better place. I wish we could of stayed in contact
However I can't erase time and can't rewind it. I'll have to live with that. I talked about you through my life and told people how proud I was of you. I ove you and always did and always will May you RIP and fly high

susan stephens - April 05, 2025 at 05:44 PM

JP

“ Uncle Jim was my mother's little brother. As a kid I always looked up to him, he would give us some of the coolest stuff like when you did security for Jenny McCarthy he gave us autograph pics of her. And his Christmas presents were the best. He was a good man and a great son. He was always there for my grandma. I just wish I could have gotten to know him better.

Joe Pat - February 21, 2025 at 04:25 PM

SC

“ Jim was the best! A warm, gentle smile could always be found on his face! All the kids in the "Hood " Thought he was great because he always gave out a full size candy bar at Halloweenneedless to say, he had a very popular house on that evening.

Sally Campion - February 20, 2025 at 05:22 PM

WS

“ Jim was the first senior trooper to greet me and befriend me as a boot MSP Trooper assigned to Barrack "J" Annapolis in November 1968. We served together again in the Executive Protection Division. A kind gentleman with a big heart. Warner Sumpter

Warner Sumpter - February 17, 2025 at 03:03 PM

JR

“ J J was a class act member of Executive Protection Division in the Maryland State Police and he was a joy to work with. Jim Rinehart.

James Rinehart - February 16, 2025 at 01:08 PM



“ Jim was a great neighbor and always had a smile. He will be missed.

Linda Austin - February 14, 2025 at 05:55 PM