



James "Jim" Dale Gough

August 4, 1961 - May 2, 2021

ADRIAN –James “Jim” Dale Gough, age 59, of Adrian, died peacefully on Sunday, May 2, 2021.

He was born on August 4, 1961 in Saulte St. Marie, the son of Dale and Rose (Kaunisto) Gough. Jim’s father died before he was born and he was blessed to have been raised by his mother and stepfather, Phil Healy. Jim was influenced by Phil’s time in the Navy and after his high school graduation, he joined the United States Navy, serving his country from 1980 to 1984.

On January 23, 1988, Jim married Cecilia “Ceal” Schirrick in Dearborn, MI and they have shared 33 years together.

Jim worked as a master electrician. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Adrian, where he was very active as a deacon, cooked the men’s breakfast and was the “go to man” for fixing things around the church. When his children were younger, Jim volunteered his time cooking in the 4-H kitchen during the week of the Lenawee County Fair. He enjoyed deer hunting, riding motorcycles, and was a member of the American Legion Post #97. Jim loved the time he was able to spend with his family and grandchildren, creating special memories.

In addition to his wife, Ceal, Jim is survived by their children, Dale Gough

(Stephanie Gawne), Carol (Daniel) Condron, Doug Schirrick (Anna Meredith) and Ivan Gough; grandchildren, Andrianna Sivrais and Eli Terrero; brothers, Pat and Philip Healy; nephew, Matt Hammerschmidt and his four-legged companion, Cadbury. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Tom Gough.

Visitation will take place on Sunday, May 9, 2021, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Adrian. Funeral services will follow at 4 p.m. with Rev. Ann Marie Montgomery officiating. Full military rites will be conducted by the Annis-Flint Post #1584 and the American Legion Post #97.

Following the Governor's executive order, all attendees are required to wear a proper face covering, with the exception of those under the age of five years old or those who cannot medically tolerate.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First Presbyterian Church, Adrian.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian, where online memories and condolences may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church
156 E. Maumee Street
Adrian, MI

Funeral Service

MAY 9. 4:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church
156 E. Maumee Street
Adrian, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *James "Jim" Dale Gough*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Ceal, Thinking of you and your family during these times. So sorry for your loss...*

Kevin Spano - May 11, 2021 at 08:17 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.*



May 08, 2021 at 11:26 AM



“ *Ceal ,
I'm so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. The stories and memories you shared over the years you painted a picture of a Man I wish I would have met. Our condolences and prayers to you and your family.*

Mark and Rita Maranowski

Mark Maranowski - May 08, 2021 at 12:14 AM



“ *Ceal,
My deepest condolences. We are praying for you.*

Ketan Lodha - May 07, 2021 at 03:01 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.*



May 07, 2021 at 02:40 PM



“ *The Staff and Employees of FANUC America purchased the Sacred Garden Spray for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.*



The Staff and Employees of FANUC America - May 07, 2021 at 01:16 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to Ceal and family. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Kendall Harris - May 07, 2021 at 12:29 PM



“ *i didn't know James, but i work with Ceal and i think the world of her. She is the kindest soul and i think its very cool all the knowledge she has at Ford, a real woman to look up to. Ceal i am sorry very sorry for your loss, i wish i knew what to say to take your heartache away. When i lost both parents last fall you were there to listen and console, i really appreciated that. Your a beautiful soul and i am here for you.*

Donna Deason - May 07, 2021 at 09:43 AM

TG

“ So sorry to hear about this. Ceal, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

The Guthrie Family

Tom Guthrie - May 07, 2021 at 09:39 AM

NO

“ Norman H. Opolsky purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.



Norman H. Opolsky - May 07, 2021 at 09:38 AM

CA

“ Ceal so sorry to hear about your sudden lose, please know we are thinking and praying for you and your family

Carl - May 07, 2021 at 09:28 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.



May 06, 2021 at 04:48 PM

PB

“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Pat Healy (Jims brother) - May 05, 2021 at 09:05 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.



May 05, 2021 at 02:20 PM

LC

“ Jim was truly one of the "good guys", and will be missed by all who knew him. He will be an asset to God's kingdom. Rest in peace dear friend.

Lois Curtis

Lois Nearhood Curtis - May 05, 2021 at 01:41 PM

TL

“ I got to know Jim because of taking care of his dad Phil Healy. Jim and I would talk about everything lol. He was a very very caring, person and he loved his Family! He loved God and his church! I am thankful for the opportunity to get to know Jim, a brother in Christ Jesus! One day we will meet up together in Heaven! Until then my prayers are for his family!! For he will be greatly missed!! Huge Hugs to All!!

Teresa Lee - May 05, 2021 at 11:02 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Dale Gough.*



May 05, 2021 at 01:28 AM



“ *Linda Thrasher lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Dale Gough*



Linda Thrasher - May 04, 2021 at 09:12 AM



“ *Jimmy had an incredible laugh which was always enjoyable when he would visit our farm in Wisconsin. I will always remember his fun loving character. Rest in Paradise my cousin until we celebrate with our Lord Jesus!*

Steven Brooks - May 04, 2021 at 01:45 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Phil Healy - May 03, 2021 at 11:52 PM



“ Jim was one of the nicest guys and breakfast buddies you will ever meet. He would give you the shirt off his back.... There is nothing that he couldn't do... He could fix enough food to feed an Army, he was a master electrician and did everything in between. He was my co-cinnamon bun maker on Palm Sunday and in the fall for our fall brunch..... He did so much for our First Presbyterian Church, his loss will be felt for a long time and he will be deeply missed by all....

Garry Veld - May 03, 2021 at 08:59 PM

BS

“ Jim one truly good man. Best friend and husband to Ceal and awesome dad. Jim always was first to help others out. He gave tirelessly to care for his mom, brother and dad. He was also a go to guy if you ever needed anything fixed around the house or with your car. Friendly and funny we all enjoyed his stories. Straight forward and down to earth everyone liked Jim. Those of us who knew him were blessed to have him in our lives even though this time was short. Rest In Peace Dear Jim you have earned your wings.
With love and respect,
Becci

Becci Schirrick - May 03, 2021 at 07:52 PM



“ My cousin Jim and I ran into each other last year at the University of Michigan cancer center, we were getting radiation at the same time. I was so surprised and it was a blessing to see him there. He was a good son to Uncle Phil, making sure he was well cared for in his last years. To Ceal and the kids I'm so sorry for your loss and hurt

Ann Myers - May 03, 2021 at 07:16 PM