



James W. Fischer

September 10, 1948 - October 13, 2023

James W. Fischer, age 75, of Swanton, OH, passed away on October 13, 2023.

He was born September 10, 1948 to Roger and Loretta (Paige) Fischer. Jim proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy from 1968 until 1973. He mostly was stationed in Okinawa and Hawaii, he was never on a ship. After leaving the Navy, he got a job at Xerox Corporation where he worked for 31 years. Jim married his wife, Bonnie in 1978. They enjoyed working together remodeling about 10 houses for family and friends. They also enjoyed going on fishing trips with family and friends. Their interests also included camping and golfing.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Jill Edwards. He is survived by his loving wife, Bonnie; brother, Howard Fischer; sisters, Nancy Riecks, Peggy (Mike) Holewinski and Heidi (Jim) Smith; as well as several nieces and nephews. Jim was especially close to his godson, Roger Edwards.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on Thursday, October 19th from 3:00-7:00 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 20th, in the mortuary, at 11:00 a.m. Interment at Resurrection Cemetery with military honors. Please view and sign our online "guest registry" at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Funeral Ceremony

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Toledo, OH 43614

Tribute Wall

JS

“ Jim was always there, to help , to laugh, to enjoy the event. Jim always added to a group and made the day lighter. Determined to do things Jim's way. I enjoyed Jim's company from the first time we met, and will always remember his humor and mostly his laugh. Bonnie, we are so sad for your loss. Recent times have been tough for you and our prayers are with you.

Jimmie , Rest in Peace

Jim & Kathy Schudel

Jim Schudel - October 21, 2023 at 01:15 PM

HF

“ Uncle Jimmy is a giant in my childhood. His booming voice lives large in my heart and my actions.

So does the love that he shared with his brother, my dad. He helped me grow up because he spoke to me in grown up ways when I was young. Much love to you, Aunt Bonnie, from me and my family. Howie



Howard Fischer - October 21, 2023 at 10:27 AM

SB

“ Bonnie and all the Fischer families, please know I send my love and prayers to you all. The Fischer and Bookenberger families were neighbors and lots of fun memories from those years. Jim was always laughing and smiling !! I'm trying to remember a plaque that was on your front door, was it 6 and 20 villa ? LOL, I'm probably wrong, but I do remember that plaque. Love, Sherrie Burkhardt

Sherrie Burkhardt - October 19, 2023 at 03:25 PM

LD

“ *Such wonderful memories..... Best buddies in the Navy, riding our motorcycles through the pineapple fields in Hawaii and watching the sun rise at Kaena Point..... our trip in my Datsun 260Z and having to fix the clogged fuel filter..... vacations with Jim and Bonnie camping with the pop-up..... the privilege of having Jim as my best man at my wedding..... meeting Jim’s great family..... couldn’t ask for a better friend..... Jim’s hardy laugh and and overall goodness of spirit..... I will truly miss you my friend.....*

Rest in Peace,

Larry Doggett

Larry Doggett - October 19, 2023 at 10:50 AM

BF

Thanks, Larry. He was such a great person.

bonnie fischer - November 05, 2023 at 12:48 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James W. Fischer.*



October 19, 2023 at 03:33 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James W. Fischer.*

October 19, 2023 at 03:33 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of James W. Fischer.*



October 18, 2023 at 02:52 PM



“ *When I think of Jim I'll remember his hearty laugh, his willingness to help with projects and his love of everything outdoors. Those fishing trips to Canada and trips to Smoky Mountains I know we're his favs. I'll miss you Jim. May you Rest In Peace and know that we will give BONNIE the love and support she needs. ❤️❤️❤️*

Angie Bohnsack - October 17, 2023 at 06:24 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of James W. Fischer.*



October 17, 2023 at 04:51 PM



“ *I remember Jim at AT&T as our Xerox copier technician, he was always so nice. Bonnie, you and Jim seemed perfect for each other and I know he will be missed by everyone who knew and loved him.*

My deepest sympathy Bonnie.

Paula Kozlowski

paula Kozlowski - October 16, 2023 at 10:38 PM

MG

“ Jim was a great friend,he loved carpentry projects and was a great technician,always striving for perfection, he'll be missed.Mike Gerity

Mike Gerity - October 16, 2023 at 09:07 PM

JG

“ I remember our trip to Toronto with you and Jim to attend that huge outdoor show. I was pressured to go to the top of the CN tower. On the ride up, Jim held me tight and let me hide my face within his hug. I was so glad to get back on the ground!

Joan Goodspeed - October 16, 2023 at 08:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James W. Fischer.

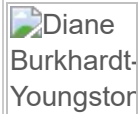


October 16, 2023 at 06:29 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James W. Fischer.

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“ *Jim was always a man's man. He knew what tools were for. . .fixing his fence, fixing the bannister leading to the basement, fixing Barb's steps, replacing the bannister that the rescue squad cut off to get me to the ambulance. The list goes on and on. He loved camping. I liked our trips on his pontoon. He enjoyed a whole circle of friends at his campground. He was ell-liked and will be missed. We loved you, Jimbo.*

Diane Burkhardt-Youngston - October 16, 2023 at 05:57 PM