



## James Vaughn Snyder

October 3, 1941 - July 30, 2018

James V. Snyder, 76, of Sarasota Florida passed away Sunday July 30, 2018. Jim was born in Noblesville Indiana and moved to Canton Ohio in 1954. It was there in his high school years that he met his future wife Kathie. After leaving school he joined the National Guard, returning to Ohio when his commitment ended. Jim and Kathie we're married in 1961. Jim moved his family to Sarasota in 1973 and was immediately hired at Darby Buick. His love of cars combined with his positive personality were a great fit and he soon was given A management position at Darby Buick. After 12 years he decided it was time to go into business for himself and started Snyder Motor Company first in Osprey and later on Clark Road in Sarasota. Jim truly loved people and would always introduce himself and Initiate a conversation. Many of his long-term friendships began this way. He loved and was loved by his family, and his input was always important to everyone in the family.They had three sons: Jeffrey (Lindsey), James Victor, who lived briefly for one day, and John. They have four grandchildren, Adam (Heidi), Ryan, Autumn, and Taylor Ertl (Dustin) and 3 great-grandchildren.The family will receive friends Friday August 3, 2018 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, 40 North Orange Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34236.The funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday morning, August 4, 2018 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 2256 Bahia Vista Street, Sarasota, Florida 34239.Interment will be at Sunset Hills Memory Gardens in Canton, Ohio.Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army, 5885 86th St. N., St. Petersburg, Florida 33709.



# Tribute Wall

CZ

“ *Kathie and family so sorry about Jim , At church suppers and other timed enjoyed sitting at your table and getting to know you both better. Our thoughts and Prayers are with you all God Bless.* ”



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**Carol & Ron Zimmerman** - August 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sorry for your loss. I hope it brings some peace knowing he is now hanging out with my Mom & Angelyn from the Swinney side plus all his previous loved ones lost over the years. With love, Sarah, Brice and Grace* ”

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**Sarah Swinney (Tibbett)** - August 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ *One of the nicest guys ever. I enjoyed listening to him tell stories about his life.* ”

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**Gina Gonzalez** - August 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *Jim and his ever present smile and pleasant personality will be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. Condolences to Kathy and all the Snyders. I regret not being able to travel to attend the funeral due to my health but you are in my thoughts.* ”

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**Russell Swinney** - August 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ What does a person say? Nothing takes away the pain but time. He will be in your soul forever. You will think of him everyday. Sometimes you laugh and sometimes you will cry. It is a great loss. Jim knew his life was going to end soon. He and I had talked about it twice. He thought he had had a great life and had no regrets. He felt that everything was in order and you would be taken care of. He was always very thoughtful about people. I will miss him greatly as I'm sure Jim will. I will always remember all the times we spent talking out on the street or in the driveways. Our street will never be the same without him. If you ever need anything or just to talk remember we are here for you.

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**Pam Bucci** - August 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ Jimmy Snyder was a great family friend! We have known Jimmy for many years, and he was always available when you called to talk, he was so helpful when things needed to be done, and was a member of our family, like a brother to us. His Wife, Kathie, is a gem! She loved her Jimmy so much and took great care of him. We send her our deepest condolences today as she is mourning the love of her life, but knows that he is in Heaven now. Many blessings to the Snyder Family as you walk through this season of grief. We love you!

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**George & Cindi Hopman** - August 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Jim was always there for us, whatever our need. A beautiful person and great friend. His kind sweet spirit will truly be missed. Kathie my heart hurts for your loss. Love you!!

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**Carol Tokarczyk** - August 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Life long friend and a truly great person. Kathy I am so sorry for your loss.* ”

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**James Barker** - August 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM