



## James G. Meade

January 5, 1951 - January 16, 2021

James G. Meade, 70, of Beloit, WI, died Saturday, January 16, 2021 in his home surrounded by his family.

He was born January 5, 1951 in Beloit, WI, the son of Veril and Evelyn (Turner) Meade.

James attended Beloit Memorial High School. He was a veteran of the U.S. Marines.

James married Rosemary Meade on September 5, 1987 in Beloit, WI.

James was formerly employed by Beloit Corporation and Richland Center Foundry.

Survivors include his children, Tana Meade, Katrina Meade, Keith Streeter and Ben Bode all of Beloit, WI; grandchildren, Desiree (Brian) Justice, Dakota Meade, Trysta Heidenreich, Virginia Meade, and Kaylee Meade-Hughes; great grandchildren, Ariana and Jaxson; brothers, Bruce (Cheryl) Houchins of Janesville, WI, Vern Meade of Richland Center, WI, and Veril Meade of Reedsburg, WI; other brothers, sisters, nieces, nephews and cousins; and significant other, Mary Fellner.

He was predeceased by his parents, daughter, Sandra Meade; two brothers and two sisters.

A Memorial graveside service for James will be 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 26, 2021 in Floral Lawn Cemetery, South Beloit, IL. Visitation of remembrance will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Monday, January 25, 2021 in the Daley Murphy Wisch & Associates Funeral Home and Crematorium, 2355 Cranston Road, Beloit, WI.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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## Floral Lawn Cemetery

835 Dearborn Ave.  
South Beloit, IL,

**JAN** **Visitation** 04:00PM - 07:00PM

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Daley Murphy Wisch & Associates Funeral Home and  
Crematorium

2355 Cranston Road, Beloit, WI, US, 53511

**JAN** **Graveside Services** 01:00PM

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Floral Lawn Cemetery

835 Dearborn Ave., South Beloit, IL, US

# Comments

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“ Jamie Valdez lit a candle in memory of James G. Meade



**Jamie Valdez** - February 01, 2021 at 03:14 PM

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**Daley Murphy Wisch Funeral Home** - January 26, 2021 at 03:23 PM

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“ I have the most beautiful memories of being with Jimmy. We dated for several years each year he would ask me to marry him, of course I said no until September 5th 1987 when we took our vows in front of God, church, family and friends. We have a beautiful daughter together Katrina and he took on the father roll to my son Keith. He loved being a father and we tried for several years to have another baby but couldn't. We had a lot of trips together some with the kids and some without. We spent our week-ends going out dancing or going to the out door theater, sometimes we would go for a bike ride, fishing or to my parents cabin and trailer up north. He loved country music and oldies rock and roll. On the week-ends in the morning we would blast the radio. He enjoyed doing handy man stuff around the house and enjoyed being in the garage doing wood work that he would give away. He was a work acholic and made sure his family was taken care of. Jimmy always respected his elders and loved my family and his.

Jimmy and I separated but still stayed close. Every time he was in town he would stop. We each knew that neither one of us wanted to get married again, so we stayed married to each other. I have to laugh because his girlfriends kept sending him to ask for a divorce but no way was that happening, and I'll take the blame for that. We still loved each other and behind close doors we had a relationship that no one knew about up until he started to get sick. It was our secret together. On Sundays we would take a ride with the kids to pick up cans on the road and then we would stop and have ice cream or a hamburger. We had a simple life but it was a good life. Rest in peace now Jimmy I love you and always will.



**Rosemary meade** - January 19, 2021 at 11:48 AM

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“ Martha Henning (dell Smith) lit a candle in memory of James G. Meade



**martha henning (dell smith)** - January 19, 2021 at 08:21 AM

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“ Shelly Eley lit a candle in memory of James G. Meade



**Shelly Eley** - January 18, 2021 at 09:46 PM

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“ Ill always remember when I found you after all these years since i was put up for adoption by my mother. The feelings that came over me were so strong and heart warming and I was excited that I finally you... The weekend I came up to meet you for the first time was so amazing. I cried the second I pulled away to head home cause inside I wasnt sure if I would get more time with you. Oh dad how I wish I just had 5 more minutes with you, to be able to talk to you like we did over the phone.i seemed angry at the world or at of things back then but talking to you made everything better and go away like there was no care in the world. Thank you so much for sleeping in the living room while i was there. We were roomies for the weekend dad lol. I hope after awhile you pop in to visit me or give me a sign that your right here with me. My future scares me dad. I dont know if ill be touring with the band again or what my life ahead of me as in store , but I do know that I dont want to walk and travel this road alone. This is really hard on me cause im not ready to say goodbye but your just starting a new stage in your life, your healthy again and my daughter Ivy I hope found you and you two are catching up. Till the day I see you again and we are reunited i love you dad and always have and always will. Fly high with the angels and may you R.I.P DAD... I love you so so much.

**Ben Bode** - January 18, 2021 at 06:31 PM

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“ I have a lot of great memories with Jimmy...my first Bike ride, my first Tattoo and fishing...O' the fishing trips and bike trips!!! He was an amazing guy...a little rough around the edges but had a heart of gold and he was a Giant Teddy Bear when it came down to it!!! I will always remember his saying "God needed another Angel" that much is true. Well my dear, you will always be in my heart...I love you!!!



**Mary** - January 18, 2021 at 06:01 PM