



## James D May Jr

August 10, 1937 - September 10, 2017

Jim May, the most beloved husband of Annamarie May; together they had just celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary in Cape Cod, died suddenly on Sunday September 10th. He is survived also by their children Victoria and James, and grandchildren Thomas, Rachel, Winifred, Spencer and Lionel. James D. May Jr. was born on August 10th, 1937. He grew up in Maple shade New Jersey, graduated from Moorestown High School, then Rutgers University with a BS in Chemistry. Jim retired after 40 years with the Pennzoil Corporation where he was a chemist, researcher, lubrication engineer and salesman. He served on the Palmyra Borough Council, was chairman of the Burl. Co. Young Republican Committee, President of the Palmyra Historical and Cultural Society, Member of the Clean Air Council, Employers Legislative Committee, worked to build and ensure the preservation of the sand dunes in Ocean City New Jersey and helped start the recycling program of the Tri-Borough area with the Pompeston Environmental Committee. In retirement he worked to educate everyone on the fate of the red knot bird and the Northeast Coasts horseshoe crabs as well as becoming a New Jersey Master Gardner as part of the Rutgers Master Gardner's of Burlington County and an Environmental Steward. His iconic beard and cowboy boots will be missed by all who knew him.

Friends and Family may pay their respects at Christ Church Riverton, 305 Main Street, Riverton, on September 15th from 7:00 to 9:00 PM or at 10:00 AM September 16th. The funeral service will follow at 11:00 AM. In lieu of

flowers please make donations to the memorial fund of Christ Church.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **15.** 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Christ Episcopal Church  
305 Main Street  
Riverton, NJ 08077

## Visitation

SEP **16.** 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

SEP **16.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *James D May Jr*

September 09, 2022 at 01:27 AM



“ *I met Mr. May on a few occasions around town. He was always smiling and pleasant and you could tell he loved to be involved in doing things for his community. He will surely be missed. Please accept my heartfelt condolences.*

*Maria Fox*

**MBFox** - September 21, 2017 at 08:44 PM



“ *The memorial picture IS Mr. May. Always smiling and always ready with a kind word. He will be greatly missed. Bye for now, Mr May. Until we meet again.*

**Joseph Sr. Bohley** - September 18, 2017 at 09:03 AM



“ *To Vickey and family,  
Your Dad always had such an amazing smile. He always took the time to chat with me and make sure I was doing ok when we would be at family gatherings. He always had a great story to tell me and I always looked forward to great conversations with him. I am so sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in knowing that he touched so many lives with his wit and wonderful smile. Please send my condolences to your Mother from me.*

*With much love,  
Lisa Michel Wagner*

**Lisa Michel Wagner** - September 16, 2017 at 01:39 AM

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“ Jimmy was a very special person who touched so many people. He will be missed by all who knew him. Thank you, Jim, for touching my heart and giving so much to this world. Hugs. --barb nowicki

barbara nowicki - September 12, 2017 at 09:51 PM

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“ John m was a great neighbor and quite the conversationalist. He poured his heart into everything he did. Everyone that knew him should know how blessed they were to have known him. His family and the Palmyra community has lost a good, honest and decent person. The Lord doesn't make too many like him.

Michael Turley - September 12, 2017 at 04:10 PM

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“ I will miss Jim. He was a huge part of the community and did many wonderful things for Palmyra. He loved his family dearly and he always made me laugh! I am honored to have called him friend.

Carol Riener - September 12, 2017 at 12:32 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James D May Jr.



September 11, 2017 at 08:53 PM