



## James Jaszewski

October 30, 1943 - October 6, 2009

Jim Jaszewski was born to John and Julia Kris Jaszewski on October 30, 1943 in Little Falls. He grew up in the Flensburg area and graduated from Swanville High School in 1962. He married his high school sweetheart, Mary Ann Pietrowski, in 1965 and they had three children together. They lived in Sauk Rapids for several years in a house known for its loud, blasting country music. Jim recently moved to St. Cloud and retired in 2006 from Electrolux after 40 years as a hard-working, loyal employee.

Jim was loved by all that knew him for so many reasons. He was kind, good-hearted, and would give you the shirt off his back to help. He had a wonderful sense of humor, and we will never forget that endearing and impish grin of his. He enjoyed fishing, bird watching, dancing and listening to country music, talking with family and friends, playing cards and dice, and was always the life of the party.

Jim is survived by his three children, Gary of Boston, MA, Jeff of Minneapolis, and Amy (Ryan) Sjoblad of Nisswa; two grandchildren, Zachary and Carter Sjoblad; his twin brother, John (Kathy); and his ex-wife and best friend, Mary Ann. He is also survived by nephews, nieces and many friends.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, John and Julia Jaszewski, and his sister, Shirley Ploof.

While Jim will be missed immensely, we take comfort in how he is at peace with God and smiling down at us with that wonderful grin we love so much!

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John's Catholic Church - Swanville  
12 First Street  
Swanville, MN

## Service

OCT 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of James Jaszewski*



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**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - October 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *James Jaszewski*

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January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *In Honor of My Dad (Eulogy)*

*When a person has a lot of nicknames, it's usually a good sign that people like them. If that's the case, then my dad must have been well-liked. Pops, Juice, Jug---are just a few of his many fond nicknames.*

*I am Jim's daughter, Amy, and as his daughter, I've had the pleasure of knowing him my entire life. And I can tell you that if he was here right now, he'd have a big grin on his face. My dad will always be remembered for his endearing impish grin, his funny facial expressions and his unique sayings. He was truly a one-of-a-kind person and he will never ever be forgotten! And I miss him.*

*A lot of things stand out about my dad; but, the two I will most remember are his great sense of humor and how kind-hearted he was. He was always the life of the party--we all could talk for days about the fun we had with him and how he made us laugh! I can still picture him at his 50th birthday party, hamming it up "like a champ" (as he would say) with the person we hired for his singing telegram.*

*He also was so very kind and would do anything for you. When I was a young girl, he did many things with me that most daughters probably never experienced with their dad. Things like putting pigtails in my hair before school (granted they were crooked and the process was a bit excruciating with a yank here and there); but he was there! He also swung with me on my swing set and even played house and dolls with me; and of course, he did lots of things with my brothers too like fishing, playing catch and cards and dice. Through all this, he was very patient. Oh, and we can't forget the time I drove right into the wall of the garage (which I might add was not one of my proudest moments). Clearly he was not real thrilled with me; yet, he did not show it. Patience was definitely a virtue of his. And with my brothers and me, I'd say we gave him ample opportunities to exercise this virtue.*

*My mom, brothers and I are not the only ones with fond memories of Jim. We are ALL very blessed to have them... many of which were shared earlier during the visitation with stories about fishing, playing dice, his love for birds, how he made us laugh, and his funny sayings such as doy boy, budsy, like a champ and such. I could go on and on.*

*As you probably know, my dad struggled in his final years. But now that he is in heaven in God's arms, he is no longer struggling; so, we can look back with fondness, recalling those good memories we have of him. And, we can take comfort in how he is at peace with God and smiling down at us, with that wonderful grin we love and miss so much!##imported-begin##Amy Jaszewski Sjoblad##imported-end##*

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October 13, 2009 at 12:23 PM



*“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Joanne & Roger Kris##imported-begin##Roger Kris##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2009 at 08:26 PM



*“ Amy,  
I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Time will heal and memories will last forever!##imported-begin##Kim Kortuem##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2009 at 11:23 AM



“ *Trusting in God's Promise*

*Comfort for your sorrow, courage for each day, strength to face this journey, His word to light your way, His peace to fill your heart, although you may not understand, and his love to hold you gently in the hollow of his hand.*

*May the peace God's promise offers help to ease your grief today, and may he always be beside you as you go along life's way.*

*With deepest sympathy,*

*Daelene and Mark Brown*

*Charleston, Arkansas##imported-begin##Daelene (Jaszewski)*

*Brown##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2009 at 10:42 AM