



James Nickaboine Sr.

July 29, 1964 - December 29, 2024

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Naawakwegiizhig, James Nickaboine Sr., age 60, passed away on December 29, 2024. Visitation will be held at 5 PM on Wednesday, January 1, 2025, at the District 1 Community Center on the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Reservation. Funeral Ceremony will begin at 10 AM on January 2, 2025, at the District 1 Community Center on the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Reservation. Interment will be in the Little Flower Cemetery. Arrangements are with the LeMieur Funeral Home in Onamia.

James was born on July 29, 1964, in Onamia, MN, to Lawrence and Carol Nickaboine. He attended and graduated from Nay Ah Shing High School. James then attended Staples Vocational Technical College for carpentry. He enjoyed all sports, especially golfing, boxing, and fishing. Playing Texas Hold'em, gambling at the casino, and being with family was most important to him. He looked forward to family gatherings and cookouts. James was a protector of everyone he cared for.

He is survived by his mother, Carol Nickaboine; children, Christopher Weous, Karla Nickaboine, Moe Nickaboine; sisters, Suzanne (Daniel) Wise, Ann (Danielle) Nickaboine; brothers, Steven Hanks, Larry (Wanda) Nickaboine, Jeff Nickaboine, Paul (Stefanie) Nickaboine, Vernon Nickaboine, Marlon Nickaboine; grandchildren, Alexander Nickaboine, Brody Nickaboine; Nieces and nephews, Skylar Nickaboine, Hayleigh Nickaboine, Lawrence Nickaboine III, Jaxin Nickaboine, Kassandra Merrill, Meghan Merrill, Alexandra Merrill,

Angelina Wise, Robert Oswaldson III, Bobbi Sue Oswaldson and Wyatt Oswaldson; and many other relatives and special friend, Christine “Boozhoo” Howard.

He was preceded in death by his father, Lawrence Nickaboine; son, Jayar “James Jr.” Nickaboine; brother, Vernon Hanks.

Cemetery Details

St. Therese Little Flower Cemetery

43600 Highway 169
Onamia, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 1. 5:00 PM (CT)

Baadwewidang Community Center
45300 Virgo Rd
Onamia, MN 56359

Funeral Ceremony

JAN 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

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45300 Virgo Rd
Onamia, MN 56359

Tribute Wall

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“ we use to go to Onamia high school pretty decent guy.

Dan Boyd - December 30, 2024 at 06:59 PM