



James "Andy" A. Boetcher

October 7, 1952 - May 3, 2017

James Andrew "Andy" Boetcher, 64 of Zanesville, died 4:11 PM, Wednesday, May 3, 2017, at Genesis Hospital following a sudden illness.

He was born Tuesday, October 7, 1952, in Zanesville, the son of Jim F. Boetcher and Sally J. (Hempfling) Boetcher.

Andy was Catholic by Faith and was a veteran of the United States Army, who proudly served his country. He enjoyed fishing, cooking, and panning for gold and was a member of the Roseville American Legion. He was a loving and caring husband, father, and grandfather who greatly enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren.

Andy is survived by his companion: Kathy Claypool of Crooksville; four sons: Joshua Boetcher of Reynoldsburg, Jason Mayle of Zanesville, Michael (Kyla) Smitley of Mt. Perry, and Brandon Claypool of Crooksville; four grandchildren: Aidan, Keyon, Rye-Leigh and Braxton; one sister: Julie (Gary) Schmitt of Hilliard; three brothers: Mike (Patty) Boetcher of Nashport, Chris (JoAnn) Boetcher of Zanesville, and Marty (Ron Chambers) Boetcher of Howland; extended family members: Peggy Frisbee of Crooksville, Shawn (Sharon Mobley) Claypool of Stringtown, Eric Claypool of Crooksville, Ron & Cindy Harrison of Zanesville, Ryan (Kim) Harrison of Somerset, Nick (Debbie) Fosco of Columbus, Racheal (Dave) Johnson of Florida and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Andy was preceded in death by his wife: Lois A. Boetcher and one brother: John Boetcher.

In accordance with Andy's wishes a cremation will take place and a Celebration of Life Service will be held 4:00 PM, Saturday, May 13, 2017 at the American Legion Post 29, 27 South Third Street, Zanesville, where the United States Army will conduct full military honors.

Tribute Wall



“ *James "Andy" A. Boetcher*

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss! Josh I am so sorry!*

Aunt Margaret Frazier

margaret Frazier - May 10, 2017 at 05:54 PM



“ *Sorry for the loss of Andy, Prayers for andy and His family.*

Mike Joseph

Mike Joseph - May 09, 2017 at 11:04 AM



“ *So very sorry for the lose of Andy. Hold onto your memories. I remember the days spent in Alaska.*

Kristi Harding

Kristi - May 08, 2017 at 06:51 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of Andy!! Prayers for all the family, especially Josh!!*

Kelli Hill

Kelli Hill - May 08, 2017 at 12:58 PM

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Loss of childhood friends are especially difficult. Thoughts and prayers to all of his family. Mike Schramm

Mike Schramm - May 11, 2017 at 11:34 PM

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Sorry that I will be out of town this weekend missing Andy's remembrance

Mike Schramm - May 12, 2017 at 12:15 AM