



James A. Stanard

January 24, 1935 - November 16, 2015

James A. "Jim" Stanard (1933-2015)

CEDAR FALLS- James A. "Jim" Stanard, 80, of Cedar Falls died Monday, November 16, 2015, at his home.

He was born January 24, 1935 in Cedar Falls, son of Clair and Verona (Bush) Stanard. He married Nancy Lee Adams on June 16, 1957 in Webster City, IA.

He attended Iowa State Teachers College and was a stock broker with Smith Barney.

Survived by: his wife of Cedar Falls; a son, Paul Stanard of San Francisco, CA, a brother, David (Judy) Stanard of Saddlebrooke, AZ; and a brother-in-law, Jack Adams of Webster City.

Services: 2:00 p.m. Friday at Richardson Funeral Service, Cedar Falls.

Visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home, and also for one hour prior to the service Friday.

Memorials may be directed to Western Home Foundation.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ Nancy, Paul, & family, It was a blessing to have known Jim. We first met when I began working at the old Shearson firm in 1981. I remember him offering to help me learn about the business and I became aware that he not only knew all about stocks and bonds but that he was clearly there to help clients first and foremost. He not only appeared sharp, well dressed, and good looking on the outside, but he was obviously a very good man on the inside as well. I am sorry for your loss. May memories of his goodness and may the many good memories of him live on to comfort you. Jim Behling.

Jim Behling - November 20, 2015 at 04:09 PM

JF

“ Nancy and Paul, It was sad to see Jim's obituary in the paper. Our thoughts and prayers are with you both. It sure brought us back to the old neighborhood and the good times we had there. The kids taking over the paper route for Paul and dog sitting when you were on vacation. They were good times. Nancy, hope you are doing well. Jim and Carole Floyd

Jim & Carole Floyd - November 20, 2015 at 03:40 PM

BR

“ My thoughts are with you, Jim. "Pumping Pine" at the Y's Guys' Christmas Tree Lot isn't the same without your ready smile and gentle spirit.

-- Bruce Simonton

Bruce - November 20, 2015 at 11:23 AM

MM

“ *With heartfelt condolences. God Bless
Mavis Merrill*



Mavis Merrill - November 19, 2015 at 03:07 PM

BT

“ *Nancy
Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this difficult time. Jim was
certainly a good guy and we enjoyed his company in our get
togethers. Bill and Barbara Trout*

Bill and Barbara Trout - November 19, 2015 at 01:58 PM

NA

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. You were so fortunate to have so
many great years with such a wonderful companion. Nancy Hewitt
Murken*

nancymurken - November 19, 2015 at 07:48 AM

TM

“ *Our sympathy to Nancy, Paul and family. Jim's good company for
many years in Des Moines will always be remembered and
appreciated.*

Tom & Joan Melbostad - November 18, 2015 at 07:19 PM

JB

“ Jennifer, Josh, Hunter, and MacKenzie Brown purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James A. Stanard.



Jennifer, Josh, Hunter, and MacKenzie Brown - November 18, 2015 at 06:19 PM

JP

“ Jim was a very engaged volunteer for the South Des Moines YMCA and its Ys Men Club. It's not a large organization so over the years everyone is president or holds another leadership position. I came to know him during the early 80s while I was executive director of that Y. I am still a volunteer selling Christmas trees. Besides being a board member and holding other positions, Jim worked the tree lot until he and Nancy moved to warmer climates. I learned a lot and reinforced good traits from Jim's example: maintaining calm in the face of chaos, following through on commitments, always asking about family, and staying positive. Some customers at the tree lot still ask about Jim. I will post his obit during this holiday season. My thoughts and prayers are with Nancy and family.
John Pollak, Des Moines

John Pollak - November 18, 2015 at 03:22 PM

BC

“ Jim and Nancy are very special as we are all from Iowa! They married just a few months before Lee and I in 1957. Nancy was my classmate and figure skating buddy in Webster City and we were friends in HS and friends in college and and my husband and I were life long friends with Jim and Nancy. Their visit to us in Portland OR was very special as they told us then that they were leaving their sunny winter home and going back to live in Iowa. We knew that this was hard to do but was what they needed to do. We wish their son Paul, the family of Jim, and Nancy's brother Jack, peace bathed in memoires of happy times with Jim and Nancy. Two very talented special people. As a wise native American put it: "There is no death, only a change of worlds." ---Chief Seattle---Suquamish Lee and Beth (Talcott) Christiansen

Beth Christiansen - November 18, 2015 at 02:56 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of James A. Stanard.



November 18, 2015 at 12:33 PM

GL

“ Nancy and family, my prayers and thoughts of you and yours are with me, my years of friendship with you and JIM have always been with me, have thought of both often, and when you moved, was like losing part of my family, I retired in 2010, only because Frank needed me home, and was glad I did as we had 3 full years of one and one where as with Tax season it was always kouite, and not much time with one another, As you know Jim was a out standing man, one of whom I have never forgot, and never will, Nancy when you have time would love to hear from you, as I don't have a address for you , This is a very difficult time for you, but memories will carry you over heart break, and help with the loss of your one and only. your long time friend, Geraldine Lavia 3106 Beaver Av. Des Moines, Iowa 50310, 515 279-0730

Geraldine Lavia - November 18, 2015 at 08:27 AM