



James F. Cripe

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James F. Cripe, 79, of Clearwater, FL passed away Sat., Sept. 25, 2021 at Morton Plant Hospital. He was born May 11, 1942 in Evansville, IN to Francis and Betty (Henderson) Cripe who have predeceased him, along with his wife, Sara of 42 years and a sister, Rae Jeanne Cronin-Williams. James retired from the Pinellas County School System as the Director of MIS after 40 years. He really enjoyed playing golf and his golfing buddies. James is survived by 2 daughters, Deborah O'Hare (Susan Myers), Diana Moran (Kim Moran); his partner, Patricia Keicher; a sister, Sherri Lessig (Billy Lessig); a brother, Lee Coryell and 2 "grandsons", Elliot and Emilio Leanza. Graveside services will be Sun, Oct 3, 1:00PM at Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park, Clearwater. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to BNL Scholarship Fund, Inc., ATTN: Jennifer Bilskie, 420 W Street, Bedford, IN 47421-0729.




Events

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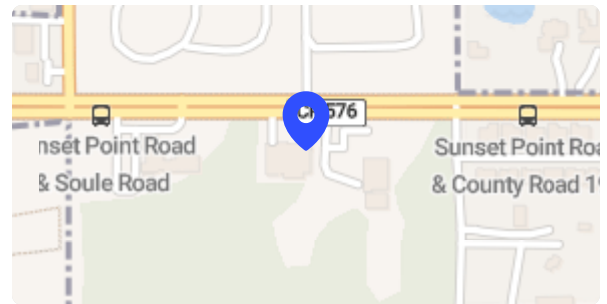
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Graveside Service

 **Sunday**, October 3, 2021

 1:00 PM ET

 **Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park**
2853 Sunset Point Road, Clearwater FL 33759





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DM

Donna Mandarakas lit a candle in honor of James.

September 30 at 6:21 PM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Cripe family.

September 30 at 5:00 PM



DB

Deborah Beaty posted:

Jim was always smiling and very friendly. When he smiled, he always had a twinkle in his eyes -made ya wonder what shenanigans he (and Walter Croke) had up his sleeves. In his work, Jim was always so helpful, kind, and honest. As a friend, Jim was the best. My deepest sympathy to his family.

September 29 at 4:36 PM

LJ

Lansing Johansen posted:

Jim, we were good office associates at Pinellas School Board and social friends for many years. We loved the times we shared with you and Sara when you would come to visit us at the Lake House on the weekends. I will always remember your steadfast loyalty to Indiana University as a rabid Hoosier hoops fan. Our office group visited your home many times to enjoy our annual basketball pool. May your family now cherish the memories they share with you as their loving father and grandfather. Your sense of humor will be greatly missed by all who knew you.

September 29 at 2:23 PM

BB

Bruce Blair posted:

So glad we got to see Jim at the BHS Class of 1960's 61st reunion two weeks ago. Jim was a funny guy and will be missed. Bruce Blair

September 28 at 3:57 PM



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Larry Roach posted:

Condolences to the family. Jim was a good member of the BHS class of 1960. We will "Never Forget."

September 28 at 6:07 AM



Lori posted:

A gentle soul who always had a smile on his face. Rest In Peace, Jim. You will be missed. Our condolences to Patricia and your family. John (Big Dog) and Lori Marsden

September 27 at 2:36 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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