

If these walls could talk,
They would speak of a man
Who has worked with *great heart*
To accomplish his plan.

They'd speak of the times
That he's prayed in the night
For the strength to go on
And to **DO WHAT IS RIGHT**

They'd speak of sweet moments,
Of laughter and fun,
The times with his children,
His *love* for each one.

Oh, if they could talk,
It would be just the start
Of a story of love,
A GREAT MAN & HIS HEART

I N L O V I N G
Memory

James Carroll Hotvedt

September 13, 1942 † November 17, 2023

VISIATION

Wednesday, November 22, 2023

11:00 - 12:30 PM

Anderson Funeral Home
Alexandria, Minnesota

FUNERAL SERVICE

Wednesday, November 22, 2023 ~ 1:00 PM

Messiah Lutheran Church
Hoffman, Minnesota

CLERGY

Pastor Mark Mathew

CASKET BEARERS

Kyle Stanko	Jason Aken
Larry Hotvedt	Geoff Fencil Jr.
Tom Crissie	Ed Stanko

INTERMENT

Land Cemetery
Hoffman, Minnesota

James C. Hotvedt, the eldest child of five to Kenneth and Verna Hotvedt, was born on September 13, 1942, in Hoffman, MN. James attended many schools in his early years as his father was in construction. When he was older the family settled in Elk Grove Village Illinois, but Jim always came back to Hoffman to spend his summers. He attended college in Elgin, Illinois and Chesterton, IN where he received his degree in Finance. James had a very successful career in finance and cost cutting. He worked for several organizations and corporations but one of the most notable was GD Searle one the largest Pharmaceutical Companies in the country.

James C Hotvedt, age 81, of Hanover Park Illinois passed away on November 17, 2023. He was preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth and Verna Hotvedt; brother, Gary Hotvedt; his sisters, Joan Meadows (Frank) and Kaylene Hotvedt; and his former wife, Shirley Hotvedt.

James was a devoted father to Lori Elder-Hotvedt (Steve Dieckhaus), Carol (Ed) Stanko, and Brenda (Tom) Crissie: grandfather of Jason, Jamie, Kyle, Samantha, Chase and Brett: great grandfather of Adalyn, Troy, Addison, Regan and Emeryson, sister Kerry (Robert) Snow.

James was a no-nonsense kind of guy, protective over his family, loved his family and friends and lived his life on his terms. Quote: "I did it my way".

Arrangements by *Anderson Funeral Home* and Cremation Service, Alexandria, Minnesota

In Loving

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James C. Hotvedt
1942 ~ 2023