



Jim E. Page

September 29, 1922 - October 8, 2020

James E. (Jim) Page, 98, of Bowling Green passed away Thursday, October 8, 2020 at Lynn's Heritage House in Louisiana, Missouri.

Funeral services for Mr. Page will be Tuesday, October 13 at 10:00 a.m. at Second Baptist Church in Bowling Green with Rev. Don Amelung officiating. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery in Louisiana. Visitation will be Monday, October 12 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Bibb-Veach Funeral Home.

Jim was born on September 29, 1922 in Calumet, Missouri to James Robert and Florence Eugenia Ogden Page. He was united in marriage to Marjorie Merle Blackwell on June 6, 1948 at First Baptist Church in Louisiana. She survives.

Also surviving are children, Janice Page Griffith (Jim Jr.) of Louisiana and Edward Page (Paula Storts Page) of Overland Park, Kansas; grandchildren: Nicholas Page (Amber), Elise Lee (Jimmy), and Drake Page; great-grandchildren: Olivia Lee, Adelaide Page, Amina Page, and Atticus Page; sister-in-law JoAnne Page of Mexico, Missouri; and 4 nieces and nephews.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother, Marion Page.

Jim grew up near Calumet, Missouri and graduated from Louisiana High

School in 1940. He was employed with Louisiana Lumber until entering the service, and returned for a short time upon exiting the military. Jim served in the Army/Air Corp from 1942 until late 1945. He served in the Asian and African Theater while spending time in China. In 1958 he came to Bowling Green and started Bowling Green Lumber Company. He retired in 1985, selling the business to his son, Ed.

Jim was very active in the community, serving in the Rotary for over 50 years, recognized as a Paul Harris Fellow, a Gideon Emeritus with Gideon International, and a trustee at Hannibal LaGrange University for a number of years. He was currently a member of Second Baptist Church, where he was a deacon and Sunday School teacher for many years.

After retirement, Jim enjoyed traveling. He has traveled to Australia, China, Europe, and to Israel three times. Spending time in Branson with his grandchildren was always a favorite. He always loved spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Jim was a people person. He had an infectious laugh that people always remembered. He loved celebrating special occasions and spending time with friends and family.

Pallbearers will be Nicholas Page, Drake Page, Jim Griffith, Jimmy Lee, Casey Page, and Jimmy Page. Honorary pallbearers will be Willard Wamsley, Bruce Griffith, Bob Jeffries, David McCune, and Gary McCune.

Memorials may be made to Gideon International or Second Baptist Church.

Online condolences may be made at www.bibbveach.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Grassy Creek

Louisiana, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **12**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

OCT **13**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Second Baptist Church
Bowling Green, MO 63334

Burial

OCT **13** (CT)

Fairview Grassy Creek
Louisiana, MO

Tribute Wall

DG

“ To Mrs Paige and family, Heaven has most definitely gained an angel! Mr Paige was one of the sweetest people I ever knew. Always such a joy to visit with. He brought a smile to my face! Prayers for his family. Donna Grote

Donna Grote - October 16, 2020 at 08:31 PM

BS

“ Becky Raney Sanderson sent a virtual gift in memory of Jim E. Page



Becky Raney Sanderson - October 15, 2020 at 09:03 AM

ML

“ Prayers of comfort for Jim’s family. I am so thankful for the guidance he gave me and numerous other teen boys in our Sunday school class he led at Second Baptist in Bowling Green. His example was one that influenced me greatly as I am sure it did all.

Michael Lefever - October 14, 2020 at 07:28 PM

KC

“ Janice, Ed, Mrs. Page and family. My condolences on your loss. Your parents are so beloved in BG, and I remember them well through my youth attending the Second Baptist Church. My mother (Ann Straube) spoke of their friendship up until her passing last year. Your parents were blessed with wonderful children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, and you all were certainly fortunate to have such a beloved mentor as well.

Karen Corbus - October 14, 2020 at 02:18 PM

CB

“ *uncle Jim was the best uncle ever! he had a laugh I will never forget! He used to take all of us kids on great tractor rides at the farm..and all of us will remember the wonderful saying of grace before family dinners! we will miss him terribly...so glad we got to see him when we were in Missouri! rest in peace Uncle Jim..we love you and aunt Merle*

cindy and Jerry black - October 13, 2020 at 12:41 PM

JR

“ *Jim was always outgoing and had a big laugh! He did many nice things in our area and HLGU! God bless Merle, Janice and Ed and family 🙏*

Janice Robinson - October 12, 2020 at 08:15 PM

JD

“ *Keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers at this time.*

Ray and Judy Davenport

Judy Davenport - October 12, 2020 at 04:15 PM



“ 33 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - October 12, 2020 at 12:24 PM

DD

“ *What oa joy to have been associated with Jim (and Merle) through my time at HLG. Such a fine gentleman. Happy I was able to visit him briefly at Louisiana right before Covid hit. Praying for Merle, Janice, Ed and all the family.*

Dave Dexheimer - October 12, 2020 at 09:35 AM

CM

“ *Carla Mills sent a virtual gift in memory of Jim E. Page*



Carla Mills - October 10, 2020 at 09:26 PM

CO

“ *Cindy Poyser Osborne lit a candle in memory of Jim E. Page*



Cindy Poyser Osborne - October 10, 2020 at 07:36 PM

PW

“ *Condolences to Ed and the entire family. I worked for Jim for several years, he was a good man .*

Perry and Lauren West - October 10, 2020 at 05:12 PM

JC

“ *What a wonderful life and true gentleman. I have such fond memories of trips to Columbia for the state basketball championship with Mr. Page, Orson Butters, Eddie and Janice. Beautiful family and memories. With sincere sympathy, Judy Haley Clay*

Judy Haley Clay - October 10, 2020 at 04:19 PM

JR

“ *Prayers for the family!!*



Jerry Janet Reed - October 10, 2020 at 09:18 AM

 Ethel Colbert

“ *The family of Irene Colbert will keep all the family in our prayers but will be unable to attend services.*

Ethel Colbert - October 09, 2020 at 08:37 PM

DF

“ *Dempsey Family lit a candle in memory of Jim E. Page*



Dempsey Family - October 09, 2020 at 05:58 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jim E. Page.*



October 09, 2020 at 04:59 PM

DA

“ *Jim Page was a wonderful man, with an equally wonderful family. It was my pleasure to be Mr. Page's friend and pastor. I will remember many great memories of our spiritual and fellowship times together. May our Lord bless Mrs. Page and all of the other family members.*

DONALD AMELUNG - October 09, 2020 at 03:20 PM

EO

“ *Mr. Page was a wonderful neighbor. I sure did enjoy visiting him on his front porch. His laugh and insight will always be remembered.*

Ellen Orf - October 09, 2020 at 03:16 PM