



James Darley Lee

March 15, 1939 - March 11, 2019

James Darley “Jim” Lee, 79, of Estero, FL passed away Monday, March 11, 2019 at Lee Memorial Hospital. He had been a resident of Estero since 2014, coming from Tallahassee, FL. James was born March 15, 1939 in Plant City, FL a son of the late John H. and Nora Lee.

He was raised in Arcadia, FL and was a graduate of Desoto High School. Mr. Lee was a Veteran of the United States Army, serving from 1959 – 1962.

In 1968, Jim moved to Tallahassee to start his career at Florida State University. He spent 33 years working at Florida State University, retiring as an Associate Director of the university computing center in 2003. Jim was a member of the Immanuel Baptist Church in Tallahassee and an avid FSU Football fan who also enjoyed fixing broken things.

Survivors include his beloved wife of 56 years, Brenda J. (Gullett) Lee; loving children, Jill Lee of Naples, FL and Scott and his wife, Nancy Lee of Naples, FL. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his 4 siblings.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 1:00 P.M. at First Baptist Church of Estero, 20300 Trailside Drive, Estero, FL 33928.

Burial will follow at Joshua Creek Cemetery in Arcadia, FL.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Jim's name may be made to the American Heart Association, 9200 Estero Park Commons Blvd., Estero, FL 33928 or to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 15829, Arlington, VA 22215.

Arrangements are being handled by Shkiany's Bonita Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Joshua Creek Cemetery

7827 SE Parker Drive
Arcadia, FL 34266

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Estero
20300 Trailside Drive
Estero, FL 33928

Tribute Wall



“ *James Darley Lee*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Your family will be in my prayers. I was a classmate of Darley and we had lots of good times at DeSoto High. Thanks for letting us know of his passing. Again, prayers are with his family. Ruth Ann Smith*

Ruth Ann Smith - March 14, 2019 at 09:06 PM