## **James Drummer**

James L. Drummer Wrightsville

James L. Drummer, 84, died, surrounded by family, at his home on Friday, January 1, 2016. He was the husband of Marilyn J. (Smith) Drummer, his high school sweetheart and wife of 64 years.

Jim was born January 11, 1931, in Milton Twp., Ohio, the son of the late John J. and Nellie V. (Goodman) Drummer.

Jim was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Abbottstown, where he served as lector, taught adult Sunday school, and was a former president of parish council. He retired in 1989 from DeKalb Seed Company after 34 years of service. He quit college to play minor league baseball for the Cleveland Indians farm clubs as a pitcher for four years. Jim loved his family, writing poetry as a published author, reading, recreational sports, gardening, bird watching, and crossword puzzles. He coached little league baseball and basketball, and was an amazing singer.

In addition to his wife, Marilyn, Jim is survived by a daughter, Diane E. Woods of York; a son, Stephen J. Drummer and his wife Shoshana of Colorado Springs, Colo.; a daughter, Marsha K. Posey and her husband Jerry of Windsor; a daughter, Melinda S. Walker and her husband Terry of Red Lion; a son, Bradley E. Drummer and his wife Melani of Adamstown, Md.; a daughter, Missy J. Boyd and her husband Barry of Stafford, Va.; a daughter, Tricia A. Livingston and her husband George of Wrightsville; 15 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a sister, Charlotte Travis of Weston, Ohio. He was predeceased by a son, Jimmy A. Drummer; a son-in-law, Adrian L. Woods; and four brothers, Jack, Tom, Mickey and David Drummer.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Tuesday, January 5, 2016, at 9 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 6084 W. Canal Road, Abbottstown, with the Rev. Timothy Marcoe officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. A viewing will be held on Monday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Feiser Funeral Home, Inc, 306 Harrisburg St., East Berlin, with prayers at 8 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Immaculate Heart of Mary Church; or to the York Rescue Mission, 367 W. Market St, York, PA 17401.

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