



## James L. Gurtis

December 27, 1934 - February 18, 2018

James L. Gurtis, age 83, passed away on February 18, 2018 surrounded by his family. He was born in Mt. Pleasant, PA on December 27, 1934 to the late Joseph and Clara Gurtis.

Jim was the beloved husband of Ilona Gurtis (nee Spirnak) for 60 years, the loving father of Pam (Bob) Ayers, and Cindy (Dave) Moskowski, and Mary Jane (Paul) Russell, a proud grandfather of Matt, Kiley, Tom, and Tyler, a cherished great-grandfather of Bryson, and Lilly, and a brother of Robert (Peggy) Gurtis and John Gurtis. He was preceded in death by his siblings Joseph, Eugene, Patricia, and Sylvia.

Jim was a machinist for many years with Euclid Inc. Subsequently, Jim worked for a number of years with the George Whalley Company, before retiring. During the 70s, Jim was an active member of the Willowick Jaycees. He was also honored to be an auxiliary police officer in Willowick for a number of years. Jim's hobbies included woodworking, watching sports, and playing golf. His most prized memory being his hole-in-one at Punderson Golf Course. Above all, Jim loved spending time with his family, and making memories with his grandchildren. He will be dearly missed by all who knew him.

Memorial visitation will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2018 from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM at St. Mary Magdalene Church 32114 Vine St, Willowick, OH

44095. Memorial Mass will immediately follow at 10:30 AM at St. Mary Magdalene Church. Interment will follow at All Souls Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that any donation be made in Jim's honor, to the charity of your choice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **24.** 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Mary Magdalene Church  
32114 Vine Street  
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## Memorial Mass

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