



James R. Phelps

June 29, 1950 - October 24, 2025

James R. Phelps, age 75, passed away on October 24, 2025. He was born on June 29, 1950 at Carlisle Barracks in Carlisle, PA to the late Carl and Bonita Phelps.

James had many careers throughout his life but was known as jack of all trades. He had a natural affinity for tinkering and spent countless hours working in his garage, also known as his "home away from home." James was an avid golfer who relished every opportunity to hit the course. In addition, James loved his Chevy truck, loved classic cars and loved attending many of the local car shows. He is going to be greatly missed by all who were fortunate enough to know him.

James was the beloved husband of Marjorie Phelps, for 40 years; a loving father of Melanie Busch, Catherine "Kate" Tryon (Michael), and Corinne Zimmerlin (Christopher); a proud "Papa" of Dylan, Fae, Victoria, and Calleigh Busch, Cameron Tryon, and Skylar Nasca; a cherished brother of Carol, Susan, Diane, Rodney (Vicki), Stephen (Pam), Linda (Tom), Larry (Floss), and Sharon; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

No public services will be held for James at this time.

Tribute Wall



“ *Emily Reed sent a virtual gift in memory of James R. Phelps* ”



Emily Reed - February 28 at 10:51 AM



“ *love you papa so very much I miss you so much* ”

Skylar Nasca - February 26 at 06:09 PM