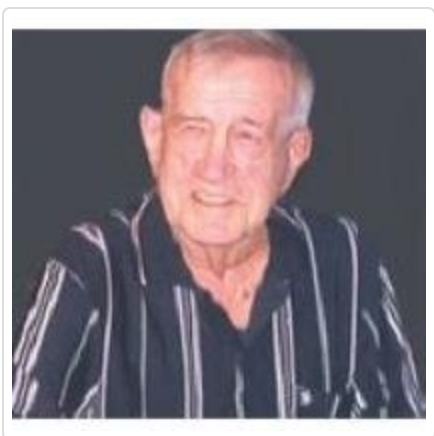




Luman James Walters

October 10, 1927 - December 16, 2008

Luman James Walters, 81, of Syracuse, New York died Tuesday, December 16, 2008 at Crouse Hospital in Syracuse.

Born in Binghamton, he was the son of the late Luman J. and Catherine (McMahon) Walters. He was a Marine veteran of World War II and he retired after 12 years as a plumber from Syracuse City Water Department in 1992. Jim was a communicant of St. James Church, a member of Plumbers Local 267 and was active in AA. He enjoyed auctions, trips to the casino and mostly time spent with family and friends. He was predeceased by his wife, Grace Marie O'Sullivan Walters on November 16, 1996.

Jim is survived by his two daughters, Deborah (David) Cutler and Catherine Sova; four sons, Luman James III, Michael (Linda), Tim (Karen) and David (Annie) Walters; 12 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Funeral Service: Saturday, December 20, 2008, 10:00 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

Entombment: St. Mary's Cemetery Mausoleum, 4100 E. Genesee Street, Dewitt, New York.

Calling Hours: Friday, December 19, 2008, 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

Contributions: The American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, New York 10006

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Luman James Walters*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - December 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Please accept my condolences.*

January 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Family,I was so sorry to read about Uncle Jim in the newspaper on Sunday. He is now with the love of his life, Aunt Grace.Love Karen Toscano Cannucciari*

December 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ my grandpa was one of the best, most selfless, kindest men i have ever met. often times the things he has said to me over the years and the example he has set has given me strength when i needed it most... not to mention the number of times he has bailed me out of trouble over the years, thanks gradpa, a thousand thanks... i will miss you more than you can imagine, and love you just as much. now if i could just stop crying..."take care of yourself..." he would often tell me, "so that you can take care of others. i spend a lot of my life doing just that because like him, that is the kind of man i work to be. he never cared if i had money or status, only that i was happy and healthy and living a good life... and i have been and alway will because of the example he set for me. i loved him dearly, and i hope that he is finally with grandma again as this has been all he has wanted for himself since she passed 12 years ago.i love you grandpa, thank you for really being the best granpa in the world.kurtiss

December 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To The Walter's Family....Just got word today of the passing of your Dad. Please accept my sympathy during this difficult time. No time is every easy but around the holidays make it even harder. I losted my Dad and Mom (Molly and Don (Monk) Pratt) during the holidays, both died in December Dad on the 2nd Mom on the 9th who both were great friends of your Mom and Dad. Mr. Walter's was my godfather. Last time I got to see your Dad was at a visit to my Dad when he was sick. Your Mom and Dad were so good to me never forgot I was there goddaughter. He will be missed by all, cherish all your great memories of him. A great man is gone but now he is with his wife who he missed so much after her passing. thinking of you Love Mary (Pratt) McMahon

December 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Please accept our sympathy on the passing of a genuine good guy! May he rest in peace now along with Grace Marie. Our thoughts are with you, especially during this holiday season. Fondly -Maureen Pratt RobertsDon & Molly Pratt (deceased)& family Binghamton, New York

December 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



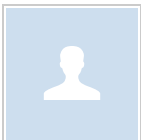
“ Uncle Jim, you'll be missed. At the next reunion, more than one of us will look over by the Pine Tree for the all-knowing smile & "twinkle-in-the-eye". We'll find you. For now, our heart-felt thoughts go out to "the kids" with prayers of support and love. The Underwoods

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We have been friends for over thirty years and shared many laughs. You always knew where you stood with him. He holds a special place in my life.

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ so sorry for the loss of your dad. your dad and family hold special memories. i will never forget what a wonderful person he was. my thoughts and prayers are with you allpat sunday (phelps)

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dave, Deb and family - my sincere sympathy to all of you. - Carol.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *You and your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Remember all the good times.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



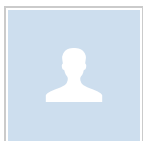
“ *Sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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“ *Your family are in prayers.Lara*

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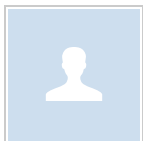
“ *Your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Very sorry for your loss.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mike and family,So sorry to read about your dad. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our family extends our thoughts and prayers to your family at the loss of your Dad. Your parents were always good friends to our family. The Sauer Family*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

December 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM