



James Edward Lockwood

January 21, 1936 - August 19, 2021

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Jim was born to Wellesley Theodore and Catherine Ivy Wall on January 21, 1936. The Lockwood's migrated to Fairfield from Oakland in 1939. I was here that the Senior Lockwood's raised 9 children , Jim being the 3 rd of the oldest. Jim attended Fairfield Elementary school. He was in the class of 1950..

Following Jim's grade school years he became active in the Salesian Order. Devoted Catholic Dom Bosco was the founder. Jim' s years were plenty of service involving printing, electrical training, plumbing and good service to the religious brothers.

In 1956 joined the U.S Navy, after his spiritual director advised him to seek other opportunities. Jim was a piston bangar stationed at Lemoore Naval Air station in Southern California. In 1965 Jim was given the opportunity to go to Japan. In Japan he soon the customs, love the way of life, and tried to stay there for an extension. Jim lived with Japanese family that he became very fond of. He bought Mamasan her first sewing machine. The two years spent in Japan during the Viet Nam war were the most meaningful years spent in the service. Those years helped Jim with the rest of his life. He always has had the grace and dedication to anything he put his mind to.

The years between 1975 and 2008 were his joy. Marrying and nurturing his 1 st wife Joyce. They enjoyed man wonderful days camping and traveling around the countryside. Joyce passed in 2008. He never gave up his dedication to help under priviledged children in countries around the world.

The children represented a completion in life.

In 2010 Jim met Nancy Anne Wakeman, she had been a single mother raising three children, and living alone for 45 years confirming she would never marry. Well! Jim swept her off her feet. They were married in 2011, and have enjoyed many years of a blissful commitment , even with Nancy's failing health.

Jim leaves behind a legacy. A firm Catholic, a guy everyone likes to know, and a step-father to Kevin and Chris Wakeman. His granddaughter Kate gives a twinkle in his eye. His niece by marriage Natalie and all her achievements bring many great moments. Jim Lockwood is my kind of Guy! !

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

SEP **15**. 11:00 AM (PT)

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church
2700 Dover Avenue
Fairfield, CA 94533

Burial / Committal Service

SEP **15**. 1:15 PM (PT)

Sacramento Valley National Cemetery
5810 Midway Road
Dixon, CA 95620