



# James H. Bittorf

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**J**ames Henry Bittorf passed away Sunday evening on March 29th at the age of 73. He was the beloved husband of Judith Bittorf; devoted father of Jennifer Kunar and James Bittorf; dear brother of William Bittorf and the late Edie Stanfield; and the loving grandfather of Asha Kunar, Amy Kunar, and Alessandra Bittorf.

James, better known as Jim or Jimmy, was born on June 10, 1946 in Baltimore, MD to Edith (Helfrich) and William Bittorf. On March 30, 1979, he married Judith Anne (Gandek). They raised their two children, Jennifer and James, together in Saint Michaels. Jim was a maker and a doer and a jack of many trades. He built houses, flew planes, and taught his children to scuba dive. He was known for his prowess at puzzles, chess, monopoly, and ping pong. He was devoted to his family and will be remembered for his gentle and kind spirit, and his desire to be helpful to anyone in need. He demonstrated these values throughout his life and especially in his time spent volunteering for Saint Luke's Church.

In light of the recent restrictions put in place to stymie the Covid-19 outbreak, a memorial service for friends and extended family will be held at a later date (TBD). A private burial will take place this Saturday for his immediate family. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in his name to St Lukes United Methodist Church in Saint Michaels ([stlukeschurch21663@gmail.com](mailto:stlukeschurch21663@gmail.com)) or Talbot Hospice. <https://talbothospice.org/donate/>

Services entrusted to the Framptom Funeral Home, St. Michaels, MD.

Share memories with the family at [www.framptom.com](http://www.framptom.com).




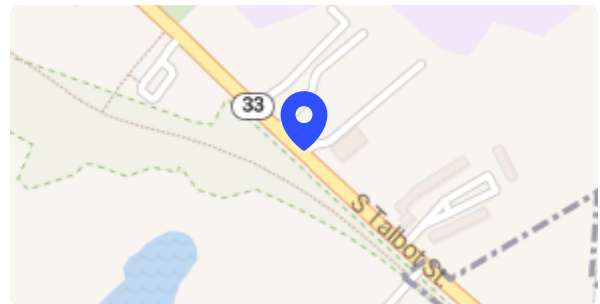
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## Cemetery Details

 **Olivet Cemetery - St Michaels**  
South Talbot Street, St. Michaels MD 21663





# Tribute Wall

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SS

**Stephen Shilling** lit a candle in honor of James.

My fondest memories of Jimmy are when I was young and we would play catch at the annual family reunion at Lum's Pond. I was very young with seemingly endless energy and he was always there with seemingly equal enthusiasm.

April 3 at 4:55 PM



CB

**Christa Bittorf** shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Jimmy was a wonderful man and we are missing him dearly. His spirit lives on in his kind hearted and thoughtful children. Thought I might share a few pictures of him with his grandchildren.

March 31 at 4:59 AM



NR

**Nancy Rogge** lit a candle in honor of James.

Our deepest sympathies to Judy, Jennifer, Jamie and their families. Jimmy was a wonderful neighbor that you knew you could always count on. We are so saddened for you all. Nancy, Russ and Matthew Rogge

April 2 at 7:59 AM



BB

**Bill Bittorf** lit a candle in honor of James.

William Bittorf his only living brother now in Florida and his family would have been there only if we knew and not notified...We all loved Jimmy very much...and still remember you sail boating with the kids and riding the ATEX through Castle Marina and always smiling especially when Eddie was about.

March 31 at 11:25 AM



MB

**Michele Bittorf** lit a candle in honor of James.

William, Kathy, Michele, and William Bittorf lit a candle in memory of the memory of James H. Bittorf and his beloved sister Edith Bittorf who now are in Heaven together even though not buried in our Family burial site on Kent Island.

March 31 at 11:12 AM





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**Mollie And Charlie Connolly** lit a candle in honor of James.



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# Media

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Christa Bittorf shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

April 3 at 7:30 AM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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