



James Ronald Scott

September 11, 1934 - June 4, 2020

James Ronald Scott, 85, of The Woodlands, Texas passed away Thursday June 4, 2020. Jim was born September 11, 1934 in Bismarck, North Dakota to Clifford and Ruth Scott. He is preceded in death by his parents, elder brother Douglas and his wife Cathy, and younger brother Kenneth. He is survived by his wife Nicky (Nicola) of 42 years of marriage. Daughters Myia Hancox, and Randa McKenzie and husband Michael. Siblings Bernadine and husband Bill, and Jean and husband Gil, granddaughters Maddi Mae Hancox and Isabella Marina McKenzie, niece and nephews Paul Scott, John Scott, David Cox, Carla Cox, Michael Olson and David Olson.

Jim grew up in Montana and North Dakota and graduated from Fargo Central High School. He studied Engineering at North Dakota State University and joined the Army serving in the Korean War. After leaving the Army he left for California where it was much warmer than North Dakota and began a career in Geophysics with Litton Industries/Western Geophysical travelling the world of Oil Exploration.

Jim enjoyed Golf, Hunting, Camping, his dogs, and Projects such as clearing land, building a weekend home in East Texas and giving Nicky a bag of 16D nails and a hammer for her birthday to build a floor for their weekend home. Jim loved the outdoors and being active. He would always look for projects to work on and get Nicky involved, whether she wanted to or not. Jim was fun to be around, always chatty, interested in people, and would strike up a conversation with anyone. He would love to tell stories to his granddaughters

about how things were in his day, and they would reply back “in ancient times Grandpa”. When he would become interested in another project, he would always tell Nicky, “stick with me kid, I’ll make you look good”. Never a dull moment in the Scott household!

A prayer from the day of June 4.

Fill me with the gift of Your Spirit, Lord, and increase my desire to be one with You.

The family will have a private burial at VA Houston National Cemetery Friday June 26, 2020.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you make a donation to the national Alzheimer’s Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011, or to your local chapter of the Alzheimer’s Association.

Cemetery Details

VA Houston National Cemetery

10410 Veterans Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77038-1502
[http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/houston.as
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Tribute Wall



“ *James Ronald Scott*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *James Ronald Scott*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *James Ronald Scott*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *James Ronald Scott*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *5 files added to the tribute wall*



Gilman Olson - June 26, 2020 at 12:44 PM

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“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Gilman Olson - June 26, 2020 at 10:54 AM

MH

“ Some of my favourite memories are with you, Rest In Peace Grandpa Scott. Maddi Mae xxx

Maddi Hancox - June 26, 2020 at 05:10 AM

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“ Myia Hancox lit a candle in memory of James Ronald Scott



Myia Hancox - June 26, 2020 at 05:01 AM

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“ Always in my memory, forever in my heart, missing my dad, Jim, a little piece of you lives on with me... always with a sense of humour to the end... x Myia x



Myia Hancox - June 26, 2020 at 05:00 AM

RM

“ *Jim, Grandpa.....my dad, forever in our hearts.*

We will miss him dearly but have such fond memories of our times together.

May he Rest in Peace.

Randa, Michael and Isabella xxx

Randa McKenzie - June 13, 2020 at 01:32 PM

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“ *Randa McKenzie lit a candle in memory of James Ronald Scott*



Randa McKenzie - June 13, 2020 at 01:01 PM



“ *1 file added to the album LifeTributes*



Dettling Funeral Home - June 09, 2020 at 03:24 PM

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“ *Jim will be remembered with great affection by the Nelson Family. We are truly part of their extended family, and Jim will be greatly missed by us all. May he Rest In Peace in the arms of our loving God.*

Audrey Nelson - June 08, 2020 at 01:09 PM

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“ *Sweetie lit a candle in memory of James Ronald Scott*



Sweetie - June 08, 2020 at 12:52 PM