



Jim Lee Hunt

March 4, 1948 - November 9, 2019

Jim Lee Hunt, 71, of McCordsville, passed away on November 9, 2019, at I.U. Health Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis.

He was born on March 4, 1948, in Anderson, the son of Betty (Holland) Hunt.

Jim retired as a teacher for Anderson Community Schools after over 30 years of service.

He is survived by his son, Joe (Melissa) Hunt; daughter, Rhiannon (Joshua) Hoover; siblings, Sandy (Marshall) Hunt-Scheper, Tom (Gayle) Hunt, and Ronnie Hunt; grandchildren, Grace Hunt, Ethan Hunt, Parker Hunt, Elaina Hoover, Declan Hoover, and Callen Hoover; several nieces and nephews also survive.

Jim enjoyed gardening, nature, and hiking, but most of all he loved his family.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Betty June Hunt; brothers, Robert Hunt and David Hunt.

Visitation will be held on Monday, November 18, 2019, from 2:00 pm until 4:00 pm at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd Street, Anderson, IN 46013.

A celebration of life will be held on Monday, November 18, 2019, at the funeral home at 4:00 p.m.

Cremation will take place with the burial of ashes at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Online condolences can be given at www.loosecares.com.

Events

NOV **Visitation** 02:00PM - 04:00PM

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NOV **Celebration of Life** 04:00PM

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Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Loose Funeral Home - November 15, 2019 at 03:27 PM



“ Beautiful

Rita Ward - November 16, 2019 at 05:13 AM



“ What a great life!

Rita Ward - November 16, 2019 at 05:15 AM



“ Mr. Hunt was my 4th grade teacher at Riley Elementary School in Anderson. A great teacher who taught me a lot. My classmates and I had many equally great experiences at Riley and Mr. Hunt was someone who made a difference for me and a reason why I had a very good time in his classroom. My thoughts and prayers and that of my family's is with you Mr. Hunt and your family.

David A Ayers - November 25, 2019 at 01:13 PM



“ Dear family and friends of Jim Hunt,
I first met Jim in 1975 when I got a second grade teaching position at Columbia Elementary school, where he was teaching 3rd. A memory that stands out happened when we had the kids paint patriotic symbols on the playground in the spring of 1976 to celebrate America's bicentennial. I remember Jim bringing two students to me, one black and one white. The white boy had painted his black friend's face white, and the black boy had painted his white friend's face black. Jim wanted to be stern, but I could tell he was struggling not to bust out laughing. As "punishment" we had the students help each other clean up. When Columbia was closed we were reassigned to a new school, Robinson Elementary, in the fall of '77. Jim and I taught 4th grade as team teachers. He was kind and funny and a hoot to work with. We loved pranking other teachers. My best friend, Roz Steward, was in another grade. One morning before school started he was beside himself with glee as he revealed to me Roz's teacher chair that he had wheeled from her room into ours. Another item often taken and hidden from each other was our teacher lunchboxes. In those days it was the teachers who collected the lunch money from the students first thing each morning. The count & money had to be accurate so the right number of lunches could be prepared. We would be frantic if our box was missing, and Jim loved to mess with us in that way. Then there was the time we loaded 10-12 fourth graders into Jim's Chevy Blazer to go to an all you can eat pizza buffet as a reward for good behavior. Pizza Hut lost money on us that day! Perhaps the zaniest thing Jim did was

on the last day of school one year. We had observed that one young man was constantly fiddling with a paper bag at his desk, and there was a rumor he was planning to egg cars after school. This was a kid who had been high maintenance all year, but likeable none the less, and Jim just knew something had to be done. When the class went to their special area class, Jim investigated and sure enough, there were raw eggs in the bag, along with an extra shirt. Jim snickered maniacally as he wrapped the eggs in the shirt, closed the bag and gently stomped on it! This action served three purposes: the kid didn't get in trouble, no teachers' cars were egged and we were both entertained immensely! Of course, the kid couldn't report the "vandalism", and that just made it even more entertaining as we quietly observed his suppressed dismay until the final bell! Well, these are some highlights, but every day it was a privilege and so very fun to work with Jim. In this Thanksgiving season, I know I've had many things in my life to be thankful for, and definitely one of them was knowing Jimmy Lee Hunt. May it be a comfort to you that his life made a difference to many!

With most sincere sympathy,
Cindy Loewen Fournier

Cindy Loewen Fournier - November 29, 2019 at 09:25 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jim Lee Hunt.



November 17, 2019 at 10:07 PM



“ 23 files added to the album LifeTributes



Loose Funeral Home - November 16, 2019 at 01:39 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jim Lee Hunt.



November 15, 2019 at 10:11 PM



“ 35 files added to the album LifeTributes



Loose Funeral Home - November 15, 2019 at 02:50 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jim Lee Hunt.



November 15, 2019 at 01:42 PM



“ Our prayers are with jimmy's family at this sad time.
Jimmy was such a nice, sweet and kind man. Our sympathy
To everyone who feels the loss of this special person.
Karla, Jim and family.

Karla Bingaman - November 15, 2019 at 09:30 AM



“ Thank you Karla. We found several pictures of Jim and Papasann together during their adventures.

Rhiannon - November 15, 2019 at 11:00 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Lee Hunt.



November 12, 2019 at 04:01 PM



“ My prayers are with his family. He was a wonderful person. Jim and I were 4th grade teammates at Robinson Elementary for 8 years. I learned so much from him...he was a guiding light....compassionate, understanding and caring.... a great example for students and co-workers alike.....a good friend.

Rita Ruemler - November 12, 2019 at 09:32 AM



“ Thank you Rita.

Rhiannon - November 15, 2019 at 11:00 PM



“ Brenda & Kevin lit a candle in memory of Jim Lee Hunt



Brenda & Kevin - November 12, 2019 at 09:21 AM