



James G. Kriner

July 29, 1966 - June 19, 2007

Anderson - James G. ?Jim? Kriner, 40, Anderson, went to be with his Lord, whom he served with his whole heart on June 19, 2007. He died suddenly of a heart attack. He was born July 29, 1966 in Chesterfield and lived in the Anderson area all of his life. He graduated from Highland High School in 1984. Jim worked with Safety Management Group in contractor safety for Eli Lilly. He had worked for Best Lock Corporation for over 20 years. He and his family attended church at Grace Bible Fellowship in Anderson. Survivors include his wife of 20 years: Melissa Swan Kriner and their three children; Sarah, 15, James, 12 and Andrew, 2. Parents: James & Martha Williamson Kriner of Chesterfield. Father-in-law and Mother-in-law: Tony & Gaye Swan of Anderson. Grandfather: Ellis Williamson of Indianapolis. Sister and Brother-in-law: Lisa & Tim Herndon of Anderson. Brothers and Sisters-in-law: Mark & Linda Aleshire of Anderson, Joe & Kathie Swan of Anderson, Steve & Carolyn Swan of Tipton, Mark & Angi Swan of Anderson and Doug & Peggy Meredith of Bowling Green, Kentucky. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews including Jonathan and Jessica Herndon. He was preceded in death by his grandparents: Parker & Luella Maxwell and Gilbert & Juanita Kriner. Services will be Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 10:00 AM, at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, South Chapel; 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson, with Pastor Mark Swan officiating. Burial will be in Anderson Memorial Park Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4-8:00 PM on Friday, June 22, 2007 at the funeral home, south chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to the

children of James Kriner through National City Bank Trust Department. www.LooseFuneralHomes.com

Tribute Wall

MA

“ I'm Missy first cousin... and I have known Jim since they have been married. I liked Jim the first time I met him. He was smart, articulate, very people oriented. Jim made you feel like he was interested in you... he listened intently. I admired the way he took care of his family. He was kind and respectful to his wife and children. His kids so obviously loved and admired him. Jim, Missy, and the kids visited my family in CA a few years ago. We had a great time...I remember laughing hysterically at the stories he and the kids told about their West Coast trip. I can't believe he is gone... I don't understand why God takes the "best ones" so early sometimes...but it is not for us to understand, I suppose. Missy, you and the kids are in my prayers. I know you have some tough times ahead. Thank God for our large family...for all the love and support that you have... Jim, I will miss you... Much love, mary

mary alderman - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I am Jim's sister-in-law and I have known "Jimmy" since he was a very little boy. When my sister began dating him and eventually married him I was thrilled. His beautiful family has truly been an inspiration to me. They were ALWAYS so happy and seemed to have so much fun no matter what they did....the whole family would laugh at them as they shared their funny experiences with us. I grieve, so much, with my sister and her family at this time....nothing will take away the grief and pain of loss but I know that our Jesus is faithful and that we will worship with HIM and with Jim, in Heaven where there are no tears or good-byes. I'm so thankful for the blood that Jesus shed on Calvary so that we can live eternally, if we but accept Him as our Savior....I'm so glad that Jim knew and lived his life according to that truth. I look forward to our reunion!

Linda Aleshire - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ It's so nice to read all of the wonderful things everyone has to say about Jim. As a family member he is my uncle, we all knew he was a great man, but it's nice to know many others felt the same way. We will always feel a loss that can't be filled when we as a family are together, but we know we will all be joined together again one day soon. We will miss his smile, his jokes, his generosity, and his warm heart.

Amy Myers - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Your family is in my thoughts and prayers. I graduated with Jim and I remember his always smiling face. May God grant you peace during this difficult time.

Christy Gold Jones - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Jim and Marty, We learned of your son's death with sadness. We want you to know that you are in our prayers. May God richly bless you.

John and Marcia Scott - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ My heart breaks for your loss. I grew up with Jim, Lisa and his family through the church as well as attending High School with Jim. I was so shocked to learn of his passing. We may not understand God's reasons for taking those so young - but know that he is with the Lord now and rejoicing in his presence. May you find peace in knowing that Jim left a footprint on all the lives that he touched - I will forever remember Jim! God be with you all during this time.

Tammy Thompson Milburn - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I did not know Jim really, however, had the pleasure of working with him via telephone and email. He was always very helpful and kind. You can tell he had alot of patience. He will be missed. Sincerely, Angela

Angela Stanley - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ I was shocked to hear that Jim passed away. I got to know Jim first through ASSE, then through being a fellow coworker at Satety Management Group. In all the years that I have known Jim, he was always kind, helpful, and a very caring person. My condolences to his family. I know everyone will always remember Jim. He was lucky to have so many friends and a wonderful family. From the way Jim lived his life, have no fear that he is in a wonderful place and watching over each of you. May God bless you all.

Lisa Cooper - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ My colleagues and I had the pleasure to work with James at Eli Lilly. He was and outstanding young man. Our prayers are with him and his family.

James Haugslund - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I graduated with Jim and he was always so much fun to be around. Your family will be in my prayers. God Bless You All

Elizabeth Betty Bruns - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ It has been many years since I have seen Jim. I am so sorry to hear of his early departure. He was a good person and will be missed. God bless you all. Jim will be watching out for all of you now. Nancy

Nancy Knowles Smigiel - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Dear Kriner Family: I knew Jim several years ago when we both worked for Stanley. I was a co-EHS Manager with Jim and we had several "philisophical" conversations about safety. Jim was always very knowledgeable about the field and I enjoyed talking to him. It truly saddens me to learn of this and I will keep his family in my prayers. I also pray that his kids will someday know what a great guy he was. He will be greatly missed.

Barton McMillin - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ I cannot express how heavy my heart is from the loss of Jim. The lord has truly taken a very special person to meet with him. I had the honor and privilege of working with Jim. Jim was a model person finding strength in his family, faith and dedication to his work. Jim always went the extra mile to get the job done and made many friends along his journey in life. The void in the earth left by Jim can never be replaced. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this very difficult time. May you find strength in knowing that Jim touched all of us and we will carry him with us forever. With deepest sympathy, Rob

Rob Wilmot - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Kriner family. We had the pleasure of working with Jim at Eli Lilly, he was truly a great person and a great professional. He continually helped keep us on our toes in operations. Jim, Keri, Jeff and Dave

REDLEE/SCS - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KV

“ My sincere condolences...I've known Jim since his presidency with the ASSE during the time I was in college. I've had the opportunity to work with him professionally in several capacities, and for that, I am thankful. He's a true professional and a sincere person. He will be missed, and most of all, remembered.

Kristi VanSoest - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I only knew Jim through our working relationship here at Eli Lilly, I found Jim to always be there when you needed his advice or guidance and respected him as a dedicated professional. We will all miss his support here at Lilly. I wish the family all the best in this tragic loss. Sincerely, Bob

Bob Byers - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NM

“ Jim was a tremendous help to us and our company, Securitas Security Services USA, Inc., as the Site Safety Representative for Safety Management Group. He was a tireless worker with an eye for detail, and he was always a source of helpful information and assistance in any given situation. We will all really miss Jim, but we're thankful for the brief time we had the distinct privilege of knowing him.

Nathan Merry - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ To the Kriner family, My deepest, and heart-felt sympathies. I had the opportunity to work with Jim at Eli Lilly. Although I did not know him well, I could tell that Jim was an honest, God-fearing man who loved his family. I lost my father when I was just 21, so I know a little about the pain that you are now experiencing. I am very sorry and will keep all of you in my prayers. Sincerely, Terry Metheny

Terry Metheny - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ My heart and prayers are with Jim's family and friends. Jim was certainly the "Wind beneath my wings" during our time together with ASSE American Society of Safety Engineers. He was **THE BEST** worker, colleague, mentor to me. Above all he valued the Lord and his family. Jim made a difference in this world -- to everyone he touched.

Susan L. Helton-Groce - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ It was an honor knowing and working with Jim. He was always willing to share his safety knowledge and talents with others. My thoughts and prayers are with him and his family.

Mark Gabinet - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ My heartfelt condolences on your loss. Jim was a well respected member of the safety community. He was a true professional and had a positive impact on the lives and welfare of many. My prayers are with you.

Gary Gagliardi - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ My prayers and thoughts go out to you during this difficult time. I realize that there are not any words, however heartfelt and sincere, that can ease your sorrow, but it may strengthen you to realize that those who knew and worked with Jim were deeply touched by his passion for family, his passion for his faith, his passion for work, and his unwavering commitment to do the right thing with respect to each of those. Jim was not only a co-worker, but a friend, and has left an indelible impression on the safety profession in Central Indiana. Little by little, as we grieve for lost loved ones, we begin to remember not just that they died, but that they lived. May you cherish the memory of a very special life. I know you will.

Todd Detro - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you. I only knew Jim a few months at Lilly however he will have a life time impression on me as a professional and a gentlemen. Rod Sopczynski

Rod Sopczynski - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Jim was the kind of guy I would of love to have had as a brother, and we are \"brothers in the Lord\". I grew up in church with him and his entire family, and worked with Jim for five years, and you never heard anything say a negative word about him. He was the kind of guy whom, once you met, you never forgot. We love you Jim. Your life touched all of our lives for the better. Sean Baltz

Sean Baltz - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ *The measure of a man is by what he's imprinted on this Earth, envisioned throughout his life, and empowered unto others. Jim, in the very short time I've known him and met him, and from everything I've heard from everyone around where we worked together, accomplished such a wondrous measure felt, lived, and touched by others. My sincerest to his family and loved ones and whatever words I can put here cannot begin to measure up to who Jim was. The Lord has received a great person in his midst and will always be looking over all of us, at work and at home. God Bless*

A Fellow SMG Employee - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ *My sympathies and prayers are with the entire family during this very difficult time.*

Ginny Mckeeman - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Jim was a model person. It was a privilege to know and work with him. He lived in a manner that many of us can only strive to achieve. His passion and dedication to his job and safety were only exceeded by his commitment to his faith and family. While words can not and will not compensate for the void left by Jim's departure, I do believe our attempts to exhibit the way that Jim lived will help provide meaning and comfort.*

Kent Burget - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *My prayers are with the family.*

Calvin Lee - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Jim was a great guy and I enjoyed working with him for many years at Best.* ”

Brenda Leach - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM