



## James Thomas Adams

September 7, 1955 - November 24, 2017


James "Jim" Thomas Adams Jr., 62, of Charlotte, died Friday, November 24, 2017. He was born September 7, 1955 the son of James Thomas Sr. and Pat (McCarrick) Adams-Fickies. On May 17, 1985 Jim married his sweetheart Teresa "Tess" Erwin and together they created their legacy. Jim was an avid Michigan State and Detroit Lions football fan. He also loved playing football, he played on the "Pigs and Freaks" team as well as on Bath Cardinals which was a Semi-Pro football team. Jim was also a youth Pop Warner football coach. His love for sports also brought him to enjoy bowling and playing on different softball leagues. When his children were born he loved watching them compete in their sporting events as well. In his later years he loved sharing his stories from his glory days on the field. Jim enjoyed camping and watching history and crime shows on TV. Dogs were also a big part of Jim's life, he absolutely adored his dogs: Barney, Buggs, Butkus and Oden. Above all Jim was most proud of his "boy" and his "baby" and especially his 32 year marriage to Tess.

He is survived by wife, Teresa; children, Scott and Traci (Ron) Adams; granddaughter, Malloreigh Severance siblings: Tina, Liz, Bobby, John, Diana, Cathy, Donnie and their spouses; and many nieces and nephews. Jim is predeceased by his parents.

If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Adams Family

payable to wife Teresa. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Jim on his Tribute Page at [www.PrayFuneral.com](http://www.PrayFuneral.com). The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

# Tribute Wall



Traci  
Adams

“ <https://www.gofundme.com/lay-jim-to-rest-properly>

Traci Adams - November 27, 2017 at 09:04 PM



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“ Tess and family....we are sending our heartfelt condolences to you. We are still in 'shock', as are you! WOW! We have so many fond memories of Jim, that we will continue to hold dear to our heart. He was a stand up guy. He told it like it was and you could always depend on him. So glad for your visits these past few years! Coach (and I) were always glad to see you. It was fun to sit and listen to Jim and Dick reminisce about 'the football years'. We pray that you find comfort in your memories of him! You built a legacy with him that will live on through you and the kids. Blessings my friend!  
Coach and Pam Dragisic

Coach and Pam Dragisic - November 27, 2017 at 09:02 AM



*I will miss you Jim I love you guys*

Elizabeth Adams - November 27, 2017 at 05:49 PM