



James M. Spencer, Jr.

February 27, 1954 - March 24, 2015

James M. Spencer, Jr., 61, of Aurora, passed away suddenly Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at Presence St. Joseph Medical Center in Joliet. He was born February 27, 1954 at the Great Lakes Naval Station in Illinois, and lived in Colorado, Washington, California, Missouri, Indiana and Germany all before the age of twelve.

Jim attended Marmion Military Academy and graduated from West Aurora High School in 1972. He studied Law Enforcement at Waubensee Community College. Jim was employed by Jewel Food Store for 35 years and was a Cub Scout Leader at Holy Angels School for several years. His hobby was making and painting unique, specialty corn hole sets at home.

Survivors include his loving wife of 33 years, Lisa (Berger) Spencer; his children, Lindsey (Juan) Malagon, Lizabeth and James III (significant other Nicole Olenek); his grandchildren, Isaiah, Joshua and Lyla Malagon-Spencer, and Frankie and Ayden Ayala; and his sister, Rebecca (Ron Scaffidi) Spencer.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Dorothyann Spencer, Sr; and his brothers, John, Thomas and Jeffrey.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 27, 2015 from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY at 9:30 AM to Holy Angels Church at 10:00 AM. Fr. Michael

Lavan will officiate with entombment to follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.
Visitation will be held Thursday, March 26, 2015 from 3:00 PM – 7:00 PM, with
a Liturgical Wake Service at 6:30 PM, at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N.
Lake Street, Aurora, IL. 60506. (630) 631-5500.

Please visit our interactive website at www.daleidenmortuary.com where you
may sign the guest book or leave condolences for James' family.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

278 Ashland Avenue
Aurora, IL 60505

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 26. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Funeral Mass

MAR 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Angels Church
120 South Lancaster Avenue
Aurora, IL 60506

Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of James M. Spencer, Jr.



Daleiden Mortuary - March 26, 2015 at 12:04 AM

SB

“ Mr. Spencer you always treated me like family when I was around you. I will always cherish the leadership and role model you provided when I was in Cub Scouts and truly believe you helped shape who I am today. Even to this day you sent the occasional facebook message to keep in touch and I hope you know how much that meant to me. I will never forget the days I spent with Jimmy at your house and how much I looked forward to being there because you and your family treated me so well. Jimmy and the rest of the family, I am incredibly sorry for your loss and send my deepest condolences.

Spencer Buyansky - March 29, 2015 at 08:32 AM

DT

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers have been with you this week and will continue to be in the days to come.
Jimmy & Debbie Thomas

Deborah Thomas - March 29, 2015 at 07:23 AM

JL

“ So sorry for your loss. Ken Lawrence

Jacquee and Ken Lawrence - March 27, 2015 at 08:24 AM

NR

“ Jim's help and advice when I was principal at Holy Angels will always be remembered fondly. He truly was a great asset to me. Also the bean bag games he made--a special one for my son and his wife--were outstanding. He was a good person and I will miss him.

Norb Rozanski - March 26, 2015 at 09:18 AM

TC

“ Lisa and kids, you are all in our prayers and hearts. Such a difficult loss for all of you. Thank God for your family and friends who support you now and in the days to come. We are here for you.

Love,
Tom and Kim

Tom and Kim Carew - March 26, 2015 at 07:01 AM

CR

“ Lisa....
The Lord has Jim in his keeping
You will always have him in your heart
I am so sorry for your loss

carole



Carole Rahn - March 26, 2015 at 01:43 AM

TO

“ Lisa,
Know you in your family are in my thought and prayers. Therese
Carew OSF

Therese Carew OSF - March 25, 2015 at 07:56 PM

CS

“ Dear Lisa and Family, I have many wonderful memories of working
with Jim in the Concessions stand at Oakhurst during the ACC
Cross Country meets. He was always so much fun and had a
wicked sense of humor! I know that you will miss him so much. May
the love of your family and friends help you through this difficult
time. Carla Schwendner

Carla Schwendner - March 25, 2015 at 06:59 PM

LS

“ We miss you so much dad ! Waiting for that phone to ring late last
night . We will all be with you again ! Love you

Lindsey Spencer - March 25, 2015 at 03:27 PM

DP

“ Lisa and family this is from Dennis at Osco and Lois and send to
you all our love and support. Am sure our cousin Michael Hacker a
director there will do all things for you as will Joyce also. Am so
sorry for the loss but know we are here and will see you tomorrow
and hopefully at mass on Friday too. May the true peace of I AM be
with you all and bless you all always. Dennis & Lois Patzer.

Dennis Patzer - March 25, 2015 at 02:19 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of James M. Spencer, Jr..*



March 25, 2015 at 12:49 PM



“ *Our sincere sympathy to the Spencer family, we are so sorry for your loss.
May God watch over you during this difficult time. Many thoughts and prayers are being sent your way. The Ochoa Family - Jose, Angela, and children*

Angela Ochoa - March 25, 2015 at 12:31 PM



“ *Cherished Memories - All White was purchased for the family of James M. Spencer, Jr..*



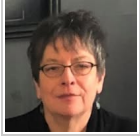
March 25, 2015 at 12:07 PM



“ *Lianne, Bill, Josh and Cory purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of James M. Spencer, Jr..*



Lianne, Bill, Josh and Cory - March 25, 2015 at 10:51 AM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Rebecca Spencer - March 24, 2015 at 11:12 PM