



James R. "Jim" Pope

June 1, 1932 - June 11, 2013

Dodgeville - James R. Pope, age 81, of Dodgeville, died unexpectedly on Tuesday, June 11, 2013 at Upland Hills Health in Dodgeville.

He was born on June 1, 1932 in Montfort, Wisconsin, the son of Dr. Russle C. and Ruth (Sanderson) Pope. He graduated from Montfort High School in 1950 and continued his education at the University of Wisconsin, receiving a Bachelor of Science Degree in economics in 1954 and Bachelor of Law Degree in 1959.

In 1960, he married Joan Wettstein of Baraboo, Wisconsin and they made their home in Dodgeville. Jim enjoyed duck hunting for many years with his friends. He will always be remembered for his sense of humor and kind heartedness. Jim enjoyed playing cards with "the guys" and attending his grandchildren's sporting events. He will be greatly missed.

Jim is survived by his wife of 53 years, Joan; his daughter, Sharon (Dr. Barry) Fields, of Birmingham, Alabama; his son, David Pope, of Dodgeville; his grandchildren, Zachary and Rachel Pope and Alex and Carter Fields.

A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 15, 2013 at the GORGEN-McGINLEY & AYERS FUNERAL HOME in Dodgeville, followed by Military Honors accorded by the Dodgeville Veterans. Friends may call

from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Friday and from 10:00 a.m. until time of services on Saturday at the GORGEN-McGINLEY & AYERS FUNERAL HOME in Dodgeville.

Tribute Wall



“ James R. "Jim" Pope

November 15, 2022 at 06:49 AM



“ So sorry to hear about Jim. He will be remembered as a gentle mafellow with a big heart
If you needed some advice he was there to help. Always with a smile on his face. Jim will be deeply missed may your remembrances of him be forever in your heart.

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“ The family lost a wonderful "husband,father,and grandfather" and his many,many friends,including me were glad that our lives touched as he was such a "Special"man. Gary Cahoon

Gary Cahoon - April 28, 2018 at 02:21 AM



“ Joan, David, Sharon and families. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We so enjoyed chatting with Jim whether it was at the grocery store or a sporting event. He will always be remembered as a kind, gentle man and on of the greatest supporters for girls basketball. He was first our attorney and then our friend. Rest in peace Jim.

Bob and Laura Gross - April 28, 2018 at 02:21 AM

DH

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Have know Jim for many years and was a good friend. Thoughts and prayers are with everyone.

Diane & John Hermanson - April 28, 2018 at 02:21 AM

GS

“ We are so sorry to hear of our wonderful friend's death. Unfortunately, mom just heard the sad news today, Sunday, so we were not able to attend the services. Your family is in our heart and prayers. In God's Love, Gwen Shaker and Marion Schreihart

Gwen Shaker - April 28, 2018 at 02:21 AM



“ Dave, Sorry for your loss. Thinking of you during this difficult time.

June 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ If more attorneys were like Jim, the vocation wouldn't have the negative reputation!

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