



James C. "Jim" Eicher

July 24, 1962 - January 30, 2013

James C. "Jim" Eicher Jr., 50, of Troy, PA formerly of Towanda died Wednesday morning, January 30, 2013 as the result of a motor vehicle accident in North Towanda Township, PA. Jim was born in Towanda on July 24, 1962. He attended the Towanda schools and graduated from Towanda High School in the class of 1980. Jim was kind, loyal and warm hearted and made many friends. Many have known him through the years since childhood by the nickname "Whimpee". Jim loved sports, especially high school wrestling. He attended local matches and followed local teams to state tournaments in Hershey, PA for 30 years. He had a good eye with a camera and took many good photographs at family and friends weddings. He always brought his camera with him to Hershey and photographed many local wrestlers' matches. He enjoyed sharing his photos with athletes and their families. In earlier years, Jim served as a PIAA wrestling official and enjoyed officiating at local tournaments and matches. He later became a PIAA volleyball official and was a favorite with the kids. Jim helped organize area football fantasy leagues, bus trips to Penn State women's volleyball matches, and enjoyed watching games on TV as well as traveling to Buffalo to see his favorite team, the Buffalo Bills. His greatest love was being a father. Jim was employed by E.I. DuPont in Towanda for 30 years. Jim will be greatly missed by his beloved daughter, Clarice Janel Garfield of Sayre, mother, Elizabeth Eicher of Towanda, sisters, Susan Eicher of Liberty Corners and Patricia Otis of Camptown, his parenting partner, Faith Garfield of Sayre, nephew, Ralph

Schoonover III. and his children, Lexi and Zack of Herrickville, an aunt and uncle, Shirley and Ronald Elliott and their families of Laurel, MS, niece, Miranda (Rob) Shave and their daughter, McKenzie of Montrose, nephew, Derek (Rachel) Otis of Allis Hollow and his girlfriend and pal Doreen Stiles of Canton.

He was preceded in death by his father, James C. Eicher Sr.

The funeral service will be held Sunday, February 3, 2013 at 2 p.m. at the Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home 217 York Ave. Towanda, PA. with Pastor Timothy Geiger officiating. The family will receive friends Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 to 2 p.m. at the funeral home. The family requests that in lieu of flowers contributions be directed to the Clarice Janel Garfield Benefit Account Fund in care of M&T Bank, 40 Colonial Drive, Towanda, PA 18848 in Jim's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed and shared by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com .

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home
217 York Ave.
Towanda, PA 18848
(570) 265-2272
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Visitation

FEB 3. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Service

FEB 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ James C. "Jim" Eicher

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ James C. "Jim" Eicher

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ James C. "Jim" Eicher

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ James C. "Jim" Eicher

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ James C. "Jim" Eicher

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM

MR

“ Dear Liz and family,
We were so shocked and saddened to learn of Jims death or "Wimp" as we so fondly called him. He was a good person and gave so much to others. We have so many good memories of him. I will always cherish the "Rams" football earrings he made me many years ago. He will be sorely missed not only by his loved ones but by the community at large. We were not able to attend his service, but he was in our hearts. God Bless you all .

Ray and Mary Ann Raffin and family

Mary Ann Raffin - February 12, 2013 at 02:00 PM

SU

Mary Ann, Yes, Jim is missed by many folks. He was a friend to all who knew him. Thank you so much for sharing your kind words. It does help ease our sorrow, Sincerely, the Eicher family

Sue - March 07, 2013 at 09:05 AM



“ *Belinda Hembury lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher*



Belinda Hembury - February 04, 2013 at 04:36 PM

CM

“ *Carol Minard lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher*



Carol Minard - February 04, 2013 at 07:15 AM

JR

“ Jack Ryan lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Jack Ryan - February 04, 2013 at 05:35 AM

JR

My thoughts, prayers, and condolences to all.

Jack Ryan - February 04, 2013 at 05:38 AM

VT

“ Vonda Travis lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Vonda Travis - February 03, 2013 at 05:59 PM

VT

Very saddened to hear the news of Jim's passing. God bless those who have been left behind. May you find peace in your hearts.

Vonda Travis - February 03, 2013 at 06:00 PM

JH

“ Dear Elizabeth & family, We're very saddened to hear of Jim's passing. Please accept our sincere condolences and know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God Bless!

Joyce & Vance Hinkson, Towanda, PA

Joyce & Vance Hinkson - February 02, 2013 at 02:07 PM

DV

“ Liz, Patty and Sue
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Jim will be missed by so many people at the
wrestling matches.
Our heart goes out to you and your family.
Sincerely,
Allan and Donna Vanderpool



Donna Vanderpool - February 02, 2013 at 01:06 PM

LS

“ dear Clarice and family my prayers are with you now sorry i can not
make it to the services but i want you to know my thoughts will be
with you on both days i know its gona be hard on you just remember
the good times you had and he loves you very much hugs and
prayers your friend and coworker Laura

Laura Sargent - February 02, 2013 at 10:32 AM

CS

“ Cheryl Williams Smiley lit a candle in memory
of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Cheryl Williams Smiley - February 01, 2013 at 05:40 PM

GS

“ Gene Smiley lit a candle in memory of James
C. "Jim" Eicher



Gene Smiley - February 01, 2013 at 05:38 PM

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Gene Smiley - February 01, 2013 at 05:38 PM

AT

Dear Eicher Family - My sincere sympathy goes out to all of you during this difficult time in your lives. I never really knew "Jim" as well as I do Patty & Sue, but I can always remember his happy-go-lucky attitude in life and his smile and how he much he loved the Buffalo Bills Football Team! May God Bless You All & Comfort Each & Everyone of You, Ava Hillis Tunnicliff

Ava Hillis Tunnicliff - February 03, 2013 at 11:36 AM

JK

“ Joanne Kut yana Koss lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



joanne kut yana koss - February 01, 2013 at 03:02 PM

MA

“ Mark M. Allis lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Mark M. Allis - February 01, 2013 at 02:44 PM

JL

“ Joe Latini lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Joe Latini - February 01, 2013 at 01:47 PM

MN

“ Marilyn And Sal Nicosia lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Marilyn and Sal Nicosia - February 01, 2013 at 12:21 PM

RS

“ Ralph And Terrie Schoonover lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher



Ralph and Terrie Schoonover - February 01, 2013 at 12:12 PM

RK

“ Jim has always been a great friend. I am praying for everyone in the Eicher family. I'm sorry for your loss.

Bob Kerstetter

Robert L. Kerstetter - February 01, 2013 at 11:29 AM

JD

“ *Patty and Randy, Miranda, Rob and McKenzie, Derek and Rachel and all family members: I am so sorry for your loss and my prayers are with you all for the comfort and strength that only comes from the Lord. I love you.*



Jeannie D'Amico - February 01, 2013 at 11:19 AM

RL

“ *Robert Landmesser lit a candle in memory of James C. "Jim" Eicher*



robert landmesser - February 01, 2013 at 10:56 AM