



James Golden Clouser

November 29, 1927 - October 18, 2023

James “Jim” Golden Clouser, 95, of Tallahassee, peacefully passed away on Wednesday, October 18, 2023.

The eldest child of the late Clyde Kistler Clouser and the late Helen Elizabeth Golden, Jim was born on November 29, 1927, in Knoxville, Tennessee, before the family moved to Florida. Jim began his career in electrical engineering in 1945 as an apprentice and journeyman wire man and was a lifelong member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union #606.

Jim briefly interrupted his career to enlist and serve in the U. S. Air Force during the Korean War. After the war, Jim returned to Florida to earn a degree in physics at Florida Southern College. He went on to serve as electrical engineer and project manager at numerous projects, such as the launch complexes of NASA and U. S. Air Force bases nationwide, in addition to managing projects in the Orlando area that included Walt Disney World’s Lake Buena Vista Shopping Village, Space Mountain, and the Contemporary and Polynesian Resorts.

Jim was an active member of the Concord Street Church of Christ in Orlando, where he married Marion Estelle Collins in 1964. He later served as an elder of the Winter Garden Church of Christ. Jim and Marion lived in Orlando for 16 years, moved briefly to Bowling Green, Kentucky, and settled in Tallahassee in

1999. Jim enjoyed singing, swimming, sailing, woodworking, and spending time with family and his brothers and sisters in the church.

Jim is survived by his children, Lori Lynn Jobe (husband, James), Holly Ann Howard (husband, Martin) and James Collins Clouser; and his granddaughter, Sadie Lynn Gruber (daughter of Lori and Darryl Gruber).

Jim will be interred at the Tallahassee National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorial donations be made to the Leon County Humane Society. Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee National Cemetery

5015 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, FL 32311
(850) 402-8941

Tribute Wall

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“Lori, Sadie, Holly, and Jimmy- my sincere condolences to all of you. I loved your dad. He was such a steady, kind presence in our family. He was so respected by my mom and dad; they thought the world of him. I remember his chuckle when he said or heard something funny or ironic. He had a dry sense of humor. He was so smart and so well-read. I always enjoyed listening to him. I still think about him and Sister staying at my house while we were in Florida during a terrible hailstorm. Their main concern was our dog, Allie. They loved her like she was theirs. I'm glad his passing was peaceful. He and Sister will take up right where they left off, I'm sure. Prayers for your peace and comfort. Love, Aunt Janie

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*Thank you, Aunt Janie, for sharing your memory and your prayers.
Much Love, Lori*

Lori Jobe - December 11, 2023 at 10:24 PM