



James A. "Jim" DiLucca

September 4, 1920 - January 24, 2010

James A. "Jim" DiLucca, age 89, of Wooster, passed away Sunday morning, January 24th, 2010 at Brookdale Place, Wooster following a courageous battle with cancer.

Services will be Tuesday, 11:00 a.m. at Custer-Glenn Funeral Home, 2284 Benden Dr., Wooster with Rev. Fr. Stephen Moran officiating followed by interment at Wooster Cemetery where military rites will be conducted.

Visitation will be one hour prior to services (10:00-11:00a.m.) at the funeral home.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at: www.custerglenn.com.

Memorial contributions may be made in lieu of flowers to: Hospice and Palliative Care Of Greater Wayne County, 2525 Back Orrville Rd., Wooster, Oh. 44691.

He was born in Wooster on September 4, 1920 to Dominic and Theresa (Iannarelli) DiLucca and has been a life long resident of the Wooster area.

He served in the Army Air Force during WWII in California, Colorado and New Mexico from April 1942-December 1945.

He worked for United Steel Fabricators and Crown Steel for 31 years before retiring in 1986.

He married Murzie M. (Plymale) in Catlettsburg, Ky. on September 29, 1987. She survives.

He was an avid golfer, enjoyed traveling ,woodworking and was a member of the American Legion.

In addition to his loving wife, he is survived by a son, James A. DiLucca, Jr. of Wooster; a daughter, Joanne (Robert) Schlub of Chalan Pago, Guam; three grandchildren, Hala, Karl, and Susanna Schlub; many other nieces, nephews and cousins, including Louise Di Giacomo of Wooster, Bonnie Rozkowski of Boosier City, LA., and Beverly Conway of Orrville, Terry Renner of Wooster and numerous grand nieces and nephews; other close family including Frank LaVenia and Emalee Cayes, Linda and Sonny McWeeney and Arlene Marton all of West Salem and Peggy Thompson of Wooster.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his previous wife, Ruth Emily Kass of 35 years; a brother, Albert Richard DiLucca; a sister, Mary Jane Renner and a niece Theresa DiLucca Zwald.

The family wishes to especially thank the staff of both Brookdale Place in Wooster and Hospice and Palliative Care of Wayne County for all of their attentive care and concerns for Mr. DiLucca.

Previous Events

Service

JAN **26.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Custer-Glenn Funeral Home, Inc.
2284 Benden Dr.
Wooster, OH

Tribute Wall



“ We were sorry to hear of uncle Jim's passing.##imported-begin##William & Susan Burlingame##imported-end##

February 04, 2010 at 11:44 AM



“ Our sincere condolences are with you. We are honored to serve your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Custer-Glenn Funeral Home Staff##imported-end##

January 28, 2010 at 11:26 AM



“ Dear Merzie, Jimmy and Joanne,

I loved Uncle Jim so very much. He was so kind, soft spoken and talented. I will never forget his smile that seemed to always be on his face.

My Nana will be so happy to see him in Heaven.

God Bless you and comfort you all in this time of sorrow and always. Peace of the Lord be with you Uncle Jim.

Love,

Robin and Keith Parker and Family##imported-begin##Robin Roszkowski Parker##imported-end##

January 26, 2010 at 06:40 PM



“ *Joanne - My condolences to you and your family. I'm glad you found me on Facebook. I may be in Wooster this weekend to visit my mother who is under Hospice care now.##imported-begin##Jim Parcell##imported-end##*

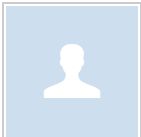
January 26, 2010 at 01:14 PM



“ *How wonderful to have been here so long, and have such good relationships with so many people - although I only know his daughter, Joanne, I believe he must have been a great father from the way Joanne is now.*

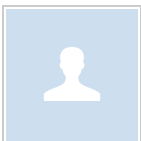
Sincere condolences to all who miss him so much.##imported-begin##Ann MacCann##imported-end##

January 25, 2010 at 05:53 PM



“ *Dear Murzie, Carl and I would like to express our deepest sympathy. We enjoyed our visits with you and Jim over the years and regret that we are unable to join you at this important time. In deepest sympathy, Carl and Arevella Schlub##imported-begin##Carl and Arvella Schlub##imported-end##*

January 25, 2010 at 03:48 PM



“ *Dear Joanne and family,
Please accept our most heartfelt condolences.
Antonello and Dina##imported-begin##Antonello and Dina Tomassetti##imported-end##*

January 25, 2010 at 03:47 PM



“ *May God Bless you and keep you, Uncle Jim.*

I will always remember fondly, when I was very young, he would take us down to the basement and show us all of the awesome ships he built. That is something that stuck with me all these years.

Please accept our deepest sympathy for your loss. He will surely be missed. We will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers.

*Gregg & Betsy Roszkowski##imported-begin##Gregg
Roszkowski##imported-end##*

January 25, 2010 at 12:53 PM



“ *Jim, you were and always will be our dearest neighbor and friend. Our hearts and thoughts will always be full of fond memories. You were the kindest man in the world. So glad we could share La Junta with you before your passing.*

*Love, Rod, Ruth Ann Thompson##imported-begin##Rod and Ruth
Ann Thompaon##imported-end##*

January 25, 2010 at 12:16 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to Murzie for the loss of our father and grandfather. We are grateful to her for her part in keeping Dad with us for so long.*

We miss you, k Dad!

*Joanne, Bob, Hala, Karl, and Susanna Schlub##imported-
begin##Joanne Di Lucca Schlub##imported-end##*

January 25, 2010 at 01:35 AM



“ *I Wish I could be there, Our prayers are with you*###imported-begin##Joe & Hallie Novak ###imported-end##

January 24, 2010 at 09:54 PM