



James Boyle

July 16, 1964 - June 3, 2023

James (Jim) Boyle, 58, of Old Bridge, NJ passed away on Saturday June 3, 2023 surrounded by the love of his friends and family.

Jim was born on Thursday July 16, 1964 in Jersey City, NJ. He was the son of the late Charles and Lucille Boyle. As a young child, Jim spent the first few years of his life living in Bayonne, before his family would later settle in Old Bridge.

Jim graduated from Madison Central High School's class of 1983. It was there that he met the love of his life, Paula Gazzio. On May 20, 1988 Jim and Paula sanctified their union of love through marriage. They went on to raise a beautiful family of their own in Old Bridge.

Jim was a member of the Local 1 elevator's union where he worked for many years until he retired in May 2022.

Jim was a devout Catholic and a man of strong faith. He belonged to St. Ambrose Parish, where he was a member of several groups within the church. He would spread the word of God to all that he connected with, and brought many people closer to the love of Jesus.

Jim was a member of the Friendly Sons of the Shillelagh in Old Bridge. He

had a deep love of music, and collected many records and cds. He also played the drums in his free time. He loved going to the beach, especially early in the morning as the sun would come up. He visited the Blue Army Shrine in Washington, NJ weekly, where he would spend his time lifting up his own intentions and the intentions of others to the Lord.

Jim loved being with his family the most. He was an incredible, fun loving and interactive grandfather, whom his grandchildren absolutely adored. He was a beloved father and husband, who always strived to provide for his family. He will be deeply missed by all those that were blessed to have had him in their lives.

Jim had a way of making everyone feel as if they were the most important person in the room. He was an incredibly generous man, who would give his time to anyone who was in need. He had an astonishingly strong and unique presence that could never be replaced. His passing is a powerful reminder of the preciousness of time in this short journey we all share in life together.

Jim was predeceased by his sons, Sean and Benjamin, and by his parents, Charles and Lucille.

Jim is survived by his beloved wife, Paula, by his loving children, Shannon Wirksi and her husband Dion, and Kerri Boyle and her fiancé Cory Frink, by his cherished grandchildren, Sophia, Maddie, and Ryan, by his caring siblings, Charles, Kathleen Kohlhepp and her husband Milton, Shawna Zuhl and her husband Glenn, by his caring mother in law, Gaetana Gazzio, and by many loving cousins, nieces and nephews, and friends.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, June 9, 2023, at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, New

Jersey.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 AM on Saturday at St. Ambrose Church located at 81 Throckmorton Ln Old Bridge, New Jersey 08857. Interment will be in Holy Cross Burial Park, East Brunswick, NJ

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.HegartyScaliaFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Burial Park

840 Cranbury South River Rd
East Brunswick, NJ 08816

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service
3377 US Highway 9
Old Bridge, NJ 08857
(732) 679-4422
hegartyfh@scaliahome.com
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Visitation

JUN 9. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN 10. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Ambrose Church
81 Throckmorton Ln
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *James Boyle*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Patty Doyle lit a candle in memory of James Boyle*



Patty Doyle - June 10, 2023 at 09:33 AM



My friend, those were the days, and we believed they would never end. Thanks for the memories that my family and I shared with you!

patty doyle - June 10, 2023 at 09:37 AM



We extend our heartfelt condolences to the family. courtesy of William and Patricia Goetz.

patty doyle - June 10, 2023 at 09:42 AM



“ *I am beyond words to describe my sadness. My thoughts and prayers are with you Paula and the rest of the family... he was a good and honest person who always had a smile on his face*

Sheryl - June 09, 2023 at 06:30 PM

FM

“ *Faith Manna lit a candle in memory of James Boyle*



Faith Manna - June 09, 2023 at 06:24 PM

CL

“ *Chris Lane lit a candle in memory of James Boyle*



Chris Lane - June 08, 2023 at 08:09 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Boyle.*



June 08, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James Boyle.*



June 08, 2023 at 11:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Boyle.

June 08, 2023 at 11:55 AM



“ Chris Lane lit a candle in memory of James Boyle



Chris Lane - June 07, 2023 at 04:52 PM



“ Glenn Miller purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of James Boyle.



Glenn Miller - June 07, 2023 at 02:07 PM



“ Mary Costello purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of James Boyle.



Mary Costello - June 07, 2023 at 01:33 PM

MC

“ Mary Costello planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Boyle.

Mary Costello - June 07, 2023 at 01:33 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Boyle.



June 07, 2023 at 11:34 AM

LF

“ Love, The Thompson Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of James Boyle.



Love, The Thompson Family - June 06, 2023 at 07:42 PM

AM

“ A Beautiful Smile and Twinkling Irish Eyes. These are the Memories we will Cherish forever.

Arlene Moran - June 06, 2023 at 02:37 PM

CL

“ Chris Lane lit a candle in memory of James Boyle



Chris Lane - June 05, 2023 at 10:01 PM

CL

Jim we will miss your kind smile & silly jokes. Our family will never be the same! I still can't believe this is real. God bless you! We will miss you!!

Chris Lane - June 05, 2023 at 10:05 PM



We will miss Jim's smile, his jokes, his conversation. We lost a good neighbor and friend. God rest his soul. He is in heaven with his sons and his parents. May the choicest of God's blessings remain with Paula and her family to help them get through tough times.
RIP dear friend
Gina and Ron Rizzo

Gina Rizzo - June 09, 2023 at 04:40 PM

LF

“ Love The Lane, Gazzio & Manna Family purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of James Boyle.



Love The Lane, Gazzio & Manna Family - June 05, 2023 at 09:58 PM

LB

“ Lorraine and Mike Borriello purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of James Boyle.



Lorraine and Mike Borriello - June 05, 2023 at 08:45 PM

LB

“ Lorraine and Mike Borriello planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Boyle.

Lorraine and Mike Borriello - June 05, 2023 at 08:45 PM

LB

“ Jimmy we love you, and we miss you already. We will always remember the great times we spent with you and Paula at St Ambrose, The Fatima shrine and going out to dinner. We will always remember your jokes that most of the time made no sense, especially the ones with the Irish accent. You were close to God and were willing to speak in this name. We always saw you as a devoted father, husband and grandfather. Jimmy was always willing to help others, one morning at the men's club meeting at St Ambrose a person stopped Jimmy and told him 5 years prior Jimmy gave him a lift home in a snowstorm (1 foot of snow). The person lived more than 1 mile away and said they would have never made it without Jim's kind offering. The person also said he knew of others Jimmy also drove home in the storm that day. Jimmy as you always said, if I don't see you guys for a week, a month or a year. It is like we spoke a minute ago. Till the next time we see you in eternity, we will miss you.

We Love You
Lorraine and Mike Borriello

Lorraine and Mike Borriello - June 05, 2023 at 08:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Boyle.*



June 05, 2023 at 08:12 PM



“ *Jim was a truly holy man. I cannot recall ever seeing him without a smile on his face or a kind word on his lips. What a great man. Deepest sympathies to Paula and the rest of Jim's family.*

Tony Garrihy - June 05, 2023 at 07:24 PM