



James Fuller

November 1, 1925 - January 23, 2012

Funeral services for JAMES H. FULLER, 86, will be held at 2pm Saturday, January 28, 2012 at the Torrington United Methodist Church with Reverend Curtis Hill officiating. Burial will follow in the Valley View Cemetery. Jim died January 23, 2012 at Community Hospital. A memorial has been established to either the United Methodist Church or the Arthritis Foundation. Visitation will be Friday at the funeral home from 3pm to 7pm. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send condolences to the family at www.colyerfuneralhome.com. Jim was born November 1, 1925 in Scottsbluff, Nebraska the son of Jennings Bryan and Ida Marie (Feeser) Fuller. His family homesteaded in the Huntley, Wyoming area and he grew up and received his education in Huntley graduating high school there in 1943. He attended Colorado A&M college in Ft. Collins, Colorado for a year and a half before entering the U.S. Army in 1944. After his medical discharge from the military in 1945 from arthritis he returned to the Huntley area and spent a lot of time in hospitals for a few years. Jim married Jo Ann Flanders on November 30, 1949 in Cheyenne, Wyoming. In 1950 he started working as a bookkeeper for Bob Cottier. In 1955 he became the Clerk of District Court and served there until 1967 when he became the Postmaster at the Torrington Post Office. He retired from that in 1977. Jim was a member of the United Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge #29, the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, the DAV where he served as Past State Commander, the American Legion Post #5, NAPUS (National Association of

Postmasters), Rocky Mountain Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, Torrington Chapter #22 of the Order of Eastern Star. He was involved in Scouting and served as a Sunday School Teacher. He enjoyed animals and had planned to be a veterinarian. He also enjoyed investing, and raising his children and following their participation in sports, scouting, and other events. Jim is survived by his wife Jo Ann of Torrington, Wyoming; six sons Jack Martin Fuller of Menlo Park, California, Jeffery Bryan Fuller and his wife Judy of Sheridan, Wyoming, James Russell Fuller and his wife Sandy of Sheridan, Joe Fuller and his wife Diane of Torrington, and Dr. Jon David Fuller and his partner Rafael Tapia of San Francisco, California; four grandchildren, Stephanie Ellis and her husband Brian, Kristin Fuller, Josh Fuller, and Lindsey Fuller; and a great grandchild Brooklin Ellis. He was preceded in death by his parents; and a sister Margaret Ann Kennedy.

Tribute Wall

RJ

“ *To the Fuller Family;*

We are very sorry for your loss. If there is anything that we can do, please let us know.

Robert and Eddie Juve - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Blessings on the family at the loss of Jim Fuller. We have lived in Idaho since 1963, but have fond memories of Jim, as members of the Torrington Community and the United Methodist Church. Our condolences to the family.*

Stan & Marion Weickum - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *Very sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Please know our thoughts are with you and you family*

John and Franny Irving - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *we are sorry for your loss.*

albert & shanna hamburg - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *I was very sad to hear of Jim's passing. I want the Fuller family to know that they are in my thoughts and prayers. I often think of the fun times we had as kids growing up with the Fuller boys. May God Bless*

Craig Cotton - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ Please accept our most sincere condolences in the loss of your husband, father and friend. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. I wanted to be in attendance but with mom living here with me, it isn't that easy. She had another small heart attack in the first part of January so we try to stay out of crowds. We are ok, and hope God looks down and holds you near to him in this trying time. Our love to you all, Biruta and Antonina

Biruta Walton / Antonina Pukitis - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Jo Ann, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I remember Jim was always smiling when I saw him at church.

Danni Stamm - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ Joann,
I don't know if you will even remember me but Jim and I fought alot of political battles years ago. I have often thought of him over the years. He was auch a fine person and a good friend years ago. I am truly sorry for your loss.
Sincerely,
Ellie

Ellie Krichner Davis - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ JoAnn,

I was so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. When I was working in Torrington for a year at the hospital, Jim was so much fun and a great part of my workday. I enjoyed sitting and hearing stories of your lives while watching either sports or animal shows on the TV. I also remember a neat day when your sons came to visit and took Jim out to the old homestead. Since returning to CO permanently, I have still thought of the two of you often. I am sad to know Jim is gone from this earth, yet I am anticipating seeing him again whole in Heaven. Love and prayers, michelle

Michelle Chase - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM