



# James Tabor

DEC 18, 2011



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## **James Tabor**

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**J**ames F. Tabor, age 72, of Elyria, passed away Sunday, December 18, 2011 at Center Ridge Health Campus, North Ridgeville, following a short illness.

He was born in Nemours, West Virginia and had been a resident of Elyria since 2007 moving from North Ridgeville. He previously lived in North Olmsted.

James had worked in the shipping department for General Motors Fischer Guide Plant in Elyria.

He was a member of St. Peter Catholic Church, North Ridgeville where he enjoyed helping in the St. Peter's garden.

Survivors include his wife of 52 years, Louise; son, James (Tammy) Tabor of Olmsted Falls; daughter, Christine (Joseph) Perez of North Ridgeville; grandchildren, James and Barry Tabor, Taylor and Rachel Perez, Jessica (Andrew) Covey; great-grandchildren, Abigail and Madison; sister, June Masmar of Florida; twin brother Charles "Buddy" Tabor of Pennsylvania.

He was preceded in death by his father, James E. Tabor; mother, Hilda Cover and brother, Wayne Tabor.


Friends may call Tuesday from 9:00 AM until the time of prayer services at 9:30 AM at the David Bogner Family Funeral Home, 36625 Center Ridge Rd., North Ridgeville. A 10:00 AM Mass will follow at St. Peter Catholic Church, 35777 Center Ridge Rd. Rev. Bob Franco, Pastor, will be the celebrant.


Memorial contributions may be made to St. Peter Memorial Fund, 35777 Center Ridge Rd., North Ridgeville, OH 44039.



**Visitation**

 **Tuesday**, December 20, 2011


 9:00 AM ET


 **Bogner Family Funeral Home**  
36625 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville OH  
44039

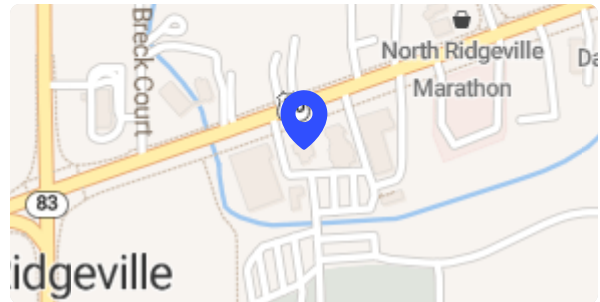


**Funeral Mass**

 **Tuesday**, December 20, 2011

 10:00 AM ET

 **St. Peter Catholic Church**  
35777 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville OH  
44039





## Tribute Wall

James Tabor

JN

**Jean E. Tabor Román - Fairfield, Pa - Niece** posted:

Sometimes we regret the things we've done and sometimes we regret the things we haven't done. One thing I will never regret is being my father's daughter and my uncle's niece. It is truly amazing what we can learn about a person just listening. Uncle Jimmy's illness did not allow me to sit and chat a while. It would have been fun catching up on all we missed. However, the few precious moments I spent with him and his family showed me why they loved him so much. He was a man who worked hard for his family, loved golf, chocolate eclairs and spending time with his grandchildren. His life was cut short unfairly but his memories will live on strong in the hearts of his loved ones. He was a very strong man 'til the end. So, the moral to this story is: Never regret the things you haven't done or the things you have done. Just do them and know that you are only human and sometimes life does not work out exactly as planned. For whatever reason do what you can do and know it is the best you can do. I will never forget the moments I spent with my uncle, of a man with a really big smile and always remember that I was able to say goodbye. All my love, Jean

December 22 at 8:00 PM

JA

**Jimmy Tabor - Mont Alto , Pa** posted:

I will miss my Uncle Jimmy. He was always there in Ohio.

December 22 at 8:00 PM

LF

**Lester Garson - Delray Beach, Fl - Friend Of The Family** posted:

Dear Jim, Not knowing your dad but knowing you I can only think that he one one wonderful person. I just want to wish my condolences to you and your family

December 19 at 8:00 PM

JF

**Judie Ferguson - Irmo, Sc - Family** posted:

What a wonderful man, we are all blessed to have known him. Love to you all, Judie and Mike

December 19 at 8:00 PM



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JC

**Jessee F. Tabor - Yanceyville,, Nc - First Cousin** posted:

Dear Family: Many years have passed since I saw Jimmy. I remember once, about 1950 when Jimmy and Buddy went with the Roy Tabor family from Bluefield, WV to visit uncle Earl Tabor who had moved to Raleigh, NC. There was a pond on the farm that Uncle Earl managed and we spent nearly all day in the water, every day, while we were there. Either Jimmy or Buddy got such a sunburn all he could do was say "Can't stand it much longer". What a great time a group of kids from the WV mountains had. Our line of FIRST COUSINS are passing on with increasing frequency. May we all meet again in Heaven. God Bless! Jessee and Margaret Tabor

December 18 at 8:00 PM

JS

**June Masmar - Jacksonville, Fl - Sister** posted:

To my family, I send you love and best wishes for the time of your greiving.

December 18 at 8:00 PM

DN

**Dana Karpus - Parma, Oh - Niece** posted:

Dearest Tabor family, I am so sorry for your loss. I loved Uncle Jimmy's smile and sense of humor. I know your loss is profound but I wanted to know I'm thinking of you all.

December 18 at 8:00 PM

RL

**Ralph & Judy Piatak - Olmsted Falls, Oh - Son's Mother-In-Law** posted:

To the Tabor Family, So sorry to hear of your loss. Praying for our Lord to comfort you as you grieve. God bless & keep you safe. Ralph & Judy

December 18 at 8:00 PM

NM

**Nicole Rosiu - Medina, Oh** posted:

So sorry for your loss Tabor family. Jim ("Pappy") was a great man and I know you all have many memories of him, he was one of a kind and will truly be missed by many.

December 18 at 8:00 PM



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**Danielle Budzick - Parma, Oh - Great Niece** posted:

Uncle Jimmy was a very special man. As mom mentioned, I will always remember his smile and jokes. He will be missed. You are in my thoughts.~ Danielle

December 18 at 8:00 PM



# **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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