



JIM BABER SR.

May 14, 1944 - October 8, 2020

BABER, SR., Jim, age 76, of Springboro, Ohio, passed away Thursday, October 8, 2020 at Cleveland Clinic where he had been a patient for two days. He was born May 14, 1944 in Winchester, Kentucky and moved to Ohio when he was three years old. Jim graduated from Middletown High School Class of 1962. He was a driver for Air Products of Middletown, then AGA Trucking and Air Liquide. He then became the lead driver for The Judd's Singers, transporting their sound equipment for 21 years retiring in 2010. He attended the Southwest Church of Springboro, Ohio. Jim owned a Harley and was a member of the Harley's group H.O.G., and enjoyed taking motorcycle road trips with friends. He loved camping with his family and fishing. Preceding him in death were his parents, Asa Goodwin and Pauline (Watts) Baber. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Kay Witherspoon Baber; two sons, Jim (Margaret) Baber, Jr. and Eric (Heather) Baber; five grandchildren, Kristina, Leandra, Jamie, Peyton and Christopher; twin great grandsons, Brayden and Carter; one brother, Danny (Terri) Baber; and many extended family and friends. Visitation will be Thursday, October 15, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Southwest Church, 150 Remick Boulevard, Springboro, Ohio 45066, followed by services at 1:00 p.m. with Minister Roger Hendricks officiating. Interment will be at Woodside Cemetery, Middletown, Ohio. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Southwest Church, 150 Remick Boulevard, Springboro, Ohio 45066. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the

family on this website, www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall



“ *JIM BABER SR.*

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *Mr. Baber was always kind and welcoming to me, even when I knew he wasn't feeling well. He never wanted sympathy. He was the epitome of COURAGE. He fought long and hard with dignity, and showed his love for his family and life itself. May GOD bless his soul and his family.*

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“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of JIM BABER SR..*



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“ *Jim was one of my best friends. He was a very caring person with a big heart 🍷. Lots of memories. Fishing and hunting trips, playing cards, sharing experiences when our children were growing up. You were a warrior!! I am looking forward to our next card game partner 😊 Love you man! ❤️❤️*



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“ *I don't have just a single memory of Mr. Baber. It was a combination of all of them. We all knew when he was in town because of his rig that sat by Homer's. But we also knew that he would be in town for as many of the games that he could make. Other than my dad , he is the man that put fear in me. And I think that's why I respected him so much. Great guy. And here is hugs to his whole family. So sorry for the loss of Mr.Baber.*

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