



James M. Banks

May 4, 1953 - December 18, 2004

James M. Banks, 51. Loving father of Christina (Gabriel Val). Proud grandfather of Gabriel Jr., and Carlos. Fond brother of Tom, Laura, and Richie. Uncle, cousin and friend to many. Lieutenant Chicago Fire Dept with 25 yrs service. Visitation Tuesday 2 to 9 p.m. at Barr Funeral Home, 6222 N. Broadway, Chicago. Funeral leaving Wednesday, 11:30 AM for 12 Noon mass at St. Gertrude Church. Interment Graceland Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to American Diabetes Association, PO Box 1131 Fairfax, VA 22038-1131 or www.diabetes.org

Tribute Wall



“ *James M. Banks*

October 08, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Tara lit a candle in memory of James M. Banks*



Tara - May 17, 2020 at 06:24 AM



Greatest Love ❤️ Never will be forgotten. Always know that you are here. From Heaven, God and the most Blessed Virgin Mary (who blessed me with your life) allow you to come to me from the Afterlife. No one will read this nor could they understand. Even though I get mad at you sometimes (nothing changes in that regard!), I love you till the end of Time. Damn, but you not only were the BEST... But you were the BEST OF THE BEST!!! Still are. Thanks for still being with me. 💕💕

Tara - May 17, 2020 at 06:40 AM



“ *Tara lit a candle in memory of James M. Banks*



Tara - July 02, 2018 at 07:54 PM



My BEST FRIEND and love of my life! We met 38 years ago on July 4th, 1980. Nothing has been the same since. NEVER have I seen such strength! A little moody though. "You're living in LA LA LAND!!!" Me, Chrissy and Tommy. Lol, but you were right. NO ONE HAS COME EVEN CLOSE to the man you were. And I can feel you all the time, giving me some kind of signals. I'm sure Chrissy does too. Happy 38th Anniversary, honey, like every year we used to say. I love you!!!💕💕💕

Tara - July 02, 2018 at 08:12 PM



“ *Hey Baby,It's Spring and you always come to mind with the soft hints of Summer Winds. I'll always love and miss you- Sue*

Sue Tario - April 18, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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“ *James M. Banks*

Mike Gallapo - December 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

EJ

“ *So sorry to read about your loss. The Bible at John 5:28,29 and Acts 24:15 holds out a wonderful hope of seeing our deceased loved ones again. Sincerely, Elaine Jones*

Elaine Jones - December 19, 2004 at 12:00 AM