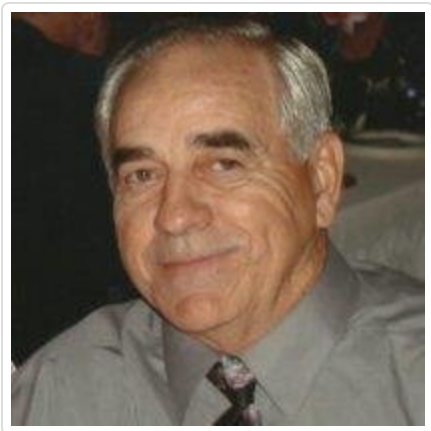




James Eugene King

January 22, 1935 - July 20, 2013

Jim was a man of silent strength who showed his love through actions, not words. He was born in Amarillo, TX on January 22, 1935, to James Elbert King and Gladys Bell King. He was welcomed into the arms of our Lord on July 20, 2013. Jim's family lived in various cities in Texas and California before settling in Texico, NM. He graduated from Texico High School, attended Eastern New Mexico University, received his BS in Agricultural Engineering and his MS in Mechanical Engineering at New Mexico State University. He was Proud to be an Aggie. He also served in the United States Army. Jim worked on the White Sands Missile Range in 1961 and 1962. He worked for Kirtland AFB Civil Service from 1962 until 1993 in Special Weapons Design. His specialties were Nuclear Safety Engineering Analyst, GLCM, Small ICBM, Peacekeeper Rail Garrison, Titan, Minuteman, and Nuclear Systems Engineering Directorate. His hobbies were Farm Equipment, "kickin' tires", and racquetball. Jim was a member of the Mountainside Church of Christ, and he devoted his life to God and to serving others. Jim was married to Doyce Wood on January 26, 1964, almost 50 years ago. He is survived by his beloved wife, Doyce; his son, Denny and wife Melissa King of Albuquerque; daughters, Alisha and husband David Fitzgerald of Albuquerque and Tara and husband Vic McCracken of Abilene, TX. He was one of the world's top ten Granddads to Christian and Mason Fitzgerald and Theo, Naomi, and Gabe McCracken. He is also survived by his brother Jerry and his wife Golda King; sister-in-law, Sylvia King; brothers-in-law, Woodie, Deryl, and Jerry and his

wife Pat; and loving nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his older brother, Ron. Friends may visit Tuesday, July 23, from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at FRENCH – Wyoming. Services will be held Wednesday, July 24, at 10:30 a.m. at Mountainside Church of Christ, 12300 Indian School Rd. NE. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to UNM Christian Student Center where Jim and Doyce met and fell in love, 130 Girard Blvd. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87106, or to the Albuquerque Christian Children's Home, 5700 Winter Haven NW, Albuquerque, NM 87120.

FRENCH – Wyoming
7121 Wyoming Blvd. NE
(505) 823-9400

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

924 Menaul Blvd NE
Albuquerque, NM 87107
(505) 345-3536
info@sunset-memorial.com
<https://www.sunset-memorial.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 23. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

FRENCH Funerals - Cremations (Wyoming)
7121 Wyoming Blvd NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109
(505) 823-9400
<https://www.FrenchFunerals.com>

Services

JUL 24. 10:30 AM (MT)

Mountainside Chirch of Christ
12300 Indian School Rd.
Albuquerque, NM 78112
<http://www.mtnsidechurch.org>

Tribute Wall

JW

“ *You are all in my thoughts in prayers! Love, Jaime Wood*

Jaime Wood - July 24, 2013 at 10:27 AM

MM

“ *Dear Doyce,*

May God give you comfort and strength in your time of loss of James. You are in my prayers.

Marilyn Wood McClenahan [Raymond L. Wood's daughter]

Marilyn W. McClenahan - July 24, 2013 at 09:08 AM

DM

“ *We are thinking of all of you and praying for comfort and peace at this difficult time. Love, Dave and Anita McCracken*

Dave and Anita McCracken - July 23, 2013 at 05:42 PM

CK

“ *I learned today of James' death. It's been a long, long time since I saw James. Surely must have been years ago. However, I do remember that he was a very nice, pleasant person, surely always interested in welfare of others. His loss will be felt by a lot of people. Please know that the family is in my prayers and that the Lord will help you through these difficult times. I am Charlene King, widow of Charles R. King*

Charlene King - July 23, 2013 at 05:27 PM

LH

“ *My prayers are with the King family during your time of loss.*
Lorraine Stonestreet Haberman

Lorraine Stonestreet Haberman - July 23, 2013 at 02:37 PM

TA

“ *Doyce, Denny, Alicia, Tara, Jerry, and family,*
We are so sorry to hear of our cousin's passing. We were unaware
that Gene was so ill. We know you will miss him very much. You are
in our thoughts and prayers.
Love to all of you,
Tracye and David Albone, Charlene King, and Mary Lee Allen

Tracye Albone - July 23, 2013 at 01:59 PM

TA

“ *Oh, Doyce, I'm so sorry. You touched my heart and I could see in*
your eyes how very much you loved him in the short time I knew
you. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and
prayers. Sometimes you just connect with a patient as I did with you
and I hope you know that I truly do care. Please take care of
yourself. Tonya Archuleta RN

Tonya Archuleta - July 23, 2013 at 10:36 AM

TF

“ *The Jerry King family purchased the Red & White*
Standing Cross With Red Rose Break for the
family of James Eugene King.



The Jerry King family - July 23, 2013 at 07:59 AM

DS

“ I will remember James as the quiet, witty, intelligent, loyal, hard-working, friendly, Christian man with the sly smile that hinted at mischief. He and Doyce have lived a well-loved life together. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Debbie Scott - July 22, 2013 at 10:05 PM

JC

“ Jimmy Crawford purchased the Roses For Sympathy for the family of James Eugene King.



Jimmy Crawford - July 22, 2013 at 08:04 PM

SE

“ On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we express our deepest condolences.

Suzanne Engman - July 22, 2013 at 04:51 PM