



James Morrissey

December 13, 2007

James R. Morrissey, 54, of Pearland, TX, formerly of Topeka, passed away Thurs. Dec.6, 2007. He was born Sept. 9, 1953 in North Platte, NE, the son of Robert W. and Kathleen Ann Lohmeier Morrissey. James enlisted in the Army in 1972, receiving an honorable discharge in 1980. He began work as a country club manager after leaving the Army and continued until his death. He married Mona J. Smith on Feb. 13, 1995. She survives. James was preceded in death by his mother, Kathleen. Other survivors include two daughters, Mimi and Summer; his father, Robert; sisters, Ann, Beth, Trish, Maggie and Amy; brothers, Tim and Phil and numerous nieces and nephews. James will lie in state after 3:00 pm, Thurs. Dec.13 at the Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka, KS 66614, where the family will greet friends from 6-8 pm that evening. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 am, Fri. Dec. 14 at Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church with burial to follow in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to the Morrissey Children's Education Fund and sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Morrissey*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Mimi and Summer:*

Your Dad was the greatest Dad ever to walk the earth. His love for you transended the physical bounds of this earth and exists today as strongly as ever it did while he was here with you. If I can ever share with you my own treasured moments with your Dad in the future, you only need to ask. My family and I are your family. We love you.

Randy

Randy - January 04, 2008 at 10:16 PM

RD

“ Jim Morrissey was one of the rarest men I've known. Why? Because he always saw the positive in everything. No matter what, there was always the potential for good to come out of any situation. Struggling with crippling illness for much of his short life he continued to shine and illuminate my own perspective of what life is supposed to really be all about: Friends, family, the continuous effort to accomplish good, hard work. Not many of us will lay claim to that kind of legacy. He may be physically gone but today, but even after learning of his passing, he is as strong a presence, no...stronger...than ever he was in my life. I will always look up to him as an example of what I always wanted to achieve...honesty, integrity, and being a person who continuously strove to be all that he could be. Besides that, he made me laugh like no other person I have ever known. I will sorely miss that. My memories will keep him alive, though. I will not let him pass because he has given me so much to treasure. If I owe any man a debt of gratitude for making my life richer and better, it is to Jim I owe that debt.

Randall Dill - January 04, 2008 at 10:13 PM

AP

“ To The Family:

I would like to express my deepest sympathy to each of you.

Although we are not acquainted with one another, we are acquainted with the pain when our loved ones fall asleep in death.

At Matthew 6:10 Jesus taught us to pray for God's Kingdom to come here upon the earth as it is in the heavens.

The fact that the the heavens is peaceful, no sickness, death, etc. is surely a place where we would like to be. So when we pray for these conditions to come on the earth, we are asking God to restore the earth back to its original condition when he created the first Man and Woman.

That Kingdom will be a reality here on the earth.

The Scriptures promises that the day is soon to come in which death will be no more and that Almighty God Jehovah will wipe away the tears of sorrow from our eyes forever. (Revelation 21:3-5)

He promises too that your loved ones, my loved ones and many others will hear his voice and come out of the memorial tombs (graves) to live in heaven-like conditions right here on the earth. (John 5:28,29; Psalms 37:29)

Annette Pegues - December 30, 2007 at 10:21 PM

DW

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jim Morrissey's family at this sad time. We will certainly miss Jim at the Club! We always enjoyed visiting with him.

Doris and Jim Wood - December 14, 2007 at 09:03 AM

GG

“ Jim was a super guy who always treated me and family exceptionally. We only knew him as club manager which he was excellent at, but I suspect he was an even better father, husband, and friend. Rachel and I were shocked and saddened to hear about his untimely passing. We have been thinking of Jim and his family frequently and you have our deepest sympathies.

The Gaston Family

Gary & Rachel Gaston - December 14, 2007 at 08:53 AM

GG

“ James Morrissey

Gary & Rachel Gaston - December 14, 2007 at 08:46 AM

JP

“ Jim was a wonderful person and a joy to be around. He was always friendly and never seemed to be in a bad mood or have a harsh word to say to anyone. My daughter Mona and I will both miss him.

Our condolences to his entire family.

John Penry - December 14, 2007 at 12:27 AM

DG

“ I am sadend by the loss of my friend and co worker Jim Morrissey. I have worked for many managers here at Golfcrest and he is the only one that could combine the deft touch to handle the many many member and employee issues that he was confronted with daily. He made us laugh in every staff meeting about something because of his dry wit and quick sense of humor. Mona, Mimi and Summer, know that you are in my and my family thoughts daily and that we are praying for all of you in your time of loss.

David Gloger - December 13, 2007 at 04:16 PM

JH

“ I am proud to have been part of the committee responsible for bringing Jim to Golfcrest Country Club. In the short year and half that Jim was here as our manager, He made many invaluable contributions to Golfcrest that will not be forgotten along with his great sense of humor and outgoing personality. To Mona and the girls, be assured that our prayers and thoughts are and will contine to be with you.

Johnny & Lynn Helpenstill - December 13, 2007 at 01:35 PM

LR

“ I will miss Jim's quick wit and hearty appetite! He is one of the best people that I've ever worked for and he will be hard to replace. I hope the best for Mona and the girls; may they find peace and comfort in the many friends that he's left behind.

Laura Roshto - December 13, 2007 at 01:20 PM

RH

“ Jim is sorely missed by a multitude of members at Golfcrest Country Club. His innovative ideas, ability to bring his own brand of humour to the most impossible situations, has left hole that can't be filled. Jim wasn't just a manager, he was a friend as well. Mona, Mimi and Summer, as well as the rest of Jim's family, we offer our profound condolences.

Rick and Pat Hill - December 13, 2007 at 12:54 PM

LG

“ Jim was my supervisor but also a friend. I will miss him tremendously. We shared a lot of laughs together and I will remember those good times and will forever cherish them. Thank you for being a good friend. My prayers are with Mona, Mimi, and Summer.

Lee Gravett - December 13, 2007 at 12:43 PM

DM

“ *To the Morrissey Family:*

Although I did not personally know Mr. Morrissey, I extend my heartfelt condolences to you at this time.

I have found comfort from reading the following scriptures from God's word the Bible. I hope you will also be comforted by these scriptures.

Isaiah 25:8 - death will be swallowed up forever.

John 5:28 - we will be reunited with our loved ones on earth again.

Revelations 21:5 - the aforementioned things will become a reality.

With sympathy,

D.R. Miller - December 12, 2007 at 05:28 PM

BB

“ *Heavenly Father,
Thank you for Jim.
He has been such a blessing
and inspiration to us.
Please keep Mona, Mimi, and Summer
under your mantle of protection.*

Beth Boughfman - December 12, 2007 at 10:10 AM