



## James "Jim" Richter

August 26, 1928 - July 19, 2018

The Mass of Christian Burial for James "Jim" Richter of Wadena will be celebrated at 11: 00 a.m. on Monday, July 30, at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Wadena, with Father Aaron Kuhn, Father Tom Carkhuff and Father Mitchell Bechtold as co-celebrants. Visitation will be held in St. Ann's Parish Hall on Sunday from 4:00 until 8:00 p.m., with Prayers at 6:00 and a Rosary at 7:00 p.m. Visitation will resume at the church on Monday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of the Mass.

James "Jim" Richter, 89, beloved Father, was called to his eternal resting place on July 19, 2018.

Jim was born to Peter and Margaret Richter on August 26, 1928, at their home near Wadena MN. He was united in marriage with Virginia "Ginny" (Wegscheid) on June 14, 1949, in Bluffton MN. They made their home and raised their family near Wadena. Jim was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, who spent long hours on his dairy farm. Jim loved Jesus, farming, collecting antique tractors, threshing shows, toy trains, praying, visiting, and watching EWTN. Jim had a great sense of humor and loved telling stories!

Jim was preceded in death by his wife Ginny, parents; Peter and Margaret; daughters: Ruthie and Lucy; brothers: Ray, Bob Ed, Don; and sisters: Eleanor and Mary.

He is survived by his daughters: Margie (Jarry) Cole of Annandale, Carol Mois (Graham Ouimet) of Stacy, Mary (Gene) Denny of Hewitt, and Janet (Brian)

Spreiter of Baxter; sons: Dennis (Barb) of Verndale, Ronald (Janice) of Long Prairie, Gary (Cindy) of Hewitt, Joe (Pam) of Hewitt and Nick (Sheri) of Sartell. Jim has 36 grandchildren, 63 great-grandchildren, and 2 on the way. He is also survived by his brothers: Jack (Judy) and Arnie (Carolyn); sisters: Veronica Behman, Jane (Ervin) Weber and Sophia Roser; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

Honorary pallbearers will be all of Jim's grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Active pallbearers will be Sarah Schelonka, Tyna Richter, Christen Hess, Brenda Larsen, Kimberly Bendaris, Stacy Kern, Jamie Forbord, Traci Richter and Jaqueline Horstmann.

Jim will be buried in the Calvary Cemetery in Wadena.

Jim requested that memorials be made for masses.

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The family extends a special thank you to Martina Hendrickson for her love, devotion and faithfulness in caring for Virginia & Jim for many years.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

Franklin Dr. & 6th St SW  
Wadena, MN 56482

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

St. Ann's Parish Hall  
514 2nd St. SE  
Wadena, MN 56482

## Visitation

JUL **30**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Ann's Catholic Church  
514 1st St. SE  
Wadena, MN

## Service

JUL **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Ann's Catholic Church  
514 1st St. SE  
Wadena, MN



# Tribute Wall



“ Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - July 24, 2018 at 05:45 PM



*Jim will be sadly missed....Jesus took another angel home*

Judy Shultz - August 02, 2018 at 12:22 AM

JJ

“ Our deepest sympathies at your loss. You will all be in our prayers. God grant you all peace and comfort. We will be together again as our Savior has promised.

Jay and Jackie - August 16, 2018 at 02:21 PM

JJ

“ Jay And Jackie lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Jay and Jackie - August 16, 2018 at 02:20 PM

MS

“ Janet, my deepest sympathy on the death of your father. He was always so happy to see me when I was visiting my parents and we'd see him in church. He was a great man and a real friend to my parents.

Mary Schwartz-Lunzer - August 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ Dave Schumacher lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



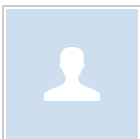
Dave Schumacher - August 05, 2018 at 07:02 PM

ES

“ Elvin Judy Shultz lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Elvin Judy shultz - August 02, 2018 at 12:11 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Richter.



July 28, 2018 at 11:48 AM

JA

“ We will always love you dad, you will forever be in our hearts. Love Janet and Brian



janet - July 27, 2018 at 07:33 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Richter.



July 27, 2018 at 02:13 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Richter.



July 27, 2018 at 01:26 PM

FS

“ From Ginny's Brothers, Sisters, and Spouses purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of James "Jim" Richter.



From Ginny's Brothers, Sisters, and Spouses - July 27, 2018 at 08:55 AM

TF

“ *The Savage Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James "Jim" Richter.*



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**The Savage Family** - July 27, 2018 at 07:28 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Richter.*



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July 25, 2018 at 02:42 PM

MD

“ *Rest in Peace Dad Love Mary and Gene and Family*



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**Mary and Gene Denny** - July 24, 2018 at 08:41 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - July 24, 2018 at 04:17 PM

HS

“ Heidi Stokes lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Heidi Stokes - July 24, 2018 at 03:20 PM

SL

“ Jim was one of the most humble men I have ever had the pleasure of meeting. In 1990 I was recuperating from a surgery that gave me a shot to keep my eyesight while in a hospital in Fargo. Jim came to my room there and said some prayers with me, his kindness to me and others I'm sure was not something he had to do, but thought nothing of bringing his faith to anyone who needed it. This world was better with him in it, God blessed this world with Jim, heaven is welcoming a great man.



Sherry Spencer Linnes - July 24, 2018 at 11:38 AM

DM

“ Dixie Murray lit a candle in memory of James  
"Jim" Richter



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**Dixie Murray** - July 23, 2018 at 08:28 PM

RH

“ A Farmer once sat upon this tractor seat,  
Tilling fields and raking wheat,  
To feed family, friends, strangers too,  
Reminding himself what hard work can do.  
He raised his kids, fed his wife,  
Giving thanks to God for a simple life.  
Now he's in heaven looking down,  
Praying for all the farmers still plowing their ground.  
God Bless you Jimmy. Hardworking and generous farmer.  
~Say hi to our mom-she always remembers a face.  
Hendrickson-Mondry Family of Hewitt

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**rebecca hendricskon** - July 23, 2018 at 08:28 PM

JW

“ James Weaver lit a candle in memory of  
James "Jim" Richter



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**James Weaver** - July 23, 2018 at 04:04 PM

HA

“ *Helen Allee lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



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**Helen Allee** - July 23, 2018 at 11:20 AM

HA

*Jim was a wonderful guy. The whole family used to come in the Uptown for Sun. brunch and in between for birthdays. Would meet in the back room They always had a singing while they were there and anyone in the cafe at the time loved listening to the whole group sing, Sorry to hear about your loss.*

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**Helen Allee** - July 23, 2018 at 11:39 AM

PL

“ *Pat Lorentz lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



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**Pat Lorentz** - July 22, 2018 at 10:46 PM

EF

“ *Esther And Alan Freitag lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



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**Esther and Alan Freitag** - July 22, 2018 at 04:35 PM

BL

“ Betty Lipinski lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Betty Lipinski - July 22, 2018 at 04:05 PM

SL

“ Sorry for your loss.



Scott and Angela Lambert - July 22, 2018 at 01:06 PM

SS

“ Shirley And Bob Skon lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Shirley and Bob Skon - July 22, 2018 at 11:09 AM

GA

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with you. God Bless.



Gene and RoxAnne Arndt - July 22, 2018 at 08:22 AM

HS

“ Hof Family(dennis Hof Sisters) lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Hof family(dennis hof sisters) - July 21, 2018 at 09:49 PM

HS

You have our deepest sympathies in your loss

Hof family(dennis hof sisters) - July 21, 2018 at 09:50 PM



“ Sincere sympathies to all for your loss, may God give you strength to go through the grieving process!

Lori Ostrowski - July 21, 2018 at 02:35 PM

DT

“ Diane Teigland lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Diane Teigland - July 21, 2018 at 12:24 PM

CB

“ Conrad And Shirley Van Batavia lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Conrad and Shirley Van Batavia - July 21, 2018 at 08:39 AM

DK

“ Dave And Celesta Kyar lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Dave and Celesta Kyar - July 20, 2018 at 09:16 PM

JL

“ Sending love to all the family. Uncle Jim was an incredible man and he will be missed terribly.

Jackie Lehmkuhl - July 20, 2018 at 08:24 PM

BD

“ Bob And Kathy Derby lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Bob and Kathy Derby - July 20, 2018 at 08:03 PM

SP

“ Steve & Nancy Peterson lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Steve & Nancy Peterson - July 20, 2018 at 06:23 PM

MU

“ *I loved him! Such a generous great man! I'm so sorry for your loss!* ”



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**Maria Uselman** - July 20, 2018 at 06:15 PM

SN

“ *Scott Napier lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter* ”



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**Scott Napier** - July 20, 2018 at 05:47 PM

JD

“ *Jerry & Janice Denny lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter* ”



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**Jerry & Janice Denny** - July 20, 2018 at 05:00 PM

GK

“ *Gene & Sandy Kapphahn lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter* ”



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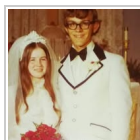
**Gene & Sandy Kapphahn** - July 20, 2018 at 04:47 PM

DO

“ *Doug And Joan Ostlund lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



**Doug and Joan Ostlund** - July 20, 2018 at 04:35 PM



“ *Dave Rousslang lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



**Dave Rousslang** - July 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM

JB

“ *Janice Bastian lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



**Janice Bastian** - July 20, 2018 at 03:44 PM

RA

“ *Rita Anderson lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter*



**Rita Anderson** - July 20, 2018 at 03:18 PM

IB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. Jerry and Irene Baron



Irene Baron - July 20, 2018 at 02:23 PM

JP

“ Jerry And Kathy Peterson sent a virtual gift in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Jerry and Kathy Peterson - July 20, 2018 at 02:06 PM

JB

“ Dear Richter, family we are sad to hear the news of Jim's passing , we enjoyed him alot. May you rest in peace Jim!!!



Jim& Iorie Baron - July 20, 2018 at 01:52 PM

LB

“ Lisa Boss lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Lisa Boss - July 20, 2018 at 12:38 PM

LM

“ Liz Miller lit a candle in memory of James  
"Jim" Richter



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Liz Miller - July 20, 2018 at 12:33 PM

SK

“ Steve & Janet Kneisl lit a candle in memory of  
James "Jim" Richter



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Steve & Janet Kneisl - July 20, 2018 at 12:25 PM

CG

“ Cary And Diana Goeden lit a candle in  
memory of James "Jim" Richter



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Cary and Diana Goeden - July 20, 2018 at 12:15 PM

MF

“ My sympathy to the Richter Families.  
~~~Marie



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Marie Fraune - July 20, 2018 at 11:04 AM

JR

“ Jack & Judy Richter lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Jack & Judy Richter - July 20, 2018 at 10:38 AM

TO

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Richter Family.

Tiffany Orsello - July 20, 2018 at 10:37 AM

MH

“ Marladene Heinen lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Marladene Heinen - July 20, 2018 at 10:15 AM

LH

“ Leo Haisman lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Leo Haisman - July 20, 2018 at 10:06 AM

JH

“ Joe And Yvonne Horstmann lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Joe and Yvonne Horstmann - July 20, 2018 at 09:55 AM

NB

“ Neal And Leona Bowman lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" Richter



Neal and Leona Bowman - July 20, 2018 at 09:49 AM

NB

*Our prayers go out to all of you in the loss of your father. He was a great guy.*

Neal and Leona Bowman - July 20, 2018 at 09:49 AM

DS

*A good neighbor. Loved his family, loved the land, full speed ahead. God bless the memory of Jim.*

Dan and Dee Skogen - July 21, 2018 at 07:51 AM

GK

*So sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*God Bless  
Mike & Gail Kenney*

Gail Kenney - July 21, 2018 at 11:32 AM



*My Sympathy, love and prayers to Jim 's family. God bless you.*  
*Kathy Angus*

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**Kathy Angus** - July 23, 2018 at 10:50 AM