



## James F Madison

October 3, 1949 - May 24, 2024

James F. Madison was born October 3, 1949, and passed away May 24, 2024. He is preceded in death by his wife, Irene Madison; mother, Mary Kirkpatrick; father, Noah Madison; aunts, Janet (Joe) Frost, and Linda (Rich) Rapue; uncle, James Kirkpatrick; sister, Claudia Feigt; brother-in-law, Ruben Gonzales; niece, Alicia Kelling; nephew, James Ace; and goddaughter, Vanessa Lopez. James is survived by the mother of his children, Barbara Madison; children, Michael (Vanessa) Madison, Joyce Armstrong, Tracey (Kevin) Mortland, and Geoff (Melinda) Null; grandchildren, Chole Kile, Orianna (Josh) Evans, Leonard (Heather) Madison, Sabastian (Ryan) Madison, Patrick J. (Cheyenne) Armstong, Demetria Madison, Colte (Sarah) Drury, Christyl Null, Murphy (Dez) Banegas, Mario (Allyssa) Rivas, Jessenia Rivas, Josh (Perla) Rivas, Eva (Josh) White, Stephanie Mortland, Rachel Mortland, Shad Grilli, and Emily Grilli; 27 great-grandchildren; god-children, Matthew Santillanez, Rick Lopez, and Morgan Mahala-Whedon; aunt, Deanna Kirkpatrick; sisters, Melody Gonzales, Terry (Cliff) Kelling; brother, Bill Ace; and brother-in-law, Ed Feigt. Jim, aka, “Jimmy”, “Butch”, and “Chuy Medina” had many nieces, nephews, in-laws, cousins, and friends. He was everyone’s favorite. He was born in Denver, Colorado, and lived in Pueblo, Colorado. He was a true Denver Broncos fan and never missed a game. Jim was the life of the party and never knew a stranger. He made a lasting impression on anyone he ever met. His family and friends will miss him tremendously. In lieu of flowers or food, donations may be made to Sangre de Cristo Hospice or

PAWS for Life animal shelter in Jim's honor.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUN 21. 10:00 AM (MT)

Roselawn Funeral Home Chapel  
1706 Roselawn Rd  
Pueblo, CO 81006

## Reception

JUN 21 (MT)

Knights of Columbus Hall  
1200 Acero Avenue  
Pueblo, CO 81004

*Reception following services.*

# Tribute Wall

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“ My favorite memory of Butch was when I was probably 8 or 9 years old. There was a family gathering at Grandma & Grandpa Kirkpatrick's house on Short Place in Denver for the 4th of July. I was standing by the clothesline in the back yard when the neighbor let go of a rocket bottle firecracker he was holding in his hand, and it landed in the front of my dress and got stuck. Back in those days, if you were hurt, you ran to your mother. I started running and got to the patio where some of the adults were sitting and Butch stood up and grabbed me and tore open my dress and the firecracker fell out and he stepped on it before it exploded. As a young girl, I just knew it was going to blow up and I would be hurt really bad. He saved that from happening to me and I still have the scar to this day. Over the years, anytime there were family gatherings, I always hoped he would come down for it because you knew if he was there, you were going to have a great time laughing and remembering the good ole' days. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War and will ALWAYS be a hero.

Malinda McMillian - June 12, 2024 at 10:46 AM

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I'm was really young back then but I remember that GOD REST HIS SOUL life is a lot smaller now if you think about it!! I miss Him!!

Kevin Frost - June 22, 2024 at 08:59 PM

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“ Photos are all the memories we have



Angelic Ybarra - June 09, 2024 at 01:05 PM

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“ Oh my, Jimmy,jimmy,(butch) you have left us and taken up your place in heaven. You had the courage to go the way you wanted. I am glad we had our many talks on the phone. It was even sweeter we didn't have to pay those long distance charges the phone company used to charge. When I would make it to Colorado it was always a highlight of the trip to see you. You would give some really good hugs. I know you are having a blast catching up on all the gossip and rehashing the past with family and friends in heaven . I will miss our talks about our memories of Short Place and the gossip we would share. I am regretting that we never got to share that lemon meringue pie for your birthday. Altho you are sharing some with important people in heaven along with some very good green chili with Aunt Linda and Mom. Please share the cereal with Claudia and leave some for me.

Thank you for taking care of us when we were little. I know we were a pain in your behind. Younger siblings will do that. You didn't know it but you helped shape all of our lives.

I will miss you until we meet again and I get to get one of those hugs.

Your loving sister Terry

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**Terry Kelling (sister)** - June 08, 2024 at 12:00 PM

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“ 3 files added to the album Uncle Butch



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**Bobbie** - June 05, 2024 at 03:44 PM

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“ Dear Chuy Medina, we hope your enjoying your new life in Heaven. We know you will be dancing, singing all your oldie songs and telling all your favorite jokes to all your new roommates in Heaven. We will all be missing you and we will never stop speaking your name with smiles on our faces. And once in a while we will lift up our glasses in a toast to you for all the good times. We will keep your family warm with hugs and kisses. We love you forever. Your friends till the end, Jimmy and Frances Browner

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**Jim Browner** - June 05, 2024 at 12:35 AM