



## James F. Tomaso

January 14, 1952 - August 30, 2019

James F. Tomaso, 67, of Hudson (Greenport), N.Y. passed from this life on August 30, 2019 at the CMH Hospice in the company of his loved ones. Born in Hudson on January 14, 1952 to the union of the late Frank Tomaso and Elaine (nee Holmes) Tomaso, Jim was a lifelong resident of Columbia County, first in Hudson and later Greenport.

Jim was educated in the Hudson City Schools, graduating in 1970. After graduating from Hudson Valley Community College, Jim embarked on a long career as a licensed land surveyor owning his own self-titled business until retirement in 2018.

Jim was raised in the Catholic faith, having been baptized at Mt. Carmel Church in Hudson which he attended faithfully until it's close in 1989. He then became a parishioner at St. Joseph's in Stottville, N.Y. for the remainder of his life.

An avid model railroader since youth Jim owned and operated the Nickel Plate Hobby Shop on Fairview Ave. for many years and amassed an impressive personal collection of vintage Lionel and HO Trains.

Jim and his loving companion, Ellen Pietrak resided in Greenport and reveled in the quiet country life. They loved attending Valleycats baseball games, model railroads shows, and enjoying time with Jim's mother and Ellen's family, particularly the grandchildren.

Jim is survived by his companion Ellen, his mother Elaine and his brother Anthony along with many cousins, close friends, and Ellen's daughters and

grandchildren who loved him so dearly.

Visitation at Bates & Anderson-Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home will be held from 9:00-10:30am on Wednesday, September 04, 2019 followed by a Mass of Christian burial at 11:00am from the St. Joseph's Catholic Church on Atlantic Ave., Stottville, N.Y. Internment will be at the family plot in Cedar Park Cemetery, Hudson, N.Y. immediately following Mass.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 4. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler  
110 Green Street  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-3371  
<http://batesandersonredmondkeeler.com>

## Mass

SEP 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's Church  
2824 Atlantic Ave.  
Stottville, NY

# Tribute Wall

LP

“ *My sincere sympathies to Jim's family. Jim was a real nice guy, and I'm saddened at his passing. Larry Porreca.*

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**Larry Porreca** - September 12, 2019 at 10:16 PM

NN

“ *We will remember Jimmy fondly both as a valued member of the survey team of Rockefeller and Nucci and just a really nice guy. Our deepest sympathy to his family  
Neil and Sandy Nucci*

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**Neil Nucci** - September 02, 2019 at 12:02 PM

BT

“ *Sad to lose another part of 8 th Street. Many good times playing ping pong in the cellar, watching the trains get set up, making home movies, talking about "Chiller" and monster movies, Youngs Deli and Stewart's visits , playing on the "hospital grounds " etc . Rest in Peace Cousin Jimmy.*

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**Bob and Patrice Tomaso** - September 01, 2019 at 04:02 PM

FO

“ *Brothers forever, maybe not by blood, but by love. Thank you for all the good times and good years. I'll miss you my friend, I already do.*



*Ellen, Mom and Tony,  
I wish so much that I could be there. We all have a new angel  
watching over us alongside Pop T.*

*Love,  
Francis & Karyl Osinskie*

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**Francis Osinskie** - September 01, 2019 at 02:45 PM

DO

*Ellen please know I am thinking of you. Love and prayers to you all  
Doris Jean.*

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**dorisjstalker** - September 02, 2019 at 01:25 PM

BM

*Classmates and friends through school and graduating together in the  
HHS Class of 1970. My thoughts and prayers are with his family. Rest  
in Peace my friend Jimmy.  
Bruce Mitchinson*

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**Bruce Mitchinson** - September 03, 2019 at 08:03 PM