



James William Dixon

May 30, 1950 - May 8, 2022

James (Jimmy) William Dixon 71, of Stamford, CT passed away peacefully in God's loving embrace on Sunday, May 8, 2022, at Yale New Haven Hospital. Born in Chicago, Illinois on May 30, 1950, to the late William Preston Dixon and Mary Alice (Dixon) Hunter and stepfather Robert Hunter, Jimmy was raised in Stamford, CT by his late aunts Teretta Dixon and Eunice Davis. Jimmy remained in Stamford and was employed for more than 55 years at F.W. Webb formerly Sachs Plumbing. Jimmy was a loving and devoted father, grandfather, great grandfather, and uncle, and friend. Known to everyone he touched as a gentle giant whose kindness and thoughtfulness could always be relied upon. He loved life and was known for his sense of style, fine dining, travel, concert going, and his jazz. He was a long-time member of the Shining Star Lodge #303 (Elks Club) where he served as permittee. Although he will be deeply missed, his values and love will continue to live on through his family. He is survived by his loving daughter, Toya Hammond of New Haven, CT; Three grandchildren, Sean Sanford, Torey Rivers and Corey Rivers; five great grandchildren, Sean Sanford Jr. Aiden Sanford, Jace Sanford, Corey Rivers, Aria Rivers and one on its way. Three godchildren, Desiree Davis, Anthony Davis and Jesse Hunter Jr.; several siblings Jesse Hunter (Debbie), Kevin Hunter (Dana), Gary Hunter (Shirley), Brian Hunter (Laurie) all of Middletown, CT; three sisters, Candy Bonner, Linda Blake (George) and Sandra Wiggins (Larry) all of Middletown, CT; one sister-in-law, Linda Hunter of Middletown, CT. Seven brother-cousins: Douglas Davis

(Bernadette), Charles Dixon, Melvin Davis, Warren Davis (Alanna), Kenneth Davis, Jamie Davis, Robert Davis (Vanessa) Three sister-cousins: Jacqueline Dixon and Annette Davis (Bonnie) and Denise Dixon.

Besides his parents, he was predeceased by two brothers, Robert A. Hunter Jr. and William Hunter; one sister-in-law, Pamela Hunter; two brothers-in-law, King Outlaw and Michael Bonner; and brother-cousin Gardtrell Davis, two sister-cousins Lynell Davis and Gwendolyn Davis.

A celebration of his life will take place on Saturday, May 14, 2022 at Union Baptist Church, 805 Newfield Ave., Stamford, CT. Visitation from 11:00AM – 12:00PM followed by a service of celebration at 12:00PM. Services entrusted to Graves Medley Funeral Services. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that all memorial contributions be made in Jimmy's memory to a cancer society of your choice.

Interment will be private

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall

JO

“ *John Ostrowski lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



John Ostrowski - May 16, 2022 at 06:44 PM

LF

“ *Linda Ford lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



Linda Ford - May 16, 2022 at 01:41 PM

LJ

“ *RIP Jimmy Dixon!*

Lovell Rowser, Jr. - May 14, 2022 at 10:38 PM

WA

“ With a heavy heart I write to honor my dear friend James W. Dixon of many many years; as I reflect on our friendship and the many times we’ve spend together I can’t help but smile with joy in my heart. James lived a full life and was a delight to be around to say the least. The moments I hold near and dear to my heart most will be the many times we traveled to Manhattan to the Jazz concerts along with my late wife Maudlyn—James will be truly missed and remembered for the great guy that he truly was.

Rest in Paradise James until we meet again. Love always and for ever in our hearts Winston Ampson and family ❤️ 🕯️ ❤️

Winston Ampson - May 14, 2022 at 07:34 PM

DA

“ *Deepest sympathy to the family and friends of such a special man..rest in paradise dear brother..you will be missed.*



Donna L. Aekins - May 14, 2022 at 12:07 PM

CB

“ *Claire Benedetto lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



Claire Benedetto - May 13, 2022 at 06:45 PM

CB

My deepest sympathy to the family. Jimmy was a great guy and will be missed by many.

Claire Benedetto - May 13, 2022 at 06:49 PM

CI

“ *To the Family of Jimmy Dixon:
I was saddened to hear of the passing of Jimmy. He was always that one person who knew everything to help you get the job done. I always remember hearing "ask Jimmy!" Growing up if no one knew the answer to a particular problem. Jimmy Dixon could solve it. His departure from this world to Heaven must tell you that "God had a problem and needed Jimmy's expert advice." Jimmy you will be missed not only by your family, Brothers and friends. But by people who had the pleasure of just talking with you and asking you how to fix their particular issue. The West Side of Stamford really lost a true man who made his presence known in his Community of Stamford.
" To a Life Truly Well Lived!"
Charles E Treadway III and Family*

Charles E Treadway III - May 13, 2022 at 01:01 PM

TP

“ *Thomas And Bridget Patterson lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



Thomas and Bridget Patterson - May 13, 2022 at 11:56 AM

BN

“ Jimmie was a blessed and kind soul. He will be missed. My condolences to the family 💕



Betsy Nieves - May 13, 2022 at 11:16 AM

KH

My brother Jimmy I will miss you more than you and other's will ever know your main family in Middletown that a lot of people are not aware of .that was the sadness day of my life and i had some sad days. I love you and I will miss you every day of my life until I get to meet you and mommy and daddy,william,Bobby again loving you missing you Kevin.

Kevin hunter - November 14, 2022 at 06:41 PM

JM

“ Jerrol Moore lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon



Jerrol Moore - May 13, 2022 at 10:55 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James William Dixon.



May 12, 2022 at 10:25 AM



“ *Yvette T Slade lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



Yvette T Slade - May 12, 2022 at 09:17 AM



JD was a great friend & had a heart-❤️-of-gold your Burlington, NC family will truly miss you the laughter & that million dollar smile. S.I. P. until we meet again!!!!❤️❤️

Yvette T Slade - May 12, 2022 at 09:26 AM

BB

“ *I write this with a heavy heart. Giving my sincerest condolences to the family of Jimmy Dixon. Jimmy was like an uncle to my brother Akil and I. Always had a positive word to say whenever I would visit Stamford and run into him. Beyond just being a standout family friend. He was truly family. He will be missed.*

Brendan Baldwin - May 11, 2022 at 09:40 PM

DB

“ *Dolores . Burgess lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon*



Dolores . Burgess - May 11, 2022 at 03:48 PM

DB

“ Jimmy, Barbara Jones and I went to Aruba. He had us laughing the entire time , we had a GREAT TIME . HE WAS A VERY GOOD FRIEND. I WILL MISS HIM . HIM AND TEETEE ARE IN HEAVEN CELEBRATING HOS ARRIVAL.REST WELL MY FRIEND.



Dolores . Burgess - May 11, 2022 at 03:47 PM

RC

“ Jimmy D., you were definitely one of the good guys. I never wasn't around you that you didn't have a kind word to say. Take your rest buddy - you deserve it. You meant a lot to so many people -- you will be missed.



Robin Coleman-Cannon

Robin Coleman-Cannon - May 11, 2022 at 03:38 PM

LD

“ Linda Dupree lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon



Linda Dupree - May 11, 2022 at 01:31 PM

AS

My deepest Condolences to you Jacky and your family ❤️Love,
Angelina, Kaitlyn & Alex Smith

Angelina Smith - May 11, 2022 at 02:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James William Dixon.*



May 11, 2022 at 09:10 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to the family and friends of Jimmy .A great guy and old friend .One of the people that made old Stamford what it was . Rest in peace my friend ...*

Gary Strain

Gary Strain - May 11, 2022 at 08:50 AM



“ *Toya and Marilyn. My heart is so heavy at the loss of your Dad, my dear and long time trusted friend. I'm just so sad. I will miss his calls, texts and visits with him. As will many of his friends and many he had! He's in God's hands. RIP my friend. Stay strong Toya. Love, Cynthia Robinson Dowdy*



Cynthia Robinson Dowdy - May 11, 2022 at 07:53 AM

JV

“ A 40+ year association and friendship, never to be forgotten. Always a smile and that helping hand, and advice where needed..As I recall, we spent a huge(LoL) part of those years 'cappin' on each other and some folk had to be thinking that we were mortal enemies, but hey, that was us. In keeping with those times, I'm gonna miss you, "Round Pound" and may your road to Heaven be as smooth as the life you lived----Johnny B



John Vaughn - May 11, 2022 at 12:24 AM

CS

My Deepest Condolences To The Dixon Hunter Davis Family. From The Garner Family 🙏🙏

Cheryl Garner Shavers - May 11, 2022 at 02:03 AM

NB

My sincere condolences to the family and friends of Jimmy. We will miss him immensely. I was a friend to Jimmy since Burdict Jr, High School. All through these years he remained a quiet and loving person, never changing, always giving advice or saying something to make me laugh. Rest in the arms of our Lord, Jimmy. We love you, but God loves you more. 🙏🙏🙏 ~Nydia ~

Nydia Brown - May 12, 2022 at 07:57 AM

BC

“ Bonita Callahan lit a candle in memory of James William Dixon



Bonita Callahan - May 10, 2022 at 10:33 PM

FM

“ Jimmy, your kind, compassionate and fun loving spirit will be forever etched in my memory. Rest In Peace.

Fern Miller

Fern Miller - May 10, 2022 at 08:04 PM

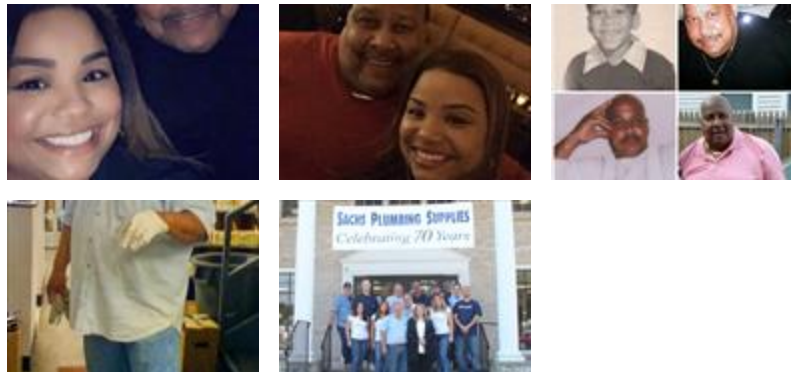
TB

“ Jimmy, we became like brothers these past years. It will never be the same. May God hold you close till we meet again

Tim Burke - May 10, 2022 at 06:50 PM

MA

“ I wish we had more time together, but I'll always value the time we did have. You were like a dad to me. You will forever be in my heart.
SIP Jimmy



May - May 10, 2022 at 06:30 PM