



James Herman Liebrecht

December 30, 2022

With a heavy heart we announce the passing of James “Jim” Herman Liebrecht, 68, of Moses Lake at Sacred Heart Hospital of a failing heart on December 30th 2022. Jim was born to Herman and Joanne Liebrecht in 1954. He married his high school sweetheart, Karen, in 1973. Together they raise two sons James and Cole. He dearly loved his daughter-in-laws Razz and Alexandra. They were the daughters he never had. He enjoyed the love of his grandchildren Nia, Asha, Riley, Austin, Emma and Charlotte. His family was the delight of his life, they always came first. He is also survived by his brothers, Steven, Michael and Joseph. He was preceded in death by his parents Herman and Joanne and siblings David and Kathleen.

Jim was born in Toppenish, Washington and relocated to Moses Lake at the age of 10. He graduated from Moses Lake High School where he enjoyed football and wrestling. After graduation in 1973 he worked at U & I Sugar until the plants closure. He returned to school and attended college at BBCC for Business Administration and Economics. He purchased and owned Animal Crackers, Clipper, Kennel and Co. for 40 years. There he established long relationships with clients and their “furry” kids. Jim also enjoyed driving bus for the district after retiring. He always has had a big heart for children which was always obvious in his daily interactions with them. His family always came first and he would be there the second he was needed. His generous nature was experienced both by his family and strangers he never would see again.

Jim was very proud of his local political involvement. He served on the Moses

Lake City Council, Planning Commission, Park and Rec Commission, Grant County Solid Waste Committee, Grant County Planning Commission. He served on the Grant County Search and Rescue. He taught Washington State Firearm classes to many youths. He enjoyed becoming a Light-Sport Pilot and owning his own plane where he met many pilots who enjoyed flying together. Jim's sense of humor was enjoyed by those in his presence. People naturally gravitated to him. He loved his Lord, he asked Jesus to be his Savior at 21 years old. He was a member of First Baptist church. He will be missed beyond words and we wait to be joined together with him and our Lord. We thank God for the impact and the love he shared. We will meet you at the gate.

A public service for all those who wish to attend Jim's memorial is being held at First Baptist Church at 724 4th Avenue Saturday, January 7th at 11:00 a.m.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 7. 11:00 AM (PT)

First Baptist Church
724 W. 4th Ave.
Moses Lake, WA

Tribute Wall

KC

“ God truly blessed me, when he gave me the chance to meet James, I always called him my buddy. I will cherish all the laughs we had. He always believed in me. Till meet again my buddy.

Kelley d Carlson - February 14, 2023 at 12:23 AM

SL

“ From Steve Liebrecht Cc I will miss you very much my dear brother, I was unable to attend your services in person, but was on 3 way call with you other 2 brothers who were unable to attend all so, we are so sad, we will never forget you, an we will always remember how you made us laugh, my god bless you, my dear brother an I love you with all my heart, your brother Steve

steve liebrecht - January 07, 2023 at 03:40 PM

DP

“ Jim Liebrecht will be remember for his commitment to give back to the Grant County Community. He was willing to serve the public and be responsible for guiding policy and governing in a responsible way. Our thanks go out to him and his family for sharing his time with the rest of us.

Danna Dal Porto
Quincy,WA

Danna Dal Porto - January 07, 2023 at 12:53 PM

SW

“ Karen, and family sorry for your loss, may God strengthen and comfort you at this time and always. Shirley Woodworth

Shirley Woodworth - January 07, 2023 at 11:29 AM

MA

“ Remembering the Liebrecht family in prayer.
~~Jeff and Melanie Arnold

Melanie Arnold - January 06, 2023 at 06:34 PM

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“ To The Family of Jim Liebrecht, I am extending to one and all of you,my deepest condolences, have known Jim for many years, and believe you me, it hit pretty hard today when I seen this. May you Rest in Peace Jim.

With Love,
Pat Ledbetter

Patricia (Gerber)Ledbetter - January 05, 2023 at 07:52 PM



FR

“ So sorry for your loss.

Forrest Reich - January 05, 2023 at 12:25 PM

TA

“ Karen and Steve, we are so sorry for the loss of your husband and brother. You and your family are all in our thoughts and prayers.
Love,Luis and Trina Alfaro

Trina Alfaro - January 04, 2023 at 09:56 PM



DL

“ Karen, we are so sorry to read of Jim's passing. David worked with him and his dad at the beet plant and enjoyed them both. I think David had a good visit with Jim one of the last times we had Wilson to your shop. Find peace knowing Jim is "home" with other family members. Sending our sympathy to you and your family.



David & Joan Lobie - January 04, 2023 at 06:21 PM