



James Eugene Hipp, Sr.

July 24, 1938 - February 26, 2023

James Eugene Hipp, Sr. passed away quietly the morning of February 26, 2023, at his home at Crooked River Ranch, Oregon, at the age of 84. He was born July 24, 1938, in Fremont Ohio. He was the youngest surviving child of four children born to Ralph and Clara Hipp. In 1956 he enlisted in the United States Navy where he served on a Naval ship until 1960. After completing his first-term enlistment in the Navy, he applied and was accepted into the United States Coast Guard in 1960. He served 16 years on the east coast. During that time, he was deployed to Greenland where he served a year of isolated duty at a Loran Station in 1967. He passed through the Panama Canal several times on separate deployments and served his last 4 years on the west coast at the Coast Guard Station in Astoria, Oregon where he retired in 1980 as Chief Warrant Officer 4 (CWO-4), with a combined twenty-four years of honorable service to his country.

After his military service he dabbled in several interests from cattle to Real Estate where he was an Agent and Broker with Crooked River Ranch Realty in the early 1990's.

He had a life-long passion for fishing and enjoyed spending the day out on the water with friends and family. He loved to golf and was a member of the men's

club at Crooked River Ranch Golf Course.

He is survived by his wife, the love of his life of 65 years, Theresa Mary Hipp who he married in Portsmouth, Virginia at St. Theresa's Catholic Church on May 12, 1958. He is also survived by his son, James Eugene Hipp, Jr., and his wife Brenda Hipp and his daughter, Deborah Ann Miles, and her husband Gary Miles, all of Crooked River Ranch, Six grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Wounded Warrior Project or a charity of your choice.

Graveside service with Full Military Honors will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at 10:45am at the Willamette National Cemetery, 11800 SE Mt. Scott Blvd, Portland, Oregon.

Tribute Wall



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Redmond Memorial Chapel - July 12, 2023 at 02:30 PM

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“ With our heartfelt sympathy and prayers. Love, Jay & Peggy King



Anonymous - March 03, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Redmond Memorial Chapel

A Memorial Tree was planted for James Eugene Hipp, Sr. - March 01, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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Bend Funeral Homes - March 01, 2023 at 12:00 AM