



James M. Kelly

February 26, 2025

James M. Kelly, 61, of River Edge, formerly of Northvale, NJ, passed away on Wednesday, February 26th. Beloved son of Mary and the late John Kelly. Devoted father of Jessica, James and Jaclyn. Dear brother of Michael, John and his wife Lisa, and Patrick and his wife Jennifer. Loving uncle of Nicole, Connor, Patrick and Caitlin. Before retiring, James was an Operating Engineer for the Local 94 Union in New York City. He was a lover of music, with a passion for the guitar. Within the northern valley community, James was a coach and devoted fan for his children's sports teams for many years. He will be dearly missed by all those who knew and loved him. Family and friends are invited to visit on Sunday, March 2nd from 2-6pm at Volk Leber Funeral Home. 268 Kinderkamack Rd. Oradell, NJ. Funeral Mass to be celebrated on Monday, March 3rd at 10am at St. Peter the Apostle in River Edge. Interment to follow at George Washington Memorial Park in Paramus.

Cemetery Details

George Washington Memorial Park

234 Paramus Road
Paramus, NJ 07652

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Oradell
268 Kinderkamack Rd.
Oradell, NJ 07649
(201) 261-1088
info@volkleber.com
<https://www.volkleber.com>

Funeral Mass

MAR 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter the Apostle
445 5th Avenue
River Edge, NJ 07661

Tribute Wall

MP

“ Mike Robin Policastro lit a candle in memory of James Kelly



Mike Robin Policastro - March 02, 2025 at 01:05 PM

SC

“ Mary and Family, My deepest condolences to you all. Wishing you comfort and peace during this difficult time. James, Jessica and Jacklyn, your father's love will live on in your hearts. May you all find comfort by the outpouring of love surrounding you.

Sallyanne Calandrillo - February 28, 2025 at 06:09 PM

SG

“ Sharon Greisch lit a candle in memory of James M. Kelly



Sharon Greisch - February 28, 2025 at 02:48 PM

SG

“ James Jessica & Jaclyn Suzanne.. I am so sorry for the loss of your Dad..Sending heartfelt condolences to you all .. hope you find comfort in your hearts ..I know it has not been easy..but you have no idea how your respect for him has never gone unnoticed.. Sending hugs love you all!! ❤️

Sharon Greisch - February 28, 2025 at 02:47 PM

KC

James, Jacklyn and Jessica, Your dad was a good man. He was my brother Bill's best friend growing up in River Edge many years ago. My condolences to all of you. I lost my brother when he was only 18, and it devastated your dad. Much love to all of you in this time of grief. Kevin Considine

kevin considine - March 12, 2025 at 09:30 PM



“ *Dear Suzanne, Jessica, James, Jaclyn, and the Kelly family,*

My condolences to you all. This is way too young, tragic.



John Castellano - February 28, 2025 at 12:38 PM