



James Goza

January 1, 1947 - November 15, 2009

GOZA, Mr. James E. "Bo" – Age 62, passed away Sunday, November 15, 2009 at McLaren Regional Medical Center. Family hour 10AM Friday, November 20, 2009 at Canaan Baptist Church, 910 E. Gillespie St., with funeral service commencing at 11AM, Pastor Charles E. Roots officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10AM Friday. Mr. Goza will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12Noon-8PM Thursday. Mr. James Edward "Bo" Goza was born on January 1, 1947 in Los Angeles, California to Shallie H. and Mary E. Goza. James attended Peak High School and Henderson State University in Arkadelphia, Arkansas. He moved to Flint, Michigan in the early 1960's and was employed by Buick Motor a division of General Motors Corporation where he retired after more than 30 years of service. James enjoyed being with his family and loved to spend time on his computer playing games, researching topics of interest and keeping in touch with his family and friends. He is survived by: 3 sisters, Shirley Reddic, Virginia (Tobias) Simpson and Beverly Goza Holmes; 3 brothers, Wayne (Ona Kay) Goza, Rev. Charles (Barbara) Goza and Lora (Gwen) Goza; 3 aunts, Virginia Jones, Christine Goza and Millie Guinn; uncle, Willie Ray (Verta) Williams; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Mr. Goza was preceded in death by his parents, Shallie and Mary Goza.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Goza*

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“ *I have your family in my prayers.*

Joyce Briggs - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Praying that God will continue to encourage and strengthen our family and friends during this time of bereavement. We trust God and know HE is with us!*

Anika Whitfield - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Goza Family:*

We pray that the entire family will be comforted by the Holy Spirit and through your love for each other. God bless you. Roy and Teri Chambry.

Roy and Teri Chambry - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *God Bless and comfort you in your time of bereavement. You are in our prayers.*

Bill & Eugenia Miller - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Wayne, Ona Kay and Family, You are in our prayers. Always remember that "God will never leave you nor forsake you". Stay strong and keep your hand in God's hand. We are here for you. Love, Dandre' & Freda Williams and Family

Dandre' & Freda Williams - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ We would like to express our sincere sympathy to the Goza family. Our families were so close throughout the years and we have lost contact. It's always sad to hear that someone you have known for so long has transitioned from this life, but we have comfort in believing that he is in a better place with our Heavenly Father. Suffering or sorry will be no more for him and we must live our lives so he and our Father will welcome us into Heaven to live eternally with them and other loved ones who awaits us.

Our prayers are with you through these difficult times.

We love you.

Jackie Staggers - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I met James when i was twelve y/o, he later became my step-dad. James had a sense of humor and he always made me laugh. It was times when i was in one of my moods, and could tell and he would tell me "Ty u ain't acting funny is u" and sure enough i would smile. When i was seventeen i remember him taking me, my mom, and best friend to Kansas City, to a family reunion. We had a ball. I am glad to have had him as a dad and i will miss him dearly. My prayers goes out to James family, and don't worry I know James, and he is in heaven having it his way as he did on earth. lol RIP my friend

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ I thank God for allowing James to be a part of my life. James was my best friend. I will miss our conversations, our debates and most of all the laughter we shared together. James and I always had an encouraging word for each other. There wasn't a time when we talked that he didn't ask about my children and grandchildren. Every time I called him and said hello Goza, he would respond "hey you" and you could hear the smiles in our voices we were always glad to hear from each other. James you will be sadly missed but not forgotten. You will forever be a part of me. I won't say goodbye, only I will see you again.

Alma Watson - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ To The Goza, Reddic & Simpson Family:

My sincerest condolences to the entire family. May God wrap his loving arms around all of you and during this difficult time and always.

*Love,
Deb Watkins & family*

Deb Watkins - November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM