



## James T. Bushey

September 12, 1927 - April 26, 2016

Bushey, James "Tom" Ed.D, age 88 of Canton passed away on April 26, 2016. Beloved husband of almost 59 years to Jean E. Bushey. Dear father of Jeanne Marie (Edward G.) Dornoff. Proud grandfather of Jessica and Jenna. Brother of Elizabeth Lang and the late Josephine Bushey. Brother-in-law of Thomas Obrecht, the late Kenneth Obrecht, and the late Richard Obrecht. Tom retired from EMU as the Assistant Dean of the Graduate School. Prior, he was professor with the College of Education. He proudly served in the U.S. Army. He was an avid reader, handball player, Detroit Tiger fan and loved spending time with his family. Visitation Friday 2-8 PM at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Rd., (Btwn Sheldon and Beck) Plymouth. Rosary Friday 7 PM. In state Saturday 10:00 AM until the 10:30 AM Funeral Mass at St. Kenneth Catholic Church, 14951 N. Haggerty Rd., Plymouth, MI 48170. Interment at Glen Eden Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be to the Capuchins Missions, 1820 Mt Elliott St., Detroit, MI 48207-3485. To share a memory, please use the Share a Memory tab on this web page.

# Previous Events

## Rosary

APR **29**. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth  
46401 Ann Arbor Road West  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
(734) 459-2250  
plymouth@vermeulenh.com

## Visitation

APR **29**. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth  
46401 Ann Arbor Road West  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
(734) 459-2250  
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## In state

APR **30**. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Kenneth Catholic Church  
14951 North Haggerty Road  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
vermeulenh@comcast.net

## Funeral Mass

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APR 30. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Kenneth Catholic Church  
14951 North Haggerty Road  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
[vermeulenh@comcast.net](mailto:vermeulenh@comcast.net)

# Tribute Wall



“ *James T. Bushey*

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December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Dear. Mrs Bushey and Jeanne..this is Toshi' (Dynda) Carl , Tom, Pete and I all wish you both our prayers and wonderful memories of Robindale..if you get this.. contact me for quick how de do.. I've tried to locate you both a few years back..in Dayton..and Canton.. technology has soooooo advanced..I always remember your birthday in Jan. Because Pete s son is Jan 27 and you were a week before 🐣🐸 only two birthdays I know in January..take care love to all of you*

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**Antoinette Benner (Toshi')** - January 12, 2017 at 10:06 AM

CS

“ I am a Minister of Jehovah's Witnesses my wife and I would like to give you and your family our deepest sympathy for the lost of your loved one. We would like to leave you with these words of encouragement from Gods word the Bible. At Job 14:14 it ask the question, "If a man dies, shall he live again?," The bible makes the promise: Your dead love ones will live...They will rise up. The bible also says, The righteous themselves will possess the earth and they will reside forever upon it. Isaiah 26:19;Psalms 37:29. May you find comfort in these scriptures and in the loving memories of your loved one. If you have any questions or concerns about the lost of your loved one feel free to email us at [ctksdk@yahoo.com](mailto:ctksdk@yahoo.com)  
Sincerely, Carlos & Sandy

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Carlos & Sandy - April 29, 2016 at 08:28 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James T. Bushey.



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April 28, 2016 at 09:59 PM

MC

“ Tom was not only a neighbor but a very dear friend who always welcomed you in their house.  
He love to talk about history, baseball, the news and his grand-daughters whom he was so proud of.  
His sense of humor was very dry but so funny and witty.  
Our Shadow would eagerly cross the street to get a cookie from Jean and then lay down by Tom.  
He is leaving a big void in our lives and we will miss him.  
Jean our thoughts and prayers are for you and your dear family during this very difficult time.

*Harold, Marie and Christopher*

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**marie cook** - April 28, 2016 at 09:13 PM

TB

“ Mr. Bushey was a wonderful person. When I befriended his daughter Jeanne Bushey while attending EMU, Mr. and Mrs. Bushey welcomed me into their lives as another daughter. Over the 30 plus years I knew him, he and Mrs Bushey have been loving, fun and a joy to know. Jeanne and I were in each other weddings and I was honored to have Mr and Mrs Bushey at mine. I'll never forget his sense of humor, love of his grandchildren, love of art, love of life and of EMU. May the Lord comfort his family in his loving arms.  
Until I see you again in Heaven Mr Bushey, you will be missed. All my love, Tracey Buhinicek.

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**Tracey Buhinicek** - April 28, 2016 at 05:56 PM

JB

“ I worked with Tom for 20 years at EMU. At Teacher Education where I 1st met him I had to fight off students waiting in the hall for me to get there and start making counseling appointments for him. He'd be booked in an hour and I had to incur the wrath of the students who weren't able to see him. He had a droll, wry wit that I loved and I will miss him. My thoughts are with Jeanne and family.

*Judi Breault*

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**Judi Breault** - April 28, 2016 at 01:36 PM

TM

“ The Dornoff Families (Don, Tony, John, Michael) purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James T. Bushey.



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**The Dornoff Families (Don, Tony, John, Michael)** - April 28, 2016 at 10:59 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James T. Bushey.



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April 28, 2016 at 10:23 AM