



Jimmy Allen Tungett

December 10, 1936 - December 2, 2022

After a short illness and with a lonely spirit, Jimmy Allen Tungett passed away surrounded by his family.

He was born December 10, 1936 on Edsall Street, in Alton, Illinois to Earl Eugene and Alfretta Lucille (Camp) Tungett. He was a very hard-working man with an amazing poetic wit and one of his biggest prides was his family. Fresh out of high school, Jim spent two years stationed in Germany while serving in the Army. He retired after working 30 years working at Laclede Steele as a pipefitter Foreman and then went to work at Cope Plastics, Inc.

On January 23, 1959, he married Mary Alice Warner and together they had two children, Dawn (Mark) Selvog and Tim (Lisa) Tungett. After the death of Mary, he married Silvia Happel and gained a son in that union, Holger (Chris Lamere-Happel) Happel. He was blessed with five grandchildren Alexandria Happel of Texas, Mary (Will) Werts of Iowa, Devin (Allison) Bettorf of Missouri, Thomas Tungett of Iowa and Austin (Carly Keshner) Selvog of Brighton. In addition, Jim has three great-grandchildren Aubreigh Elisabeth, William Behr and Adelaide Rosemarie Werts. He also leaves behind his buddies Tasso and Rambo.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Mary, his wife Silvia, his son Holger and his siblings Eleanor Well, Leroy and Jack Tungett.

He was a man of great conviction and faith. As one of Jehovah's Witnesses, he had great faith in his God Jehovah and enjoyed the deep friendships he held with the local congregations. Jim's favorite pastime and joy was mowing

and maintaining his finely manicured lawn.

Visitation will be from 1:00 p.m. until time of memorial service at 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 10, 2022 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton officiated by

Larry Kline. To access the service via zoom, [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82528](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82528373416)

373416 Meeting ID: 825 2837 3416 Memorials may be made to the

Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society (JW.org). Online guestbook and

information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 10. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home Inc
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002
(618) 466-5544
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Memorial Service

DEC 10. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jimmy Allen Tungett*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Jimmy Allen Tungett*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jimmy Allen Tungett.*



December 09, 2022 at 05:10 PM



“ *Jim's standard of living was strong ethics, fairness, thoughtfulness, caring, hard work, humerous, a poet, love of family and God, and shared that with all who knew him!*

Sherrie Happel - December 09, 2022 at 12:09 PM



“ *Patricia W. purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jimmy Allen Tungett.*



Patricia W. - December 09, 2022 at 11:19 AM

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“ *I cherish the poem Jim wrote about Carina.*

Betty - December 08, 2022 at 10:13 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Jimmy Allen Tungett.*



December 06, 2022 at 10:25 PM