



## James Thomaston Obituary

July 22, 1947 - May 12, 2007

Mr. James (Jim) Thomaston, 59, of Bradenton FL died Saturday May 12, 2007 at The Suites at Woodleaf in Thomasville, GA. A graveside funeral service will be held Wednesday 2:00PM at Riverside Cemetery. Rev. Allen Bingham officiating. A native of Albany Mr. Thomaston lived in Bradenton, FL the past 6 years. He retired from Chris Craft. He was a 1965 graduate of Albany High School and was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and the Coast Guard. He was of the Pentecostal faith. Survivors include a son Tim Thomaston, Dallas, TX; a sister Lisa Rushing and her husband (Ron), Thomasville, GA; his mother Marie Owens Thomaston, Albany; 2 nephews Clay Rushing and Christopher Rushing. The family is at the residence of Mrs. Marie Thomaston 200 Barfield Ave. Albany, GA 31701. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Odyssey Health Care 1001 Williams St. Valdosta, GA 31601.

# Tribute Wall



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“ *Jim you were truely a gentleman, not a day goes by that I don't think of you and remember how special you were to me and how lucky I was to have you in my life. I miss you! God Bless!*

**Connie Remscheid - Venice, FL - friend - April 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM**

SU

“ Uncle jim was a great uncle. I would try and walk like him, and i would call him uncle (nim) cause i could not say the j (sound)... I wish we would have stayed in touch. But he left and went and did good things....

*I miss you uncle (nim)*

*Zack huffman...*

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**stephen z huffman - suntree fl, FL - he was my uncle** - September 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Mrs Thomaston and lisa. I was very saddened to hear of Jim's passing. We were good friends in High School.

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**Tommy Milner** - May 20, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ I was blessed several years ago by Jim as both a friend and a co-worker at Wellcraft. He always had a way of making you smile when things just weren't right. He will be missed by everyone. My thoughts and prayers go out to his son Tim and the rest of his family

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**Kim Loenichen** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ I had the pleasure to work with Jim for several years. He became a great friend. A wonderful, warm good natured man to say the least. He'll be missed by anyone who had the pleasure to meet him.

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**Tim Reid** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ I had the pleasure of working with Jim at Monterey Boats. He always made time to listen and to help. He had a great attitude and a wonderful sense of humor. Please accept my condolences on your loss.

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**Susan Dean** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ Jim will be missed by many here at Chris-Craft!

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**Meghan** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. Jim was a good man.

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**Bobby Pita** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this difficult time.

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**Melinda Busiere** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Jim was a good friend for many years and will be missed.

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**Ken Corcoran** - May 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PJ

“ Jim & I worked at both Wellcraft and Monterey Boats. I thoroughly enjoyed my time with him. He had a great appreciation for Mother Nature and of course boats. I miss our deep technical discussions on how to improve the design and quality of the boats. He was warm, friendly and caring. Rest in peace, friend.

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**Peter Jones** - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Jim - you were the best! The love of life from a nautical point is something that only you could have taught me in the depths that you did. The "Jim Bouy" name will live on each and every time I start the boat we shared. You were my brother, my friend, and the man that drove me to be the person I am today. Thank you!! Please know you will always be in the hearts of me and my family for the rest of our lives. My children thought of you as an Uncle, and my Mom as a son. Please take care of my dad up there as he loved you too during his life. You were and always be a part of our family. Now find that ocean and cruise it! "Sail On Sailer, Sail On"

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**Tanya Morris** - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ I had the honor of not only working with Jim at Wellcraft, but we also became friends. What a great guy. He will be missed.

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**Gail Baldwin Langner** - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Jim will be missed as a friend to all with one of the biggest hearts you will ever find. You taught me a lot in my professional and personal life and I'm thankful for the opportunity to have met such a generous man. Rest in peace my friend.

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**Chad Gould** - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ Always ready to help a rookie out with a smile and no question was a dumb one. You are missed.

Steve Nicholson - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ It was wonderful to work with you and I will miss all the candy you would bring by my office.

Melissa "Schillinger" Najjar - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ Jim - Thank you for leaving your footprints on our paths. You'll always be remembered. Rest in peace.

Sandra Roth - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ He was a good man, & fun to work with. He will be missed.

Kay Davis - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ The memory of you will always be in our hearts

Kathy White - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Jim, You were a great asset to the boating industry with a brilliant mind and heart of gold. You will be missed.

Marsha Merrell - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ We will miss Jim. He helped us get our company on its feet and we are grateful.

Stephen F. Heese - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Rest in peace Jim. We miss you.

Cheryl - May 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ I am sorry for your lost, and you are are prayers.  
We lived in the neibor hood be hind you in the corner house next to the woods.

Rachel And Jess Cansler - May 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ Dear Aunt Marie,  
I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your son. It has been so long since I have seen you, but you have always been in my heart. Please know that you and Lisa and your entire family are in my thoughts and prayers. Always,  
Nicole Sweatland ( youngest daughter of Jim)

Nicole Sweatland - May 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Dearest Aunt Marie:  
It has been many years since we have seen each other, but I  
remember you with love! it is with great sadness that I have learned  
of the loss of your precious child. Please know that you & Lisa are in  
my thoughts and prayers. I remain  
Affectionately yours,  
Susan Sweatland*

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**Susan Sweatland** - May 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ *Aunt Marie and Lisa I'm so sorry for your loss. You are in our  
prayers and thoughts.  
Love Wanda,Dan, Stacy,Daniel and Amy.*

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**Wanda Gail** - May 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM