



James P. "Jim" Brozek

October 19, 1939 - September 18, 2019

NORFOLK -- Private family inurnment for James P. "Jim" Brozek, 79, of Norfolk will be held at a later date at the Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery in Norfolk. Jim died Wednesday, September 18, 2019 at his residence in Norfolk. Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of the arrangements.

James "Jim" Brozek was born on October 19, 1939 in Norfolk, to Victor and Cora (Schreiner) Brozek. Jim attended grade school in Battle Creek and graduated from Battle Creek High School in 1957. He's a native of Norfolk, NE.

Ever since Jim was a little boy, he was always curious and wanted to see the other side of the mountain. For almost 40 years, he lived in California and then 2 years in Maryland. He loved to travel far and wide. He visited European countries and loved to read books related to historical and civil war events. He married Teresita Mercado on November 11, 1990 in Las Vegas, Nevada. Jim moved back to Norfolk to retire and enjoy a simple living life. He was one of the first owners/distiller to build the first Licensed Distillery in the state of Nebraska. He perfected the Chase Vodka recipe which is still in the market today.

Jim had a brilliant mind and love of creating and tinkering with his hands. He did a lot of engineering work and computer business in California. He knew how to fix things whether it was mechanical, electrical, plumbing, crafts, and practical advice. He always had excellent ideas. Jim was a fine and funny gentleman and he will be missed by his family and friends. He's gone but will

remain in our hearts forever. Of course...he was a Cornhusker fan.

Jim is survived by his spouse Tess Brozek of Norfolk, son Brent of Norfolk, daughters Jane of Columbus, Jean of Columbus, stepson Jay of New Hampshire, sisters Joyce of Colorado, Jan of Colorado, grandchildren Katie, Merle, Mac, Devin, Emery, and Ethan.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister Jean.

Cards and condolences may be mailed to 1501 Homewood Dr., Norfolk, NE 68701.

Condolences may also be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com

Tribute Wall



“ *James P. "Jim" Brozek*

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