



## James DeRoeck

May 25, 1938 - July 15, 2023

NORWAY- James Louis DeRoeck age 85 of Norway, died Saturday, July 15, 2023 at Freeman Nursing and Rehabilitation Community in Kingsford, MI.

He was born on May 25, 1938 in Norway, the son of the late Louis and Mary (Vaerewyck) DeRoeck.

Jim graduated from Norway High School in 1957.

He served his country in the US Army, after he was honorably discharged Jim married GeorgeAnn Beaudette on September 3, 1960 in St. Mary's Church in Norway.

Jim is survived by his wife of 62 years GeorgeAnn; brother Robert DeRoeck of Norway; step-brother Jerry (Donna) VanGoethem; nephews Louis (Sue) DeRoeck, Robert (Candy) DeRoeck and Christopher (Lori) DeRoeck; and niece Denise (Sam) Underwood.

Family will greet friends on Tuesday, July 25 from 10-11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Norway.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church with Fr. Marty Flynn officiating.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Church  
401 Main Street  
Norway, MI 49870

## Memorial Mass

JUL **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Church  
401 Main Street  
Norway, MI 49870

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Paula M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James DeRoeck.*

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**Paula M.** - July 22, 2023 at 10:30 AM

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“ *Dear Georgeanne: I am so sorry to learn of Jim's death. I KNOW how much the both of you meant to Charlotte and Joe. I also know how much Jim and you have contributed to our church, St. Vincent's and the Lion's Club. Be assured that all of that has not gone unnoticed and also know that it has added a lot to the lives of the people around you.*

*Unfortunately, I am unable to attend the services for Jim but know that I will be with you in spirit and in prayer.....and I look forward to being able to continue to work with you at the "Shoppe" when things settle down!*

*Love,  
Connie*

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**C. Hallgren** - July 20, 2023 at 08:47 AM