



## James B. Pinard

July 7, 1938 - February 5, 2019

Ayer: James B. Pinard, 80, of Ayer, died Tuesday, February 5, 2019 at his home.

Mr. Pinard was born in Littleton, NH, July 7, 1938, a son of Aldona J. and Ruth V. (Brill) Pinard and has resided in Ayer for most of his life. He was a 1956 graduate of Ayer High School and continued his education at Worcester Trade School where his focus of education was automobile mechanic.

For 22 years Mr. Pinard worked as a firefighter at Fort Devens, retiring in 1994 at the rank of Captain.

He leaves his wife of 55 years, Judith A. (Guthrie) Pinard; three sons and daughters in law, James B. and Marie Pinard Jr. of Ayer, Mark A. and Kassie Pinard, Matthew J. and Laura Pinard all of Lunenburg; a daughter and son in law, Lisa M. and Eric Richard of Ayer; a sister, Ann Coughlin of Florida; nine grandchildren, James B. Pinard III, Joshua S. Pinard, Jillian Pinard, Benjamin Richard, Nicholas Richard, Elizabeth Pinard, Madison Pinard, Jonathan Pinard, Jake Pinard and three great grandchildren, James B. Pinard IV, Evan Pinard and Jaxson Pinard.

He was a communicant of St. Mary's Church in Ayer. He loved the days spent at his camp, Little Piece of Heaven in Whitefield, NH but most of all cherished

the time spent with his family.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 Am Monday, February 11, 2019 at St. Mary's Church, 31 Shirley Street, Ayer. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

Calling hours are 2-5 PM Sunday, February 10th at the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Rd. (Rte 2A) Ayer. Please see [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com) for additional information or to leave an on line condolence.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's Church, 31 Shirley St., Ayer, MA 01432.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Mary's Cemtery

Bishop Rd.  
Ayer, MA

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

FEB 10. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Ayer  
25 Fitchburg Road ~ Route 2A  
Ayer, MA 01432  
(978) 772-2355

## Funeral Mass

FEB 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Church  
31 Shirley Street  
Ayer, MA 01432

# Tribute Wall

AF

“ I remember Jim who was one year ahead of Judy and I who graduated in 1957. A very friendly guy but you had to be in Judys world. Belated regrets on his passing and hoping Judy is doing ok with that large family. Fond memories of a time long past. Art Shaw

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**Art Shaw. Orlando Florida** - July 27, 2021 at 10:18 PM

JC

“ I am just now seeing this of Jim’s passing and send my love and condolences to Judy and the entire family.Jim and my husband Joe Croteau went to high school together and had lots of fun times back then.He will be missed by many.He always had something funny to say when I met him in different places.A few years ago he and Judy surprised us at our new home in Pittsburg,NH and we had a nice visit,catching up on old times.May he Rest In Peace.

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**Jane Croteau** - March 01, 2019 at 08:31 AM

MJ

“ My sincere condolences to the Pinard family. Thoughts and prayers are with you. ~Marie (McPadden) Jenei~

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**Marie E. Jenei** - February 17, 2019 at 04:24 AM

TR

“ *Mr. Pinard, was one of the nicest people I ever knew, and it was obvious that he was loved by all. He'll be truly missed, but never be forgotten.*

*"When someone passes away it leaves a heartache no one can heal, but the love you have for him will leave a memory no one can take away."*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire Pinard Family during this difficult time.*

*Love,  
Terri Rollins & Family*

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**Terri Rollins** - February 12, 2019 at 11:28 AM

ET

“ *Mrs. P, Jim, Mark, Lisa, Matt. You husband, father was a great man. I have a lot of respect & love for him. He used to bust my chops every chance he got, but I gave it right back. Hold your families close. He will truly be missed. rest in peace "my friend" Bless you all. Ed Tibbetts*

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**Ed Tibbetts** - February 11, 2019 at 01:01 PM

DS

“ *Our condolences to the Pinard family. Love Dennis, Jackie & DJ Voorhies*



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**D&Js Services** - February 10, 2019 at 05:47 PM

DL

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Pinard family.  
From your friends at Capri Bakery*

Denise Lupoli - February 10, 2019 at 03:18 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of  
James B. Pinard.*



February 09, 2019 at 03:05 PM

TB

“ *Tom, Rebekah, Wyatt & Gianna Bingham  
purchased the European Sympathy Dish Garden  
for the family of James B. Pinard.*



Tom, Rebekah, Wyatt & Gianna Bingham - February 09, 2019  
at 09:41 AM

JJ

“ *Janet Gulotta & Doug Janssen purchased the Ro  
ses For Sympathy for the family of James B.  
Pinard.*



Janet Gulotta & Doug Janssen - February 08, 2019 at 04:41  
PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



February 08, 2019 at 12:19 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



February 08, 2019 at 11:13 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



February 08, 2019 at 10:26 AM



“ *My prayers, condolences, and love go out to the entire Pinard Family. True gems in the Town of Ayer and beyond.*

*"Grace, mercy, and peace from G\*D [Titus 1: 4]."*

*~ Steve Titus*



**Stephen Titus** - February 07, 2019 at 10:42 PM

JF

“ I will always remember my times with Captain Jim at Fort Devens. Condolences to all his family. Jim Fleck

Jim Fleck - February 07, 2019 at 06:55 PM

JC

“ Sue and I send you our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. I remember Jim as a fun loving happy person. Loved listening to all his stories. He was most proud of his family and happy that they were involved with the family business. God bless Jim, we'll miss him. John and Sue Croteau

John Croteau - February 07, 2019 at 04:34 PM

JC

“ Jean and I are so saddened by your loss. It truly is a great loss for Ayer too. We loved your dad. We will miss him as well. Our love and prayers are with your entire family. We love you all. Jean & Christine Coutu.

Jean & Christine Coutu - February 07, 2019 at 12:34 PM



“ Sincerest Sorrow - Blue and White was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.



February 07, 2019 at 08:29 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



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February 07, 2019 at 08:18 AM



“ *Dear Judy, My sincere condolences to you and your family. This must be a very sad loss for you , however, I believe your strong faith will help to comfort and strengthen you .Take care, Jean Keras*

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**Jean Keras** - February 06, 2019 at 05:07 PM



“ *Scott & Katie Burns purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of James B. Pinard.*



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**Scott & Katie Burns** - February 06, 2019 at 04:08 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Jim was a super guy and will be missed.*

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**Bill Oelfke** - February 06, 2019 at 03:30 PM

JA

“ *To the Family, I am so sorry for your loss. He was such a great man; R.I.P. Mr. Pinard*



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**Jerry & Paulette Aragones** - February 06, 2019 at 03:12 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



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February 06, 2019 at 02:29 PM

GN

“ *May God's peace and love comfort you all . We so enjoyed the fun , laughter, and kindness your Dad always brought to the conversation. What a wonderful , loving legacy your parents are leaving through all the children and beautiful family members. Love ,Glen and Nelle Anderson*

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**Glen and Nelle** - February 06, 2019 at 11:24 AM

BC

*Matt. So sorry to hear of your Dads' passing. Our thoughts are with you and your extended family.*  
*Bill & Colleen Cole*

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**Bill Cole** - February 06, 2019 at 08:34 PM

JM

*Dear Judy and family,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time. May he Rest-in-Peace and may God Bless All of You.*

*Jane Mita (Artist)*

**JANET E MITA** - February 07, 2019 at 07:24 AM



“ *Red & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



February 06, 2019 at 09:45 AM

KK

“ *Rest in Peace Big Jim. You will be missed.  
Keith and Cathy Keady*

**Keith Keady** - February 06, 2019 at 09:37 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about your Dad. I always enjoyed talking with him. Joe and Joanne Schmidt*

**Joseph Schmidt** - February 06, 2019 at 08:31 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of James B. Pinard.*



February 05, 2019 at 09:54 PM

PC

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Pinard Family - May you always hear Jim's booming laugh in your hearts to give you comfort

Pauline Conley - February 05, 2019 at 09:26 PM

TH

“ Big Jim was loved by many and respected by all. He could not hide it; he had a beautiful heart and he will be missed.

Tim Holland - February 05, 2019 at 08:23 PM

Frank Shultz

“ My sincere and deepest condolences to all of PINARD Family. My prayers are with all of you. I've known " BIG JIM (HOPO) " since I was 12 yrs. old. I was glad to have known him and call him a friend.



Frank Shultz - February 05, 2019 at 06:21 PM

TC

“ Our deepest condolences to the Pinard family. We are thinking of all of you.  
The Casto's

Tony Casto - February 05, 2019 at 04:00 PM

DI

“ *My dearest God Father, love you to the moon and back. I know it has been a very long journey but you are now at peace and will be missed. When you see Bob-e, please give him my love.*

*Your God Daughter,*

*Donna*

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**Donna lovinelli** - February 05, 2019 at 02:06 PM