



James Edward Loy

April 11, 1950 - May 20, 2025

James Edward Loy, 75, of Loysville Pennsylvania, passed away on May 20, 2025. Born on

April 11, 1950, he was a graduate of West Perry High School in 1968 and was a lifelong member

of Centre Presbyterian Church.

Jim was hard-working, dedicated, and a talented craftsman. Jim grew up on the family dairy farm

and after graduation began working for his uncle, Mort Loy, in construction around Perry County. Then, on June 26, 1976, Jim married Sue Neely, and they began their life's journey

together with a move to Pitman, NJ. Jim spent 33 years working as a Pipeliner and Welder starting at Woodbury station in New Jersey with Sohio Pipeline and BP Pipeline then finishing

his career at Buckeye Pipeline at Booth station in Pennsylvania. Throughout these years he made

a lot of great friends and memories. He always was willing to lend a hand and complete a job

while making friends and having a little fun. This positive attitude towards work and life is something he shared with his children. Despite his many responsibilities, he always made time

for his family. Jim and his special smile will be missed by his wife, children, and grandchildren.

After Jim retired, he moved with Sue to Loysville, PA where they grew up. Sue and Jim traveled

out West and on multiple bus trips. They also went on family vacations with Brian and Emily

and frequently visited their children and grandchildren.

Jim's hobbies and interests helped define who he was. He enjoyed woodworking, golfing, and

hunting, often spending his weekends calling in a gobbler or searching for a golf ball in the rough.

He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Sue (Neely) and sister Pat (Barnes) Millerstown and two children: Brian Loy (Elisabeth) of Fleetwood PA. and Emily (Loy) Bowen-Ashwin (Mike) of Pitman NJ; four grandchildren: Travis and Wylie Loy and Jake and Riley Bowen-Ashwin.

In addition to his parents, Dean and Martha, Jim is preceded in death by his brother, Robert Loy.

Memorial services for Jim will be held on Saturday, May 31, 2025, at Centre Presbyterian Church of Loysville; 3912 Freeman Hollow Rd. Loysville PA. Visitation will be at 10:00AM followed by the Memorial Service at 11:00AM.

Memorial donations may be made to either:

Centre Presbyterian Church, 3912 Freeman Hollow Road, Loysville, PA 17047

Neighbor Helping Neighbor Food Bank, 300A S Carlisle Street, New Bloomfield, PA 17068

Arrangements entrusted to Boyer Family Funeral Home, Inc.

We find comfort in knowing that Jim's legacy lives on through the lessons he taught us, the love

he shared, and the memories we will cherish forever.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Centre Presbyterian Church of Loysville
3912 Freeman Hollow Rd
Loysville, PA

Celebration of Life

MAY 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Boyer Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Edward Loy



Boyer Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc - May 28, 2025 at 12:39 PM

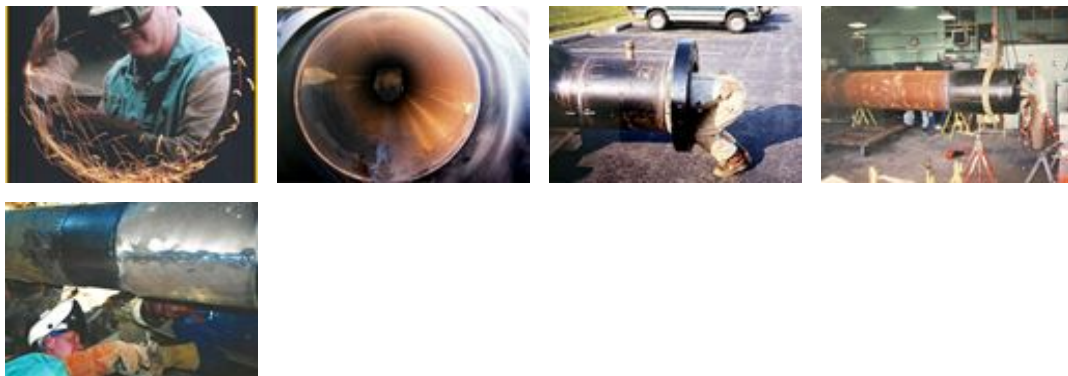
JS

“ Dear Sue, Brian, Emily and family-
So sorry to hear that Jim Passed.
I enjoyed working with Jim for years on the pipeline. It was a pleasure.
I remember Jim making items for the children when we had “bring your child to work days”.
He always kept family first.
Rest in Peace.
Sincerely,
Joe Sobieski.

joe sobieski - June 24, 2025 at 10:23 AM



“ 132 files added to the album LifeTributes



Boyer Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc - May 28, 2025 at 12:37 PM

CR

“ Cheryl, Lori and Robert Rak purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of James Edward Loy.



Cheryl, Lori and Robert Rak - May 27, 2025 at 08:24 PM

CR

“ Cheryl, Lori and Robert Rak planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Edward Loy.

Cheryl, Lori and Robert Rak - May 27, 2025 at 08:24 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Edward Loy.

May 27, 2025 at 11:16 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of James Edward Loy.



May 27, 2025 at 11:16 AM

BC

“ Brian and family our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Brad Crawford.

Brad Crawford - May 22, 2025 at 06:29 PM

BL

Thanks for thinking of us Brad. We appreciate it. Hope you and your family are doing well.

brian loy - May 22, 2025 at 08:06 PM

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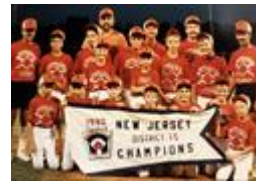
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sandy austin - May 22, 2025 at 04:07 PM

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“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



brian loy - May 22, 2025 at 03:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Edward Loy.

May 22, 2025 at 03:03 PM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Edward Loy.



May 22, 2025 at 03:03 PM

FF

“ From the entire Barfuss family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Edward Loy.

From the entire Barfuss family - May 22, 2025 at 11:16 AM

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“ From the entire Barfuss family purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of James Edward Loy.



From the entire Barfuss family - May 22, 2025 at 11:16 AM

JF

“ Joe and Sue Farrell purchased the Pretty Please for the family of James Edward Loy.



Joe and Sue Farrell - May 22, 2025 at 11:02 AM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Edward Loy.



May 22, 2025 at 10:58 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Edward Loy.

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brian loy - May 21, 2025 at 05:02 PM

PE

“ *The Loys, Neelys, and McMillens all grew up at Centre Presbyterian going to Sunday School and church together so it is hard now say goodbye to one of our own. He was a kind gentleman with a smile that radiated real joy. We will miss him. Our love and sympathies to his lovely family. Know that God will walk with you in these hard days ahead. Grace and Blessings, The McMillen sisters: Perrietta, Polly, Pam and Phyllis*

Polly Eby - May 21, 2025 at 03:36 PM

BL

Thank you Polly and Family. We appreciate your thoughts and prayers and hope you and your family is doing well.

brian loy - May 22, 2025 at 08:10 PM