



## James Elliott Dukes

May 14, 1924 - July 21, 2006

James E. Dukes passed away Friday, July 21, 2006 at the age of 82. Mr. Dukes proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII. He also worked and ultimately retired from Western Electric. James was a lifetime member of the Town & Country Optimist Club. He loved to fish and was made an honorary member of the Metro League of Bass Clubs. Mr. Dukes is preceded in death by his wife, Mary Ann Dukes. Survivors include 5 sons, John Dukes and wife Karen, Charles Dukes and wife Carrol, William Dukes and wife Lisa, Paul Dukes and wife Stacey and Zeke Dukes and wife Sandra. He also leaves behind several grandchildren, Donald, April Burns, Matthew, Janell McMullan, Johnathan, Rachel, James Neal, Larry Daley and Garrett Jones.

# Tribute Wall

PK

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you that God may give you strength and a sense of his loving presence in your time of loss.*

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**Pastor Anne Kolmeier** - July 24, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *James Elliott Dukes*

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**Jim Gilliam Western Electric Co.** - July 24, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *I just wanted say from the Dixon family we're very sorry to hear about your dad. He was a great man and he has some great kids.If there is anything ya'll need please fill free to contact us.Sorry i can't be there but ya'll will have our prayers. God Bless*

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**Rick Lee Dixon** - July 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *Paul,Billy,Zeke,John & Charlie! I am truely sorry on the passing of your dad! He was a great man. I still remember all of the old times we all had. If there is anything my family are i can do, please let one of us know! Once again, sorry!*

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**Randy Dixon** - July 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM

R.

“ TO JIMMIE'S FAMILY:  
I WAS VERY SORRY TO HEAR OF JIMMIE'S PASSING.  
WE FIRST MET IN LAREDO, TEXAS IN SEPTEMBER 1951, ON  
THE DIAL INSTALLATION THERE. JIM HAD A JAMES  
MOTORCYCLE WHICH HE RODE TO WORK ON.  
HE WAS A PRACTICAL JOKER AND WAS ALWAYS A BARREL  
OF

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**R.H.** - July 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Dear John, Billy, Paul, Charlie, and Zeke, You may remember us  
from Gethsemane Lutheran Church. Your Mom and Dad were very  
special people, and we're praying for you and your families as you  
now grieve your Dad's death. We live in Minnesota now because

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**Rev. Raymond W. and Mary Anna Durst** - July 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM

WV

“ Charlie & Carol,  
You have our deepest condolences. We will be unable to attend the  
services but our thoughts and prayers will be with you and your  
family.

*Love, Ila Rae & Walter*

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**Walter & Ila Rae Veselka** - July 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Very sad to see the obituary. He was a great man and will be sorely  
missed. Gary

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**Gary Schaub** - July 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM