



James F Mulligan

June 26, 1927 - January 10, 2022

James Mulligan, 94, of Carneys Point passed away on January 10, 2022; husband of the late Katherine Grace (née Knapp) Mulligan. Born in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, James was the son of Michael M. & Gertrude A. (née Barnecut) Mulligan. James joined the U.S. Army in 1946, serving in Japan after their surrender of World War II. Later on in life, James became an educator for the Woodstown School District, he taught at the high school and middle school for 25 years. Along with being an educator, James worked for the Resorts Casino.

James was a dedicated husband, father, and grandfather. He enjoyed watching the Philadelphia Sports games, the Eagles and the Phillies, with all nineteen of his loving grandchildren. James was an avid horse racing fan, an active member of the St. Gabriel's Parish, and had a love for being in the outdoors.

Remembered lovingly by his sons Michael M. Mulligan (Katie) and Timothy T. Mulligan (Suncha); his daughters Patricia M. Mulligan, Katherine G. Mulligan Huynh (Trac), Mary Marjorie Elliot (Mark); his daughter in-law Lisa G. Mulligan, his sister in-laws Penny Mulligan, Judy Lambert, Elma Knapp, and Betty Haggerty; and his nineteen grandchildren.

James was preceded by his wife Katherine Grace (née Knapp) Mulligan; his

son James (Jesse) F. Mulligan; his parents Michael M. & Gertrude A. Mulligan; his brothers Michael M. Mulligan and Thomas Mulligan; his sisters Alice M. Mulligan and Patricia A. Mulligan.

Services will be held on Saturday, January 15, 2022 at St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish, Corpus Christi Church. Viewing will be held in the Parish Hall from 10:00AM – 11:00AM. Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00AM in the Church.

Internment in All Saints Cemetery, Wilmington Delaware on Tuesday, January 18, 2022 at 12 noon.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish, Corpus Christi Church
www.staintgaberialarchangel.org

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Corpus Christi
369 Georgetown Rd
Carney's Point, NJ 08069

Mass

JAN 15. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

Corpus Christi
369 Georgetown Rd
Carney's Point, NJ 08069

Internment

JAN 18. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (ET)

All Saints Cemetery
6001 Kirkwood Hwy
Wilmington, DE 19808

Tribute Wall

JM

“ As a teen-ager I was as close to the wonderful Mulligan family as I was to my own family.

Jimmy was like a brother to me. When he decided to discontinue his studies

toward the priest hood, for some months he lived with his parents at Charles Street.

During that time, we were inseparable, and hunted together constantly, joined on the weekends by Michael and Tom. Among other things, we had had fabulous pheasant hunting around Washingtonville and Strawberry Ridge with Mike's English Setter, Punky,

one of the best bird dogs I have ever seen. (I got one of her pups and have kept the line going for over 50-years. I now have two of her direct decedents, and they are both great hunters. Here is one of them at a year old.

Jimmy never did anything halfway--He put his all into everything he did, like playing 5 sets of vigorous tennis with me, and then running 5 miles (twice around the lake) to get even more exercise. He was a human dynamo!! And it wasn't enough just to become a priest; he felt compelled to join the Trappists, one of the strictest and most demanding orders of all. But when he decided (wisely I think) that it was not a good match for him, he pulled out and went back to Charles Street to "regroup." I said to him one day when we were hunting in Glen Summit, "What are you going to do now, Jimmy." Without a moment's hesitation he responded, "I am going to find a really good woman, hope she will marry me, and have a bunch of children. The rest, as they say, is history.

I continue to cherish the many fond memories I have of Jimmy and send my love and sympathy to his entire family. He was a unique and wonderful man with a generous heart and a loving nature,

John Magagna





John Magagna - January 30, 2022 at 03:10 PM

LS

“ So sorry for your loss Mulligan family.

I share one of my favorite childhood memories often - All of the neighborhood kids would jump in the Mulligan station wagon & Mr. Mulligan would take the gang to the Phillies game. We would enjoy the game in our bleacher seats cheering for the Phillies.

Thank you for those great childhood memories Mr. Mulligan !

*Sincerely,
Lisa Szymanski*

Lisa Szymanski - January 20, 2022 at 11:39 AM

B'

“ *I had Mr. Mulligan as my latin 1 & 2 teacher at WHS. He made it come alive and fun to learn. For the past 65 years, I think of him every time I encounter a latin phrase while reading. I can still see his face and smile, hear his voice. Mr. Mulligan was an exemplary teacher and my life was richer as a result of his tutelage. RIP, Mr. Mulliganyou had an impact, you made a difference, you will be missed. Thank you for being a wonderful teacher.*

Barry Johnson, WHS Class of '65 - January 16, 2022 at 10:42 AM

PM

Thank you so much for kind words.

Patty Mulligan - January 18, 2022 at 10:17 AM

CN

“ I had both Mr & Mrs Mulligan as teachers - she in first grade in Alloway and him in 10th grade at Woodstown. I am sorry to hear of Mr Mulligan's passing. He was a very kind man who I recall having many laughs with in class.

Correinne Homan Newman - January 16, 2022 at 09:04 AM

GR

“ Mr. Mulligan was a teacher with a great heart. I took Latin for 3 years at Woodstown High School, was President of the Latin Honor Society, and an avid fan of his classes and field trips. I will never forget him. Rest in Peace.

Gary Reese - January 16, 2022 at 07:32 AM

LO

“ He was one of my favorite teachers in high school. I took 4 years of Latin just because I loved him so much. May he Rest In Peace.

Lynette ODonnell - January 16, 2022 at 02:09 AM

ED

“ Mr. Mulligan was my English teacher and my Latin teacher. I could not have had a better one ! He was also my Study Hall Proctor in my senior year. Mr. Mulligan was very nice and had a sense of humor and I surely respected him. I am so sorry to hear that he has passed. I have never forgotten him and, infact, had just shared some memories of my times in class with him to my co-workers. I am Class of 1964. My deepest Sympathy to the family and prayers for all. He was a wonderful teacher that made learning fun.

Ellen Keen Dillon

Ellen Keen Dillon - January 15, 2022 at 11:57 PM

PR

“ I LOVED that man and his classes. Latin was my favorite subject and he made it fun! R.I.P. - Peggy Basco Rabenold

Peggy Rabenold - January 15, 2022 at 09:48 PM

BG

“ Will miss his beautiful smile and friendly wave as I pull out of my driveway. My sincere condolences to the entire family.

Betty Joy Greer - January 15, 2022 at 12:39 PM

BK

“ Really enjoyed interacting with Jim while walking around the neighborhood until his health prevented him from getting out like he used to. Our sincere sympathy to his family, Patty, Mike, and all of the family.....Bob & Margaret Kille

Bob & Margaret Kille - January 13, 2022 at 11:56 AM

CM

“ Thank you Poppy for being a kind and loving person. I am proud to have you as grandfather. One of our most recent memories is when I cam over the house to watch the Phillies play the Mets. During that game we saw history when Aaron Nola threw the most strike outs in a row in MLB history. While watching that game, we shared many laughs and stories. I will miss those days with you greatly. However, I know you are in a better place now. Please say hi to Grammy and dad for me.

Corey Mulligan - January 13, 2022 at 08:55 AM

CL

“ Corey, Leigh, Jesse, & Lisa purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James F Mulligan.



Corey, Leigh, Jesse, & Lisa - January 13, 2022 at 08:32 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James F Mulligan.



January 12, 2022 at 10:28 PM

BH

“ Jim loved his wife, kids and grandkids. He was a kind caring man who treated everyone with respect. He was like a second father to me and I love him and will miss him. A great consolation is that he's with the love of his life Kitty.

Betty Haggerty - January 12, 2022 at 10:08 PM

SM

“ Requiesscat in pace, Mr Mulligan!

Sally Maurer - January 12, 2022 at 07:04 PM