



## Dr. James Albert Buckenmyer

November 11, 1932 - June 1, 2022

Dr. James Albert Buckenmyer, 89, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, passed away Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at St. Francis Medical Center.

He was born November 11, 1932 in Toledo, Ohio to Albert John and Marcia Philominea (Tremmel) Buckenmyer. He attended Central Catholic High School in Toledo, OH, graduating in 1950. He subsequently graduated from University of Notre Dame in 1954, with a degree in Business.

James proudly served in the Army from 1954-1956. He attended Washington University in St. Louis, MO in the early 1960's, and received his Doctorate degree (Doctor of Business Administration) from there in 1970.

Dr. Buckenmyer was Dean of the College of Business at Southeast Missouri State University for several years and a professor of management there. He helped start the SEMO Extension campus and was the first director of the Bootheel Education Center in Malden. James was a member/mentor of SCORE (Service Core of Retired Executives). He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church.

He is survived by five children, Marcia B. Freeborg of Jackson, Missouri, James W. Buckenmyer of Friendsville, Tennessee; Daniel Martin (Terra) Buckenmyer of Jackson, Missouri, Regina M. Buckenmyer of Cape Girardeau,

Jacob A. Buckenmyer of Valencia, California; sister-in-law, Marcia Buckenmyer of Bowling Green, Ohio; 7 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren; 5 nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Charles Allen and John Joseph Buckenmyer.

Visitation will be Sunday, June 5, 2022 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel. Funeral Mass will be Monday, June 6, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. with Father Alex Sutachan officiating. Burial with full military honors will be Wednesday, June 8th at 10:00 a.m. at Calvary Cemetery in Toledo, Ohio. Memorial contributions may be given to Catholic Charities.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

2224 Dorr Street  
Toledo, OH 43607

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

## Funeral Mass

JUN 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church  
1919 Ritter Dr.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

# Tribute Wall

RL

“ I graduated with Jim from Notre Dame and always enjoyed his constant lighthearted banner. Since I lived in South Bend he came to Sunday dinners often and knew my whole family. He was a good friend.

Robert Lundquist - June 09, 2022 at 05:37 PM

DB

Thank you for your comment. Dad did mention that he used to go to dinners at a friend's house. I would assume that was you. Hope you are doing well.

Daniel Buckenmyer - July 05, 2022 at 03:40 PM

JB

“ Jim was devoted to a life of service. I worked with him through SCORE and ACE, and experienced his can-do attitude and his ever-present desire to be of assistance to others. The Southeast Missouri region will surely miss his presence. RIP, Jim

John Barham - June 04, 2022 at 04:16 PM

DB

John, our dad really enjoyed his work with SCORE and ACE. He loved mentoring people with their businesses. Thanks for posting here.

Daniel Buckenmyer - July 05, 2022 at 03:41 PM

TW

“ Teri Dempster and Andrew Dempster Welter purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Dr. James Albert Buckenmyer.



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**Teri Dempster and Andrew Dempster Welter** - June 04, 2022  
at 12:59 PM

JS

“ It was my privilege to work with Jim Buckenmeyer at Semo for many years! He was always kind and easy to be around and work with! He took Homecoming seriously! I am happy to remember his laugh!

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**jane Cooper Stacy** - June 04, 2022 at 10:42 AM

LF

*Linda Farrow (mamaw)  
Jacob-so sorry about ur dad. Miss u.*

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**linda farrow** - June 07, 2022 at 01:55 AM

DB

*Thank you Jane. I think he was most proud of being dean at SEMO.*

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**Daniel Buckenmyer** - July 05, 2022 at 03:46 PM

RO

*Jim had a great personality. If you are near Mansfield, Ohio make yourself known. I would enjoy meeting you.*

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**Robert** - July 19, 2022 at 09:07 PM

RO

*We both went through a management program at General Motors in Defiance, Ohio and worked there for awhile and lived in a duplex rental side by side for 6 months.*

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**Robert** - July 19, 2022 at 09:17 PM