



## James Kovach

July 26, 2025

James D. Kovach, age 82, of Monroeville, passed away on Saturday, July 26th, 2025. Beloved husband of the late Colleen S. (Murphy) Kovach; Loving father and hero of Bryan D.(Julie) Kovach, James D. (Sue) Kovach Jr., and Susan Kovach; Loving Grandfather of Ariel, Marissa, Megan, Jordan, Bethany, Elijah, Nathaniel, David, Dexter and Deklon; Loving Great Grandfather to Casey, Ely, Addy, Nellie, Levi, Magnolia and Amadeo; Son of the late Rose (Orosz) and John Kovach; Brother of Robert Kovach, and the late William Kovach, Rose (Kovach) Kelmeckis, Edward Kovach, John Kovach and Voila (Kovach) Barbour. Friend to all who knew him. James served in the US Army. Family and friends will be received on Thursday, July 31, 2025, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. at the GENE H. CORL FUNERAL CHAPEL INC. AND CREMATION SERVICES OF MONROEVILLE, 4335 Northern Pike (412-372-2100). A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 1, 2025, at Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish at St. Bernadette Church. Interment will follow at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery with military honors.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

1443 Lincoln Highway  
North Versailles, PA 15137

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Gene H. Corl Funeral Chapel Inc.  
4335 Northern Pike  
Monroeville, PA 15146  
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## Visitation

JUL 31. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## **Mass of Christian Burial**

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**AUG 1. 10:00 AM (ET)**

Christ the Divine Shepherd Parish at St. Bernadette Church  
245 Azalea Drive  
Monroeville, PA 15146

# Tribute Wall

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“ I only met Jim and Colleen a couple of times but I knew them well because of my granddaughter Megan who loved them with her whole heart. She knew them to be exceptional grandparents who loved her and cared for her.

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**Marilyn Burkman** - July 31, 2025 at 12:07 AM

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“ The mold was broken after my dad was made. Ever so humble, he had no idea how great he was or the impact he made. He is the first man I ever loved and the best man I'll ever know. I love you dad!

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**Susan Kovach** - July 30, 2025 at 07:27 PM