



## James V. Barone

November 11, 1960 - October 29, 2018

James Vincent Barone, died peacefully at Yale-New Haven Hospital on October 29 after a long illness. He was predeceased by his parents, Carl and Margaret (Betty) Barone. He leaves behind many family members and friends who loved him, among them his daughter Alicia Barone (Mike Mendes, fiancé) and grandson Tyler Mendes of Meriden; siblings Meg Barone of Hamden, Carl (Maureen) Barone of Trumbull, William Barone of Hamden, Timothy Barone of North Haven, and Mary Kate (Bruce) Spainhour of Alexandria, Virginia; nieces Kaitlin Barone, Jayce Barone, Maryna Barone, and nephew Gioncarlo Barone.

A lifelong resident of Hamden, he built boats – some of which competed in the Olympics . He also worked at Yale University as a telecomm technician, and at Payne Whitney Gym. He enjoyed participating in many sports including baseball, hockey, and skiing, and he was involved with adult softball teams for the Leitrim House and Playwright. Throughout his life he enjoyed painting and drawing, a hobby that he honed during a lengthy stay at Gaylord Hospital. He was most proud of his work with actors Adam Sandler, Chris Rock and Steve Buscemi in the Netflix film “The Week Of” in which he played the role of Uncle Seymour.

Calling hours at Sisk Brothers Funeral Home, 3105 Whitney Ave., Hamden on Friday, November 2, 5-8 pm. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Rita Church, 1620 Whitney Ave., Hamden at 10 am on Saturday, November 3. Burial will be private

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to Gaylord Hospital, 50 Gaylord Farm Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492. [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com)



# Events

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**NOV** **Calling hours** 05:00PM - 08:00PM  
**2**  
Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave., Hamden, CT, US, 06518

**NOV** **Funeral service** 10:00AM  
**3**  
St. Rita Church  
1620 Whitney Ave., Hamden, CT, US

# Comments

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“ Sincere condolences to all who loved Jim. I went to high school with Jim and worked with Bill years ago. I have such fond memories of him. Deepest sympathies to his family.

Anne Vece-Rohrberg

Anne Rohrberg - November 05, 2018 at 04:58 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. I met Jim at Gaylord Hospital in the Creative Expressions painting group. He was a talented artist and had a good rapport with the members of the group. Despite his problems, he had a good attitude and was always willing to help people. We were so proud of him when he landed the part of Uncle Seymour in the Adam Sandler movie. The members of the group even attended the movie debut at Gaylord. He was so happy! I will always keep that memory with me. I hope that you can do the same, remember the good times, it will help you get through this difficult time. God bless! Maureen Mayo

maureen mayo - November 03, 2018 at 09:01 PM

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“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of James V. Barone.



November 02, 2018 at 03:53 PM

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“ To Billy Barone and the Barone family. I am so sorry for the passing of your brother James. My prayers go out to the family and he is in Gods hands. Kathleen Causgrove-Flanagan.

Kathleen Flanagan - November 02, 2018 at 11:29 AM

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“ To Jim's family and friends- I am an old friend from the Country Club Grill days, when we were all so much younger, who only recently re-connected with Jim on Facebook. He was certainly one of the funniest people I knew and I was glad to see him have some success with the film and his comedy. I am saddened by his passing and sorry I cannot be at the service Friday. I wanted to share my good memories of Jim and express my condolences to all of you. Steve Thomas

**Steve Thomas** - November 01, 2018 at 09:25 PM

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“ On behalf of Elizabeth (Betty Moore) Cronk: She and the entire Cronk family offer our deepest sympathies to the family, loved ones, and friends of James on his passing. May God comfort all in this time of sorrow and may James find peace in the house of our Lord.

**Jay Cronk** - October 31, 2018 at 10:14 PM

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“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of James V. Barone.



October 31, 2018 at 09:16 PM

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“ Uncle Tom and all the Moore's purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James V. Barone.



**Uncle Tom and all the Moore's** - October 30, 2018 at 06:59 PM