



## James J. Sandillo

February 14, 1930 - April 14, 2025

In New Haven, April 14, 2025 James J. Sandillo 95, of Hamden. Husband of the late Jayne Fiengo Sandillo. Loving father of Edward Grund Jr. (Carol Ann) of E. Lyme, Sheryl Weber of Prospect, Jayne Palley of Somerset, NJ and Sandra Pallotto (Anthony) of East Haven. Long time loving companion of Irene Melotto of Hamden. Also survived by his cherished grandchildren Jennifer Grund, Edward Grund, III (Mary), Joseph DellaSelva (Colleen), Ashley Kataja (Michael), Parker Weber (Rosetta), Gabrielle Goldstein (Adam), Nikki Pallotto, Dillion Pallotto, great granddaughters Sydney and Alexa Grund and Bridger Weber and great grandsons JD and Dillon DellaSelva, his niece Sheila Apicella (Gil) and their daughters Sheila and Denise, and nephews John Finkle, III (Catherine) and James Finkle (Katherine) and many Grand and Great nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his wife, sisters Alice Sandillo and Lucille Finkle. Mr. Sandillo was born in New Haven, CT, February 14, 1930, son of the late James and Emma Sandillo. James proudly served his Country during the Korean War with the U.S. Airforce. Prior to his retirement he was a truck driver for the Teamsters. He was a member of the American Legion and Elks Club both in Hamden. His funeral will Leave Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden Thursday at 10:30 a.m., Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church. Burial in All Saints Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions to St. Jude's Children's Hospital 501 St. Jude Pl., Memphis, TN 38105 or to Wounded Warriors Project P.O. Box 758516.

Topeka, Kansas 66675-8516. To leave an online condolence please visit [www.siskbrothers.com](http://www.siskbrothers.com)

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

700 Middletown Ave.  
North Haven, CT

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 24. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home  
3105 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT 06518  
(203) 288-7114  
[siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net](mailto:siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net)

## Funeral Mass

APR 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church  
2819 Whitney Ave.  
Hamden, CT

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jim was a wonderful neighbor and dear friend. I will miss him.*  
*Nancy Charest*

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**Nancy Charest** - April 24, 2025 at 08:29 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James J. Sandillo.*

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April 17, 2025 at 02:22 PM



“ *Jim, you were God's gift to everyone who had the honor of knowing you. We were truly blessed to have you in our lives. We know you are with Jesus.*  
*You will forever be in our hearts. Love you so very much.*  
*Bob & Adele*

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**Adele Barnabei** - April 17, 2025 at 10:58 AM