



James "Jim" Franklin Anselmi

August 2, 1945 - February 17, 2025

James "Jim" Franklin Anselmi, 79 of Bradford, departed this life on Monday, February 17, 2025, at his home surrounded by his loving wife and children. He was born in Bradford, Arkansas on August 2, 1945, to George and Nora (Prysock) Anselmi.

He spent his life working as a mechanic, farming in the fields and working cattle. Jim enjoyed deer hunting and being outdoors. He and his wife spent many weekends going junking and to yard sales. He always had to be the "Boss" at no matter what he was doing. In his later years he was introduced to YouTube and his family says, "he liked it a lot". Jim loved his family and his life. He served as a Fireman on the Bradford Volunteer Fire Department for over 25 years. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Those who preceded him in death are his parents; brother, Raymond Anselmi; sister, Betty Bramlett.

Jim is survived by his loving wife, Mary Jane (Huff) Anselmi, as well as his children, Greg Anselmi (Peggy), Dennis Anselmi (Rhonda), Jamie Anselmi (Amanda), Teresa Sharum (Robert) and Knoba Crowder; 19 grandchildren; 35 great grandchildren and 2 on the way; 2 great-great grandchildren; sister, Peggy Falconer; brother-in-law, Kagle Huff; his beloved dog, Pooh.

The Visitation will be from 1pm-2pm, followed by the Funeral service, beginning at 2pm. Both are being held on Sunday, February 23, 2025, at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel of Bradford. Bro. Shane Blevins will be

officiating and those honored to be pallbearers are his fellow Firefighters, Steven Sexton, Cody Metcalf, Dennis Whitener, Donald Sweeney, Bill Fies and Nick Bright. Interment will follow at Coffeyville cemetery, Bradford, Arkansas. Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Bradford.

Cemetery Details

Coffeyville Cemetery

Bradford, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 23. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Bradford, AR 72020
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Funeral Service

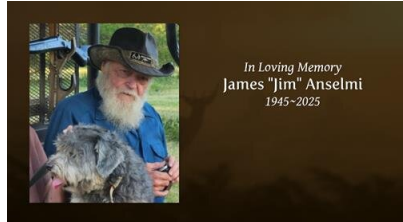
FEB 23. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of James "Jim" Franklin Anselmi



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - February 22, 2025 at 06:10 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you



karen Conway wallace - February 20, 2025 at 07:27 PM

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“ Family; Jim was one of a kind as you well know i always felt like we were close but not as close as some of our classmates. Never the less i respected him and felt like we were bonded. Always Johnny & Mary Hodges

Johnny & Mary Hodges - February 19, 2025 at 06:37 PM