

James Dwight Dunlap

Dunlap, James Dwight Brighton, MI Age 58, died on Monday, September 26, 2005, after a brief illness. He was born on April 8, 1947, in Ann Arbor, the son of Helen (Ziefle) and A. Dwight Dunlap. Jim graduated from Ann Arbor High School in 1965 and briefly attended community college in Traverse City. In 1967, he joined the US Army. On March 25, 1968, he was wounded in Vietnam and received the Army Commendation Medal for Heroism and the Purple Heart Medal. Jim received his Bachelors and Masters degrees from U of M (School of Natural Resources). He worked for many years at Arbor Springs Water Company and Hometown Newspapers. He was also a part time home builder, building several homes in the Ann Arbor/Dexter area. Jim was a member of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Livingston County, mentoring two boys. He was honored as Big Brother of the Year 2005. He also served as a member on the Board of Brighton District Library. He is survived by two brothers, Bill (Diane) of Saline and Grant of Ann Arbor. Jim was a beloved uncle to two nieces, Dana (David) Kendzicky, Mary (Jeff) Sankiewicz; three nephews Steve (Terry), Bob (Jennifer) and Mike (Laura) Dunlap; three grand nieces and ten grand nephews. In lieu of flowers Memorial Contributions may be directed to Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Livingston County, 1004 Pinckney, Howell, MI 48843 or Arbor Hospice, 2366 Oak Valley Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48103. The family will receive visitors at the Muehlig Funeral Chapel (734-663-3375) on Friday, September 30 from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. with a Memorial Service at 7:30 p.m.

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