



James R. Montgomery

July 26, 1933 - February 18, 2019

James R. Montgomery, age 85, born July 26, 1933 from Johnstown, Ohio, passed on Feb. 19, 2019. Predeceased by parents, James Meyers Montgomery and Dorothy (Barcus) Montgomery; brother, William Montgomery; nephew, Ben Montgomery. Survived by wife, Leonore "Lee" (Freshwater) Montgomery; children, Mark (Patty) Montgomery and Juli (Robert) Knecht; grandchildren, Ryan (Penny) Montgomery, Andrew Montgomery, Cassidy (Brett) Knecht, Zachary (Kelcey) Knecht, James Joseph Knecht, Bailey Knecht, Chaz Knecht; great-grandsons, Weston Charles Snyder and Rowan James Snyder; sister-in-law, Jeanne Montgomery; nieces and nephews, Victoria Dutcher, Charles Dutcher, Steve (Ann) Montgomery, Cindy (William) Rogers. Jim graduated from Johnstown Monroe High School. Then attended Ohio University on an athletic scholarship. He served in the United States Infantry at Fort Benning, Georgia. Jim was a life insurance agent for 35 years with Western & Southern Life Insurance Company. Jim was inducted to the Johnstown Athletic Hall of Fame in 2016. He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church, Bexley, Ohio. A gathering for friends and family will take place at 10am followed by an 11am service at Christ Lutheran Church, 2314 East Main Street, Bexley, Ohio 43209 on Saturday, February 23, 2019. Day Funeral Service is honored to serve the family of James R. Montgomery.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Christ Lutheran Church
2314 East Main Street
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Service

FEB **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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