



# James A. "Jim" Freeland

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## **James A. "Jim" Freeland**

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**J**ames A. "Jim" Freeland, age 68. of China Twp., passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his loving family.

He was born January 4, 1957 in St. Clair to the late Clifford and Alberta Freeland.

He married Nancy Brinker on August 3, 1979 in St. Clair. She preceded him in death on November 26, 2021.

He retired from the St. Clair County Road Commission in 2010 after over 27 years of service.

After work you could find Jim working on cars in his pole barn. He also helped build many pole barns in the area.

He was a jack of all trades and willing to always help his family and friends.

His favorite past time was spent out on the golf course.

He also enjoyed spending time at the family's cabin up north.

Most of all he cherished his time spent with his kids and grandkids.

He is survived by his children; Jimmy Freeland (Emily Askew), Jessica (Steve) Schroeder, Jennifer (Duran) Moran, Joshua Freeland and Julie Freeland.

He is also survived by his grandchildren; Briley, Brayden, Walker, Weston, Michael, Cameron, Carson, and Audrey, his sister; Penny Malcolm, brother in-law; Ed Stoutenburg, sister in-law; Lori Freeland, brothers in-law; Michael (Ida) Brinker, Kevin Brinker and sister in-law; Mary (Eugene) Mayhew, along with many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.



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He was preceded in death by his grandson; James Albert Freeland III, siblings; Judy Stoutenburg, Ann (Don) Whittaker, Cliff Freeland, Ross Freeland and brother in-law; Richard Malcolm.

Funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, September 19 at Young Funeral Home, China Twp.

Visiting hours will be Thursday from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Friday one hour prior to the service.

Memorials are suggested to family wishes.

To leave the family a message of comfort please visit: [www.colonialchapel.com](http://www.colonialchapel.com)



# Events

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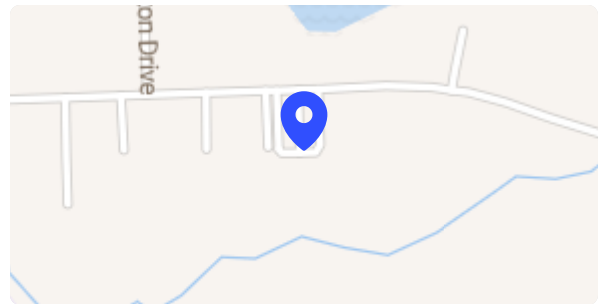
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## Visitation

**Thursday**, September 18, 2025

2:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

**Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home, Inc.**  
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI 48054



## Visitation

**Friday**, September 19, 2025

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

**Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home**  
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI

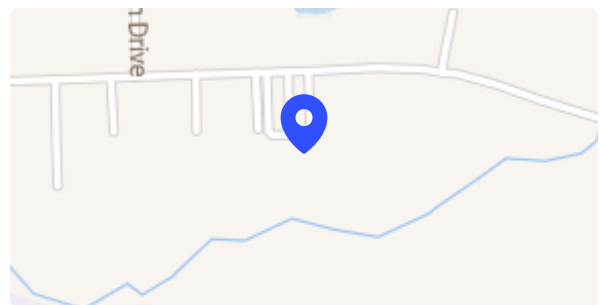


## Funeral Service

**Friday**, September 19, 2025

11:00 AM ET

**Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home**  
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI



## Cemetery Details

Cremation



## Tribute Wall

**James A. "Jim" Freeland**

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**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Freeland family.

September 18 at 5:27 PM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.

September 18 at 5:27 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Freeland family.

September 18 at 6:34 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.

September 18 at 6:34 AM



**Kelly Ann** posted:

A good, kind man who will be missed.

September 17 at 5:23 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Freeland family.

September 17 at 7:51 AM





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**Anonymous** sent a Basket of Memories to the Freeland family.

September 17 at 7:46 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.

September 17 at 7:46 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Freeland family.

September 15 at 11:03 AM



JO

**Jerry & Mary Osterland** posted:

Always a good time with Jim and Nancy at Autofest in Frankenmuth for many years. Memories of Jim grilling hot dogs for lunch at the park where our cars were parked to be viewed. We always had good conversation and lots of laughs. Jim was the life of the party. He will be missed by many. Rest in Peace Jim, now you and Nancy are together once again. Jerry & Mary Osterland

September 15 at 3:19 AM



WS

**With Love, The Genshow'S** sent an Arrive in Style to the Freeland family.

September 14 at 5:21 PM



VK

**Vicki Kerszykowski** lit a candle in honor of James.

September 14 at 4:10 PM





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**Anonymous** planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of James.



September 14 at 4:08 PM



**Nancy Beaudua** lit a candle in honor of James.



September 14 at 4:01 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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