



Mr. James "Jim" W. Suggs

April 16, 1931 - April 25, 2026

James W. (Jim) Suggs, 95, passed away peacefully on April 25 , 2026 at Cottingham Hospice House in Seneca, SC.

Born in Nashville, TN on April 16, 1931, Jim was the son of the late Joel D. and Maggie Suggs. A graduate of Vanderbilt University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Jim was a veteran of the Tennessee Air National Guard. He had a long career with General Electric and Black and Veatch Engineering. He was a faithful member of Walhalla Presbyterian Church. In addition to his family and his church, he had a lifelong love of flying, and he was able to accomplish his dream of obtaining his pilot's license after his retirement.

Jim was predeceased by his beloved wife Carolyn after 63 years of marriage. He is survived by his son: James Jr. (Mary Ann) of Salem, SC; his daughter: Lyn of South

Portland, ME.; grandchildren: Laura Strickland (Ryan), Dana Voorhees (Dan), Kalie Gottler (Drew), and Zachary Edwards (Kayla Rose); and great-grandchildren: Tyler, Carter, and Kora Gottler, Greyson and Holden Strickland, and Henry Voorhees.

The family wishes to thank the staffs at The Residences at Park Place, Oconee Memorial Hospital, and Cottingham House for all their excellent care of Jim.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, May 2, 2026 at Walhalla Presbyterian Church. A private interment will take place.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial gifts be made to Oconee Memorial Hospital Foundation, designated to the Hospice of the Foothills. Donations may be mailed to OMH Foundation, 298 Memorial Drive, Seneca, SC 29672.

The family is at their respective homes.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Walhalla Presbyterian Church

600 East Main Street

Walhalla, SC 29691

<https://sites.google.com/site/walhallapresbyterianchurch/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *Melanie Sanford lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Jim" W. Suggs*



Melanie Sanford - May 02 at 05:27 PM

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“ *Sympathy to the family of Mr. Jim Suggs. What a fine Christian man he was! He is reunited with his lovely wife, Carolyn, and has a new body in Christ. May God provide comfort and peace for his family.*



Susan D. Neal - May 02 at 04:11 AM

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“ *Shun lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Jim" W. Suggs*



Shun - April 29 at 11:28 PM