



## Mr. James P. Webster Jr.

June 9, 1931 - April 21, 2024

James P. Webster, Jr. (J.P.) June 9, 1931-April 21, 2024

JP was born in San Bernadino where he lived until his teens years when the family moved to Barstow, CA. He wanted to go to an agricultural school and with help from a donor was accepted to Cal Poly in 1949. He met Marlene Kiger at a dance and married prior to his graduation from Cal Poly. After graduation he joined the military during the Korean Era and was stationed in New Mexico. Later, he went to work for Cal Trans in the San Diego area and eventually returned to SLO and taught at Cal Poly in the Agricultural Department until his retirement. While working at Cal Poly, in 1968, he applied to teach in Zambia, Africa and moved his family of 6 there for 3 years. It was an amazing opportunity and adventure for the entire family.

JP was active in the communities he lived in. He was on the Cal Poly BBQ team during

his years there. He was an Elk ruler in the SLO and Oceano clubs. He belonged to the American Legion and volunteered at every opportunity. He kept active into his 92 nd year playing tennis and golf throughout the county. He resided in a community living park and volunteered with the activities. He was a social man who enjoyed people.

He is preceded in death by his wife Marlene in 2011 and is survived by his four children and their spouses; James & Cathy Webster, Lydia & Glen Bohard, Ardith & Stuart Skow and Steve & Dianne Webster. He leaves a growing family of 8 grandchildren and spouses, 6 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild. Also, survived by his companion, Joy H., sister Joan, many nieces and nephews and many friends.

A memory gathering and luncheon for James P Webster Jr. will be held on May 31,2024 at 11:30 – 3:30. It will be held at the American Legion, 1661 Mill St, San Luis Obispo.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAY 31. 11:30 AM - 3:30 PM (PT)

American Legion SLO-Post 66

1661 Mill St

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

<http://slolegion.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ I remember right after he got his Dodge truck he took me to Wasco and we stopped at McDonald's to get something to eat instead of putting the truck into drive he put it into reverse and backed up into a wall that was probably about 3 Ft tall just high enough to put a dint in the bumper of his new truck the hole way home he didn't say a word to me then when we got home I asked how was he mad at me for something he did he told me if I wouldn't have had to take you out would never had happened I miss him and love him so much

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**Amber Bartlett** - May 03, 2024 at 10:03 AM