



## James Anton Molek

July 16, 1936 - November 16, 2021

James Anton Molek passed away Tuesday, November 16, 2021 in St. James Healthcare. He was born in Butte July 16, 1936, the only child of Anton and Irene (Henderson) Molek.

James attended schools in Ramsay and graduated from Butte High School. He and Kathleen L. "Sis" O'Donnell were married June 28, 1958 in the Immaculate Conception Church and together they made their home on the family ranch at Buxton. James worked at the Montana Pole Plant for over 30 years and he and Sis owned and operated the Big Butte Tavern for several years.

Often referred to as "The Sheriff of Buxton" Jim loved hunting and fishing and tending to his livestock. He worked his family ranch his entire life and was a real cowboy.

Jim is preceded in death by his wife "Sis" who passed away April 29, 2021 and his oldest son. He is survived by his sons, Dan Molek of Buxton, James Molek of Butte and a granddaughter, Brook Molek. Also surviving are his brothers-in-law, Ray and John O'Donnell of California and sisters-in-law, Marlene Shrive and Susie Konda.

Cremation has taken place and no public services are planned.

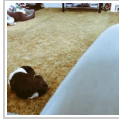
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“ *Sad to hear of Jim's passing .him n sis both will be deeply missed.god be with*

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**bob n donna galpin** - November 19, 2021 at 11:33 AM



*Sorry for the loss of James  
Sincerely Linda Caprara*

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**Tammy Schelin** - November 20, 2021 at 12:12 AM

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“ *Dan and Jim, My heart is breaking as i read of the passing of your Dad. I have known Jimmy all my life, He was a great neighbor and friend. I have too many memories of your parents to share here but know that I send you all my heartfelt sympathy, thoughts and love. He will be surely missed by all us Buxtonites. Fran Fortune McLaughlin*

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**Fran McLaughlin** - November 19, 2021 at 09:37 AM