



James Auther Boeckholt

March 12, 1934 - February 7, 2022

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Kimberly Boeckholt - February 21, 2022 at 06:10 PM

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“ My Dad! One of the strongest, kindest men ever to live. I always felt safe with him and protected by him. This man was a blessing in my life. A gentle giant. I'm proud to have been given the honor of calling him Dad. He is loved and missed.

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