

## **Charles James Bost**

Charles James Bost, 'Captain Jim' was born on May 25, 1949 in Rutherfordton, NC. He passed away on February 27, 2016 after a brief illness. He is predeceased by his parents, Betty J. Bost and Ed Bost and a brother Ric Bost. Jim was originally from Spartanburg, SC where he attended Spartanburg High School. He graduated from Clemson University with a degree in Industrial Engineering. He wrote software and served as an IT and Computer Training Specialist for Duke Energy. His love of the outdoors and hunting and fishing led him to Edisto Island where he secured his captain's license. He specialized in charters for inshore and blue water fishing. His last captain's job was on the 'Miss Fishin' owned by Bob McConnell.

Jim is survived by his wife, Susan Beaty Bost, 'Susie' and two step-sons; Danny Ray Ponder and Berry Jay Ponder and six grandchildren. Also surviving are 4 sisters; Sheila Bost Sistare and Lee Bost Barron both from Spartanburg, Martha Searcy Truitt from Asheville, NC and Becky Searcy Duncan from Clifton, Va.

A memorial service for Jim will be held on March 19, 2016 at First Baptist Church Chapel on East Main Street at 10:00 a.m. A celebration of life service will be held April 2 at 1:00 p.m. at the Marina on Edisto Beach. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Harry Hampton Wildlife Fund or to your favorite charity.