



Arthur Lyman Schaaf

November 25, 1918 - April 20, 2015

Arthur Lyman Schaaf, age 96, of Royal Oak, passed away peacefully April 20, 2015 at his home. He served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II and spent his career at Ford Motor Company in the Purchasing Department. Arthur married Frances Borgo on June 20, 1946. He quickly learned to appreciate his wife's passion for dance and was committed to the success of the Borgo Sisters Dance Studio. Lymie and Francee spent many a happy summer traveling the world and having great adventures, while Lyman captured his love of nature through his photos. Lyman was an avid tennis player and a lifetime member of Red Run Golf Club. He enjoyed learning about architecture and doing woodworking. He also had a special place in his heart for animals, especially dogs and horses. Arthur was the beloved husband of the late Frances. Dear uncle of Leanne Schaaf-Jagtiani. Great uncle of Jayden, Jacalyn, Daniel (Rebecca) and Cara (Rob Darbyshire) Jagtiani. He is also survived by many loving friends and neighbors. Visitation Friday 3-8 p.m. and service Saturday 10 a.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Leader Dogs for the Blind are appreciated. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakview Cemetery

1032 N. Main Street
(south of 12 Mile Road)
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 24. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
705 W. Eleven Mile Road
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Funeral Services

APR 25. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ For my many years at Borgo I too remember Lymie as the quiet but staunch supporter of the studio, his wife and sister-in-law. He was always a pleasure to be around and had a warm smile, patient to a fault and never a bad day did he seem to have! The entire Borgo (Schaaf & Vanek) family has truly left a legacy that shines brightly and will be remembered fondly for so very many. I hope they are waltzing in heaven....

With love,

Joanne Marquard Allard and family

Joanne Allard - April 24, 2015 at 04:24 PM

PL

“ Greg and I knew Lymie as such a kind and gentle soul with a great sense of humor. Well read, Lymie was a very interesting person to converse with. As "Mr, fixit" at the studio, he was always appreciated and loved by the studio staff. Rest in peace, dear Lymie.

Greg & Patti Little

Patti Little - April 24, 2015 at 01:05 PM

LH

“ Lymie was always so positive, like Frances. Kind, gracious, wise, generous, devoted, loving...truly a wonderful man and gentleman in all ways.

Lisa Nutt Harper - April 23, 2015 at 12:36 PM



“ I will always remember Lymie being so handy and fixing things around the studio. He was always by Francie's side at the shows and recitals! He will be missed.

Heather Babbie - April 22, 2015 at 06:53 PM



“ It has been such a honor to know this wonderful man, and will treasure the time I was given this past year and a half being an active part of his life. I will miss you Lymie.....you taught me by example how to be a better person.

Julie Lilly - April 22, 2015 at 04:50 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Arthur Lyman Schaaf.



April 22, 2015 at 12:49 PM