



## Dale Vernon Boker

February 14, 1926 - October 24, 2011

Dale Vernon Boker, age 85, a resident of Royal Oak, died October 24, 2011 at Beaumont Health System in Royal Oak. He was born February 14, 1926 in Virginia, IL to the late Orvil and Alma Boker. Mr. Boker is survived by his wife, Geneen McDonald Boker; children, Brenda Dennis McInerney, Brian Boker, Kevin Boker, Mark Boker, Michael Sharon Boker, Brett Tracy Augsberger, Paul Boker, Terence Boker and Charlene Mabie; brothers, Warren Boker and Rodney Pat Boker; seven grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother, Harold Boker; and sister-in-law, Ina Boker. The visitation will be Thursday 2-8 p.m. and service Friday 10 a.m., with the Rev. Dale Hunter officiating, at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W Eleven Mile Road 4 blks. E of Woodward, Royal Oak. The burial will take place at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery in Troy. Memorials to Michigan Association for Foster, Adoptive & Kinship Parents mafak.co appreciated. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Tribute Wall

SD

“ *"Giant" hugs and memories. My love to all and know my heart and prayers be with you.*

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**Susan Boker Duden** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *Dale Boker will be missed. Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss...our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

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**T. Slaughter** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EK

“ *As someone who was lucky enough to know Dale I feel absolutely privileged. As someone who has worked in the field of developmental disabilities for many years there are few people I've met that are as sincerely altruistic as Dale and Geneen. Our conversations at the Boker kitchen table and porch will always remain a wonderful memory for me. He is the kind of person we should all aspire to be. Miss and love you. Your friend, Ed.*

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**Ed Kiefer** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

M#

“ *Dear Uncle Dale RIP You were a man of Honor and we all honor you. God has a beautiful angel who will very busy and It is up to us to pay it forward for you. thank you for guiding me to become the woman I am. Heres to you until we meet once more. Ilove you Marilyn*

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**Marilyn Jean #2** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ .Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free I'm following the path god laid for me I took his hand when I heard him call, I turned my back and left it all I could not stay another day, to laugh, to love, to work or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way I found that peace at the close of day If my parting has left a void then fill it with remembered joy, A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss. Ah, yes, these things I, too, will miss Be not burdened with times of sorrow I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow, My life's been full, I've savored much, Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all to brief, Don't lngthen it now with undue grief Lift up your hearts and share with me. God wanted me now; He set me free. Love You Uncle Dale

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**Donna West** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ I haven't seen Uncle Dale in quite a while, in fact, the last time I seen him, we both just happened to be at the Soaring Eagle Casino. He gave me a big hug and said come with me and I'll show you how to do this. I went with him to a dollar machine that had ducks on it. He put \$10 in the machine and hit it for \$1000. He said yep, that's how you do that. Uncle Dale had a smile to light up the room. He was so gentle and caring. Such a big teddy bear. I will treasure my memories dearly. I send my prayers and love to Aunt Geneen, Mark, and Mike. I am so sorry.

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**Denise Tramel** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Thoughts and prayers to Mom Boker and family--what a wonderful and gentle man Dad was, so fortunate to have known him...

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**kristan and wayne fetterhoff** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ *Gone yet not forgotten, although we are apart, your spirit lives within me, forever in my heart.* ”

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**Rodney Boker** - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM