



## Dewey E. Rainwater

January 22, 1932 - March 12, 2016

Dewey E. Rainwater, age 84 of Macomb passed away March 12, 2016. Beloved husband of Gloria. Dear father of Lauren (Robert) Cousineau, Pamela Andrews, Gina (Scott) Lorenger, Jeffrey (Melanie) Rainwater and Gregg Rainwater. Loving grandfather of 7 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Dear brother of Patricia (Fred) Salem, Delbert (Erna) Rainwater, Wanda Maroun and the late Violet Henshen, Harold "Tiny" Rainwater and Earl Rainwater. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews. Funeral service 10:30 am Wednesday at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. (3 blks. E. of Van Dyke) Utica with Chaplain Herb Heavner from Heart to Heart Hospice officiating. Visitation Tuesday from 3:00 - 8:00 p.m. and Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. time of service. Interment with military honors at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday. In lieu of flowers, memorials would be appreciated to Heart to Heart Hospice Foundation, The Alzheimer's Association or United Mitochondrial Disease Foundation. Please share a memory at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road  
Holly Township, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 15. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Funeral Services

MAR 16. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Utica, MI 48317  
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## Burial

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MAR **16**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MC

“ Dear Gloria and Family,  
We were saddened to learn of your loss of your cherished Husband and devoted Father.  
Losing a loved one is truly heart wrenching. Our thoughts and prayers are with you! It's been over 50 years since our families moved from Flint to Sterling Hts and eventually living on the same street. Lots of life long memories developed over those years. Duke was always a significant part of our gatherings. He will forever be remembered in our hearts! Thinking of all of you! Big HUGS and many Blessings!  
Love, Maurice Collin and the Collin Family

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**Maurice Collin** - March 15, 2016 at 11:19 AM

LA

“ Love, Tracie Monroe and Trevor Awe purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .



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**Love, Tracie Monroe and Trevor Awe** - March 15, 2016 at 08:07 AM

LK

“ Love, John, Mardie and Kyle purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .



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**Love, John, Mardie and Kyle** - March 15, 2016 at 07:51 AM

SM

“ *Stefanie Muoio purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .*



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**Stefanie Muoio** - March 14, 2016 at 10:19 PM

CM

“ *Chris and Jacquie Maroun and Family and Wanda Maroun purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .*



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**Chris and Jacquie Maroun and Family and Wanda Maroun** -  
March 14, 2016 at 10:21 AM

KM

“ *Kip and Theresa Karwoski and Family and Wanda Maroun purchased the Heart's Companion Bouquet for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .*



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**Kip and Theresa Karwoski and Family and Wanda Maroun** -  
March 14, 2016 at 09:53 AM

MT

“ *My condolences to the family. Death claims the lives of those we love. The pain, the grief and the feeling of helplessness can seem unbearable. Recall pleasant memories you shared with your loved one. May it comfort you to know that God promises that the dead will live again.-Isaiah 26:19*

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**Ms. Tuffy** - March 14, 2016 at 08:16 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Dewey E. Rainwater .*



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March 13, 2016 at 02:55 PM



“ *your smile and hearty laugh will be missed by all who knew and loved you. I am happy to have shared so many years of fun times with you and Gloria. Rest in peace my dear friend and I hope there will be chocolate cake in heaven.*

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**JoAnne Evola** - March 13, 2016 at 11:11 AM



*I never got a chance to know Dewey. I feel I got to know him from the many stories from Pam .He was a hard worker and a great dad. He is a role model for everyone. My best to Pam . Michael opsommer*

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**Michael Opsommer** - March 15, 2016 at 06:49 AM



“ *Our sympathy to Gloria and the whole Rainwater Family in the loss of Duke, such a nice man! He will be missed!*

*Bob and Carol Mociulewski*

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**Bob and Carol Mociulewski** - March 13, 2016 at 10:39 AM



“ *I remember all the big family Christmas get togethers (boy what a group!), and the family camping/vacations at Wolf Lake (sure was a bunch of us!).*



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**Ron Cowan** - March 13, 2016 at 10:28 AM

JU

“ *1 file added to the album Memories*



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**Julie** - March 13, 2016 at 09:31 AM

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“ *Duke will always be in our thoughts and prayers and he will be missed a great deal. Praying that the Rainwater family finds peace and comfort knowing that he is in the arms of the Lord and that he is looking down at all of you and smiling. To my dear friend Gloria please know that we love you dearly! Love, Jim and Nancy Ruhana*

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**Nancy Ruhana** - March 13, 2016 at 09:23 AM