



Edward "Jerry" Tomezak

February 12, 1931 - April 29, 2015

Edward "Jerry" Tomezak, age 84, of Troy, passed away April 29, 2015 at his home. He was born February 12, 1931 in Pontiac, Michigan to Andrew and Cecilia. Edward was affectionately known as Jerry to friends and family. He was a veteran of the United States Army serving during the Korean War. Jerry was an avid golfer and talented enough to have achieved 3 hole-in-one shots. In the cold Michigan winter months he spent his time in Florida and returned back to Michigan in the summer. During the summers in Michigan he enjoyed going to the Woodward Dream Cruise and also spending time with his family. Jerry enjoyed classic cars and airplanes. He was particularly fond of the North American T-6 Texan trainer aircraft. Jerry was also a member of the Stoney Creek Snow Drifters. When the group split up, the members sold their snowmobiles and purchased the winter get-away in Florida to stay close with one another and connected. A caring husband, father, grandfather, brother and son, Jerry will be truly missed.

Beloved husband of the late Ruth. Dear father of Cathryn (Steven) Burr, Charles (Betty), Mary Beth McGahey, Ruth Ann (Dave) Randall, and Joani (Jim) Moore. Proud grandfather of 6. Loving brother of Sue Brink and Richard (Diana) Tomezak. He was also predeceased by 2 brothers.

Jerry's family will receive friends Saturday from 5:00-8:00 PM and Sunday from 1:00-8:00 PM at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. Eleven

Mile Road (4 blocks East of Woodward) Royal Oak, Michigan 48067. Funeral service Monday 11:00 AM at the funeral home. Memorial contributions in Edward's memory are appreciated to the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute at www.karmanos.org/donations/. Please share a thought or memory with Edward's family at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakview Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with the Tomezak family. Jim & Diane Thornton*

Diane Thornton - May 02, 2015 at 08:10 PM

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“ *With Love, Eddie and Connie, Steve and Cathy Irla purchased the Love's Tapestry for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.*



With Love, Eddie and Connie, Steve and Cathy Irla - May 02, 2015 at 10:31 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.*



May 02, 2015 at 09:37 AM



“ *Mrs. Fields Nibblers® Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.*



May 02, 2015 at 08:41 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.



May 01, 2015 at 08:23 PM



“ So very sorry but he sure enjoyed life. We had so many really good times with you Ger Love Ya Judy /Dave

j paul - May 01, 2015 at 06:54 PM



“ Jerry you will always be in my thought because ever time I play jingles I will remember who taught me this. All of you are in our thoughts and prays Miriam and Dave

David Gauthier - May 01, 2015 at 04:22 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.



May 01, 2015 at 03:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Edward "Jerry" Tomezak.*



May 01, 2015 at 03:19 PM



“ *RuthAnn,*

I am so very sorry for the loss of your loving Father. My heart aches for you and your family, and I will pray that GOD gives you the strength to make it through this difficult time of your lives.

Michele Grant

Michele Grant - May 01, 2015 at 12:10 PM



“ *A Unique man that will be missed and remember. Jerry charged life and always brought a unique perspective to everything he did. And the thing he did best was "Love his Ruthie and children" as well as his extended family. Ever a loyal friend. A participant of many aspects of life. One of his fond exclamations was "My O My " . And "My O My" did he have a great captivating smile. Thanks Jerry for being a special and unique friend to us both. Oh and thanks for trusting us with your 1955 Ford Crown Vic Hardtop when we just 16. We had a good time. And in the ensuing 59 years you added much to our lives. We will miss you Jerry. Say Hi to Ruth. Love John & Judy Krzysiak Haines City, Fl.*

John & Judy Krzysiak - April 30, 2015 at 09:01 PM

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Jerry was a dear friend that we will greatly miss. I will miss waving hi to him everyday and watching him sit on the porch and smoke that long cigar. I know he is at peace and is at home with the love of his life Ruth. You will be greatly missed by all your friends at Sun Air. Love Sheila and AJ

Sheila Taylor - May 01, 2015 at 02:08 PM

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Jerry you were one of the good guys I will miss your humor and great personality Mike

bonnieballard - May 09, 2015 at 07:50 PM

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Hartford and Jerry are probably setting off fireworks as they did every friday to start the weekend off with a bang. Wonderful memories of Alger Lane and our young families.

marlene kramer - July 16, 2018 at 05:00 PM