



## Eugene Watch

July 24, 1933 - July 19, 2018

After many months of poor health, Eugene Watch passed away on July 19, 2018, just days away from his 85th birthday. He was passionate in his love of Country and patriotism for America. Gene's conservative fiber was based on his admiration of our founding fathers, the Declaration of Independence, and the Constitution. This led him to strive to lead his life with integrity and virtue. Gene was preceded in death by his dear wife Martha, who passed away in 1990. He will be deeply missed by Mike, Liz, and Kathleen, as well as the rest of his family and friends. Visitation will be Sunday, July 29, 2018 from 1-4 pm at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak, MI 48067.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hillsdale College either online Donate Now (<https://secure.hillsdale.edu>) or by mail:

Attn: Institutional Advancement  
Hillsdale College  
33 E College Street  
Hillsdale, MI 49242

# Cemetery Details

## Royal Oak Cemetery

Royal Oak, MI 48067

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

**JUL 29.** 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
royal@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ (The following letter has been forwarded through Norinne Poirier (friend of Eugene and Joyce for 83 years.)

**EUGENE'S LETTER FROM HEAVEN TO MIKE AND LIZ AND KATHLEEN:**

*My dear children: There are some things I'd like to tell you:  
First of all, I want you to know that I arrived okay.*

*Martha met me at the door. Her smile was as beautiful as ever. Now that we are together, there are no more tears or sadness. There is just eternal love.*

*Everything is so pretty in heaven, so fresh, so new. I wish that you could see it too. It's so peaceful when the angels sing. And, by the way, your Mom is in the choir,*

*And there is a studio for designers of model cars. I might be designing one of those self-driving cars. Only it will not really be self-driving. I WILL BE DRIVING IT.*

*I really have to stop for now....I've just got to try my wings.*

*P.S. I will find ways to let you know that I am near. And that I love you always.  
DAD*

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**Norinne Poirier Rozman** - July 28, 2018 at 08:57 PM

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“ Eugene was my twin brother and only sibling. He was a great brother, and I too shall miss him. Joyce ( Watch ) Szynski

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**Joyce ( Watch ) Szynski** - July 21, 2018 at 07:35 PM