



## Felix Belkowski

May 29, 1926 - August 6, 2022

Felix H. "Sonny" Belkowski, age 96, of Rochester Hills, Michigan passed away peacefully on Saturday, August 6, 2022. Beloved husband of Therese Belkowski (nee: Stinson); loving father of Nancy (Gene) Dudash, Cynthia (Jim) Crowley; dear grandfather of Alexa, Ian, Elena, Gunnar and Reegan; stepfather to Therese (Tom) Wysocki, Martha (Tom) Davidson, Larry (Amy) Dunn, Pat (Jodie) Dunn, Michael (Martha) Dunn, Matt (Nicole) Dunn; step-grandfather to Tim (Sarah) Wysocki, Daniel, Joseph, Angela, Tom (April), Bob (Kelly), Katie (Al), Danielle (David), the late Larry "Tiger" Dunn, Reilly, MaryJo, Patrick, Tucker, Matthew and Samantha; step-great grandfather to Madison, Tommy, Maximus, Eleanor, Jeffrey, Erin, Felix and Ethan.

A visitation for Sonny will be held on Monday, August 15, 2022 from 10:00-12:00, followed by funeral service at 12:00pm at Sullivan & Son - 8459 Hall Road (3 blocks East of Van Dyke), Utica, MI 48317. Inurnment will take place after the funeral services at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly.

Sonny was born in Detroit (Corktown), MI and would spend many future years in and around his beloved city. He attended Western High and served his country in WWII. He briefly attended drafting school in Chicago but soon returned to his city of his birth where he would work at Eaton Detroit Springs for most of his adult life. He married, had children, raised a family, and spent many years being a doting grandfather. You could always catch him on a Saturday on the golf course with his buddies, bowling, watching Tiger play golf on TV, going to the casino, watching the Wolverines, catching a Tiger's game,

hanging with his brothers - "The Raccoons," attending his children's activities, but one thing you would never find him on...a boat. He always said it made him "green in the gills." Sonny was known for being a loud storyteller with a robust laugh and giving his famous speeches every Birthday and Father's Day. He had so many moniker sayings, "hey you crazy cat, hey chicken, that's super-duper, I mean sh\*t man", a "private" handshake with his girls and grandchildren (although we all knew it was the same). He loved putting "air quotes" around anything needing emphasis (which was everything), referring to Covid-19 as the "bug" or "germ" and always asking everyone to look things up on their smart phone like how many miles to the moon? When asked why he wasn't wearing his hearing aids, he always replied, "they are at home listening for burglars." He had so many sayings like that a page could be filled with them. He was always willing to lend a helping hand no matter the task: washing windows, laying carpet, painting playhouses, he always liked to stay busy. He was like Norm from Cheers, no matter what city he lived in, he always had his favorite diner where everyone knew his name, and he just liked that comfortable feeling of being known. Heaven received one heck of a Lorna Doone-eating, Vernors-drinking angel because whether you were his grandchild or his waitress, you were loved, remembered and treated with respect. You will be greatly missed Son-buns, but your "Sonshine" will radiate forever!

Please share a memory with the family at [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

AUG 15. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

## Memorial Service

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## Inurnment

AUG 15. 2:30 PM (ET)

Great Lakes National Cemetery  
4200 Belford Road  
Holly Township, MI 48442

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



August 14, 2022 at 01:21 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



August 13, 2022 at 02:23 PM



“ *The Guys from EATON Detroit Spring purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



**The Guys from EATON Detroit Spring** - August 12, 2022 at 10:43 AM



“ *The Frey Family purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



**The Frey Family** - August 12, 2022 at 10:12 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



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August 11, 2022 at 05:36 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



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August 10, 2022 at 01:48 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Felix Belkowski.*



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August 09, 2022 at 11:57 AM