



## Forbes Henry Van Wyck

December 24, 1944 - October 23, 2020

Forbes H. Van Wyck, age 75, died Friday, October 23 at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, after a brief illness. He was born on December 24, 1944 to Forbes Gilbert Van Wyck and Dorothy Louise Eggert. Forbes was a lifelong resident of Oakland County and attended Wayne State University as an English major. He was extremely well read and enjoyed the love of family and friends. Forbes was a devout believer and follower of Christ and an active member of the Love of God prayer group at National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica. He was a humble servant and went out of his way to help those in need. He enjoyed studying the Bible, going to concerts, weight lifting and frequent hikes. He was an avid fan of classic country music and vintage rock and roll.

Dear brother of James (Andrea) Van Wyck, Katherine (Chris) Ketel and Barbara Van Wyck (Mark Porter). Adoring uncle of six nieces and nephews, three great nieces and one great nephew. Private services will be held. Memorial contributions to Grace Centers of Hope, 35 E. Huron St., Pontiac 48342 are appreciated. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Leslie Balmforth lit a candle in memory of Forbes Henry Van Wyck*



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**Leslie Balmforth** - November 17, 2020 at 02:41 AM

LB

*My sincere condolences to Barb, Forbes sister and the Family.*

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**Leslie Balmforth** - November 17, 2020 at 02:46 AM

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“ *Forbes was a wonderful teacher in our prayer community and a great prayer warrior. He spent many hours preparing for his teachings and his grasp of the Lord's saving power seemed to be central to his talks. May the Lord welcome him into His presence as Forbes now sees the essence of who God is. We miss you, Forbes. Mary Ellen and Hugh Buchanan*



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**Mary Ellen Buchanan** - October 26, 2020 at 08:55 AM

CE

*I am sorry to hear that Forbie passed away. I will always remember the sweet and nice man he was. When I was a child he came to our house often, to listen to country music and visit with my mom, Rita, and my dad, Tom. He was always so nice to me and my sister, and I will always remember his soft, gentle voice. When I think of all of you, your mom, Dorothy and your dad, "Van", Jim, Kathy, and Barb, I feel only good feelings and memories. Praying that your family finds comfort at this difficult time, and know how special your family has always been to mine.*

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**Chris Ewers** - October 27, 2020 at 03:19 AM

KH

*Forbes was so kind and caring. I was grateful to know him. He would pray for my family and I was grateful for that. He felt like a brother and it was always nice to see him at the prayer meeting. He was so faithful at attending the prayer meeting.*

*I liked his calmness and simplicity.*

*His teachings were beautiful and he had so much wisdom.*

*I will miss him tons,*

*With love and tons of prayers*

*Karen Hejka*

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**Karen Hejka** - October 27, 2020 at 09:18 AM