



Fred Glassford

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Fred passed away peacefully with family by his side. He was born in Detroit, Michigan to the late Fred and Margaret (White) Glassford. He leaves behind his wife and high school sweetheart Susan Jane (Peters), sons Scott (Betsy), Kirt (Maria), stepsons David (Rachel) Thom and James Thom, 13 grandchildren, stepbrother Duncan Whitney, and "his girls" Kellie Simmons, Rowan Thom Cochran, and Lauren Thom. He was predeceased by stepson William Thom, Jr. and stepmother Muriel Glassford.

Fred graduated from Seaholm High School and received a bachelor's degree from the University of Arizona. He spent over fifty years in the automotive industry, but was most proud of the 43 years spent with the Budd Company and the many wonderful friends he made over the years. We will miss his wonderful smile and caring personality. Fred and Susan shared a fairytale love affair that spanned years. His love and devotion to her was a marvel to all who saw it.

A memorial service in celebration of Fred's life will be held at Christ Church Cranbrook on Saturday, June 17, at 10:00 am.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions in Fred's name be made to Christ Church Cranbrook, 470 Church Rd., Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304 or the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, KS 66675 would be appreciated.

Please view Fred's full obituary and share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 17. 10:00 AM (ET)

Christ Church Cranbrook
470 Church Road
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304

Tribute Wall

EC

“ *This comes with deep sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Mr Fred was a wonderful person and I was proud to work for him as our plant manager May you rest in peace Mr Fred.....Ed Constable #42773.*

Ed Constable - April 05, 2023 at 06:40 PM

LK

“ *Love, Margie and Mike Kell purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Fred Glassford.*



Love, Margie and Mike Kell - February 24, 2023 at 10:30 AM

WH

“ *Fred was a great friend and a good man; We had many fun golfing days together and then became good e-mail buddies; His devotion to the Detroit sport teams made us friendly advisaries with my backing of Chicago teams! He will be missed!!*

william harper - February 17, 2023 at 01:48 PM

SB

“ *Although we haven't been in touch for many years, Larry and I will always remember all the fun times we had at Worthington Country Club in Bonita Springs, FL. We think of him and Susan from time to time. Our deepest sympathy to Susan and family. Larry and Susan Ballweg*

Susan Ballweg - February 16, 2023 at 02:33 PM

SA

“ *RIP Fred...my ole roommate from the Red Lion days...*

Steven Allison - February 15, 2023 at 09:33 PM