



## Gerald E. Piggott

October 2, 1930 - January 25, 2016

Piggott, Gerald "Jerry", age 85, of Royal Oak, passed away January 25, 2016 at St. John Providence in Southfield. He was born October 2, 1930 in Detroit to the late Gerald and Mamie Piggott. Jerry was a proud U.S. Army veteran. He served as a corporal during the Korean War and loved to tell his stories of the misadventures and near misses he encountered. Jerry worked as a quality assurance inspector at General Motors' Poletown for 30 years and was a member of the UAW Local 122. Known by many as the "Leaf Man", Jerry loved to do yardwork, read the Detroit Free Press and eat his bacon and eggs. He was the beloved husband of Loretta; the couple married September 12, 1957 in Highland Park; loving father of Denise (David) Doane; grandfather of Alissa (Trevor) Olson and Amanda Doane; dear brother of the late Evelyn Grogan; brother-in-law of Janet Pope; and also survived by several nieces and nephews. Visitation Wednesday 3-8 p.m. and service Thursday 10 a.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak. Burial at Christian Memorial Cemetery, Rochester Hills. Memorials to the Korean War Veterans Memorial are appreciated. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Christian Memorial Cemetery

521 E. Hamlin Road  
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 27. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
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## Funeral Services

JAN 28. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear about Jerry. The last of them, Bill, Les and Jerry, has gone home.

Jeanine - February 11, 2016 at 01:10 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Gerald E. Piggott.



January 27, 2016 at 11:12 AM

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“ Cindy, Kathy, Evelyn, Edmund, Sharon and families purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Gerald E. Piggott.



Cindy, Kathy, Evelyn, Edmund, Sharon and families - January 26, 2016 at 03:52 PM

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“ With love, Keith, Angie, Michael, and Steven Mazur purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Gerald E. Piggott.



With love, Keith, Angie, Michael, and Steven Mazur - January 26, 2016 at 02:54 PM

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“ *My condolences to the family. May you draw close to God in prayer and he will sustain you.-Psalms 55:22*

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**Ms Tuffy** - January 26, 2016 at 12:31 PM