



Harold Louis Foss Jr.

September 12, 1929 - October 2, 2013

Harold L. Foss Jr., age 84, a 43-year resident of Royal Oak, formerly of Garden City, passed away October 2, 2013 at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born September 12, 1929 in Fremont, OH to the late Harold L. Sr. and Henrietta Foss. Mr. Foss was a U.S. Army Korean War veteran, who received a Purple Heart. He worked for TACOM in Warren for more than 25 years as a buyer. He enjoyed fishing, watching old movies and listening to classical music. He was a devoted family man and especially loved being a grandfather. He was the beloved husband of Pauline M. Fair Foss; whom he married October 10, 1959 in Garden City; loving father of Karen S. Bouabida, Ronald A. Foss and Susan M. Herrera; dear brother of John, Jim, the late Jay and Walter Foss; proud grandfather of Lori Arcuragi, Brenda Nalepka, Courtney Foss, Zachary Foss, Jesse Herrera and Jacob Herrera; and great grandfather of Brooke, Steven, Chance, Hailey and Paige. The visitation will be Friday 2-9 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. until the time of the service at 11 a.m. at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road 4 blocks E of Woodward, Royal Oak. Burial with military honors will be Tuesday 12:30 p.m. at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly. Memorials to the donor's choice of charity are appreciated. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Tribute Wall

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“Dad, you were the best. So involved, so hands on with Ron and I, always teaching, always playing, always reading to us. I will always remember telling mother goose stories before bed, you playing all kinds of games with us, from cards and board games to chess and croquet. And of course, hide the thimble. In the winter it was sledding and building snowmen and snowforts. Swimming, fishing and traveling in the summer. Because of you, I started listening to classic music at age forty. Because of you, I appreciate history, nature and the arts. Your life revolved around your family, and you were always there for your grandkids too. They were all the apples of your eye. You left me with so many great memories dad. Before Alzheimer took over, and after. I enjoyed our quality time together. The tigers game, the zoo, bowling, the movies, and shopping excursions. The last week of your life on earth was filled with prayers, music and listening to the Bible and holding your hand. I would not have traded my time with you for anything. I miss you already Dad, and will miss you until I see you again in Heaven. May you rest in peace forever Dad!

Susan - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“Dear Foss family, I am remorseful about your loss and like to extend my deepest sympathy for your loved one Harold Foss. From personal experience I know that the death of a love one causes pain and grief and sometimes it seems unbearable. The Scriptures contain comfort that can assist us during times of distress. The ransom of Jesus and the hope of seeing my loved one again in the resurrection brought me comfort. I would like to share these three scriptures with you to give you comfort John 5:28, 29, Acts 24:15 and Romans 15:4. May the God of comfort give you peace and rest.
Mrs. Higgins

Mrs Higgins - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I will never forget all the good times we had in Michigan and when you and Pauline came down to Missouri. You were a great hoki poki dancer. I loved the way you always said Oh yea when we would tell you something. You will always be remembered as an Uncle that was fun to be with. You had a way of telling a joke and keeping a straight face. I loved that. You are now with the Lord and your other friends and family that went before you. I am sure Danny was up there waiting for you, He use to really enjoy your company. Rest in Peace my Dear Uncle Harold. You will be miss my all.

Sharon Anderson Kruse - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Grandpa ~ this is you're lovely Grandson Jake, you are going be with the lord and a better place plus with your family too so Gramps you were the best Grandpa, on the earth with me. I remember you, me, and also Jesse to! We played funny games back then like hide the thimble you can play with the Angels to and teach them how to play... I loved your laugh and your passion for people and your family! you will remember us forever in your time in heaven & lord I want my Grandpa have a great purple heart One of the best games we had was hide n seek; papa was past away on October 2, 2013 12:58A.M. your the best I ever had only in the past I'm going to miss you & love you in my heart.. you make me laugh to much in the past!! the Lord will take care of you & your family that's why we love you to much, you take me to parks and it was so fun & the lord will think about us and you to! Loving family of Foss, Herrera!! You're lovely Grandson Jake Herrera

Jake - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Grandpa~ you left everyone with so many wonderful memories, we've been sharing a lot of stories between us. You were a brilliant man with a huge heart! a purple one @ that haha..remember when I was younger & was fascinated & actually thought your heart was different in color from everyone else's? You laughed so hard!! You never missed out on an opportunity to spend time & make good memories with us kids,wether playing @ the park or watching scary movies..Halloween nights were always a given spooky movie marathon ..Audrey Rose & The Birds were our favorites! Your laughter & your funny comments are what I'll miss the most - "For Petes sake" I hope when you get to heaven you get to " Go Jump in the lake, ya bonehead" but maybe you should leave the "jackass" comment on earth..God might not appreciate that word-I know Mom & Grandma didn't-even thou I thought it was funny when you swore & I wanted to say it too seemed like such a bad word back then I'm so glad I was able to spend the last few weeks with you & be there when you passed..it was truly beautiful & I am so thankful you finally found your peace..we will miss you !! We love you Gramps!! May you still enjoy your passion for music & dance with the angels!!
Xoxox

Lori - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM