



Jack "Bud" Edwards

April 11, 1936 - March 18, 2026

Jack "Bud" Edwards, age 89, passed away peacefully on March 18, 2026. Born on April 11, 1936, in Pittsburgh, Illinois, Jack lived a life defined by dedication to family, service, and community.

Jack proudly served his country in the United States Air Force from 1954 to 1958, first as a clerk and later as an air policeman. Following his military service, Jack built a long and hardworking career with Chrysler, where he was employed for 30 years.

On November 8, 1960, Jack married the love of his life, Sharon, at the Church of Christ on 8 Mile and John R. Together, they built a warm and loving home, first in Royal Oak and later in Sterling Heights.

Jack was a devoted father to Kenneth (Lynda) Edwards and Richard (Rose- Ellen (Rose)) Filthaut, and a proud and loving grandfather to Michael, Kevin, Jeffery, Scott, and Rebecca. His greatest joy in life was spending time with his grandchildren-attending their sporting events, cheering them on, and being an active presence in their lives.

Jack especially cherished time spent at the family cottage on Sanford Lake, where he enjoyed fishing, taking in the beauty of nature, and creating lasting memories with his grandchildren, often taking them out on the pontoon boat

with one sitting happily on his lap as he drove. He had a deep appreciation for the outdoors and found peace and happiness in nature.

Jack had a passion for remote-controlled airplanes and was an active member of the Sky Masters club, where he shared his enthusiasm for flying with others.

Known for his kindness and generosity, Jack was a beloved neighbor who was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. He will be remembered for his warm heart, steady presence, and unwavering love for his family.

Jack will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Jack's honor to the charity of your choice.

A visitation will be held for Jack on Sunday March 22nd From 2-8 at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors, 705 W. Eleven Mile Rd. (4 blks. E. of Woodward), Royal Oak, 48067. A funeral service will be held on Monday March 23rd at 10 am at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors, 705 W. Eleven Mile Rd. (4 blks. E. of Woodward), Royal Oak, 48067. Jack will be laid to rest follow the services at White Chapel Cemetery (621 W Long Lake Rd, Troy, MI 48098).

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Memorial Cemetery

621 W. Long Lake Road
Troy, MI 48098

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 22. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAR 23. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BF

“ *BRAVOMALO & FLETCHER family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*



BRAVOMALO & FLETCHER family - March 20 at 05:37 PM

HR

“ *Hugs & Kisses, Rick & Rose purchased the Bright and Beautiful Spray for the family of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*



Hugs & Kisses, Rick & Rose - March 20 at 10:58 AM

RF

“ *Rebecca, Scott, and Kevin Filthaut purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*



Rebecca, Scott, and Kevin Filthaut - March 20 at 09:08 AM

TF

“ *The Pantalone, Park, and Hall Families purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*



The Pantalone, Park, and Hall Families - March 20 at 08:54 AM

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“ *The Pantalone, Park, and Hall Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*

The Pantalone, Park, and Hall Families - March 20 at 08:54 AM

JH

“ *Jim and sandy Hill purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jack "Bud" Edwards.*



Jim and sandy Hill - March 20 at 08:49 AM