



Jerry L. Gutholm

June 5, 1942 - June 6, 2025

Our family tree has lost a mighty limb. One filled with love and devotion, a hard-working family man who loved his wife, children and grandchildren. Our hearts are broken and he will be missed, but we take comfort in knowing he is now back with the love of his life. We honor our father Jerry Lee Gutholm with the ability to remember the good times and forgive him for his faults. We will continue his heritage and fight to do even better for the younger limbs and the ones yet to be born. Rest in peace dad, we love you and honor your memory by living with grace, dignity and laughter.

Love Robbie, Tina, Jeff and Wendy

Gutholm, Jerry Lee, 83 passed away peacefully in his home June 6, 2025. Jerry was a lifelong resident of Royal Oak, MI. Born on June 5, 1942 at Providence Hospital in Detroit, MI. Second born child of Albert and Alberta Gutholm. He married the love of his life Carolyn Ballard-Gutholm on November 30, 1963 (deceased). They were married 49 years. Jerry is survived by his four children: Robbie Lee Gutholm, Tina Lynn Gutholm, Jeffrey Jay Gutholm and Wendy Lynn Gutholm and his six grandchildren: Andrew Gutholm, Brandon Gutholm, Paige Gutholm, Cameron Bourgeois, Oliver Gutholm and Chloe Bourgeois. Jerry was a hard-working family man who loved gardening and caring for his home. He loved working on cars and as a young man spent a lot of time racing, fixing cars and cruising Woodward. He

worked as a machine mechanic, and enjoyed woodworking, learning from his master woodworking father-in-law William Ballard. Jerry was proud that he had the pleasure of helping with the renovations at the Grand Hotel on Mackinaw Island. We would like to thank his friends and neighbors who looked out for him and helped in the days leading up to his death. We appreciate your help and we know dad felt he was lucky to have such wonderful neighbors. We would also like to thank the nurses and aides of Brighton Hospice who helped us get through this difficult time.

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