



Lawrence William Ainsworth

November 15, 1931 - August 27, 2016

Ainsworth, Lawrence W., age 84, life-long resident of southern Oakland County, passed away on August 27, 2016. Lawrence retired from Chrysler Corporation in 1993, after forty-three years of service as a die and template maker. He also served in the U.S. Navy from 1955-1957. Lawrence was actively involved at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Royal Oak, where he served as chairman of various boards and was a member of both the St. Paul Church Council and the Lutheran Choralaires. He was also past president of the Lutheran Luncheon Club of Detroit. Lawrence was the beloved husband of Dorothy (married on September 16, 1989) and the late Marjorie R. (Reitz). Loving father of Lisa Augustyn, Debra Wilson and Steven (Anne) Ainsworth. Stepfather of Kevin (Karen) Koch, Laurel (Stephen) Grim and Karen (Danial) Bognich. Proud grandfather of Joshua Wilson, Allison Augustyn, Christopher Augustyn, Jordan Wilson, Caleb (Abbey) Grim, Rachel (Austin) Hill, Margaret Koch, Anthony Koch, Elizabeth Grim, Benjamin Grim, Eliot Bognich and Tallulah Bognich. Dear brother of Alice Thatcher, the late Esther Havira and the late Mary Jean Ainsworth. Visitation Tuesday 5-8 p.m. and Wednesday 2-6 p.m. at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blocks E. of Woodward), Royal Oak. Funeral Thursday, in-state 10 a.m. until time of service, 11 a.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Royal Oak. Memorial contributions to St. Paul Lutheran Church are appreciated. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Cemetery Details

Glen Eden Memorial Park - West

35667 W. 8 Mile Road
(between Newburgh & Farmington)
Livonia, MI 48152

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 30. 5:00 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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Visitation

AUG 31. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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In-State At Church

SEP 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul Lutheran Church
202 E. Fifth Street
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Funeral Services

SEP 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul Lutheran Church
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Burial

SEP 1. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

ML

“ I am so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. My prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.
Marilyn Lee

Marilyn Lee - August 30, 2016 at 08:12 PM

LH

“ Love, Love, Love- Dave, Melinda & Samantha Hilborn purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



Love, Love, Love- Dave, Melinda & Samantha Hilborn -
August 30, 2016 at 07:18 PM

MG

“ Maggie's co-workers at P3 Group purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



Maggie's co-workers at P3 Group - August 30, 2016 at 03:54 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 30, 2016 at 01:08 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 30, 2016 at 12:12 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 29, 2016 at 07:55 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 29, 2016 at 06:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 29, 2016 at 03:23 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.*



August 29, 2016 at 11:09 AM



“ *We were greatly saddened to hear this news. Our deepest sympathies to you. May God grant you comfort and peace in the sure words of Jesus, our crucified and risen Savior, "I am the Resurrection and the Life. He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die" (John 11:25-26).*

- Aaron and Laura Koch



Aaron Koch - August 29, 2016 at 10:47 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to the family and friends of Lawrence Ainsworth. I know that he was a very loved man. My thoughts and prayers for peace are with his loved ones during this time.*

Lindsey Lustig - August 29, 2016 at 09:56 AM

RZ

“ Dearest Dorothy and Family -
We are saddened to get the news of Larry's passing. We have been praying for you both, since we heard of his illness. We know that you will remain in our prayers, and, hope you feel the love that we're sending with this. God bless you.
Rich and Linnie

Rich & Linda Zimdahl - August 28, 2016 at 06:38 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lawrence William Ainsworth.



August 28, 2016 at 06:03 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors - August 28, 2016 at 03:34 PM