



Bill Edward Fredrick

April 13, 1937 - August 17, 2025

William Edward Fredrick, a resident of Gaylord and formerly of Madison Heights, passed away on Sunday, August 17, 2025, at the age of 88.

Born on April 13, 1937, in Royal Oak, Michigan, to Edward and Marian Fredrick, Bill attended Royal Oak Schools before establishing his career as the owner of B & M Plumbing and Heating and Fredrick Painting and Repair. Over the years, he earned professional licenses in real estate, heating and cooling, and building. On June 25, 1983, Bill exchanged vows with Aurie Tyghem in Hazel Park, and together they shared 42 wonderful years.

Bill held a wide range of passions. He enjoyed music, boating, skiing, playing cards, dancing, hunting, building, traveling throughout the U.S., playing guitar, and appreciating old cars. He was also a devoted dog owner, with Rusty, Angie, and Max holding special places in his heart.

Bill will be remembered as the beloved husband of Aurie; the loving father of Sue Ann (Ray) Missar, Robert Fredrick, Michael (Lisa) Fredrick, Christine (Larry) Sanders, and Dwayne (Joely) Valentine; and the cherished grandfather of Megan and Ryan Mearns, Ashley Ashkenazi, Jessica Simpkins, Michael, Steven, Connor Fredrick, Paul Missar, and Troy and Tommie Sanders, and Jessica Carpenter. He was the treasured great-grandfather of 12. He was preceded in death by his sisters Helen, Celia, Marion, and Shirley, and by his

brother, James.

A visitation for Bill will be held on Monday, August 25, 2025 from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors, 705 W. Eleven Mile Rd. (4 blks. E. of Woodward), Royal Oak, 48067. Friends and family will gather on Tuesday, August 26, 2025, from 9:30 am until time of service at 10:00 am at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak, 705 W. Eleven Mile Road. William will be laid to rest at Oakview Cemetery in Royal Oak, Michigan.

Please share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

AUG **26**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

Burial

AUG **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Oakview Cemetery
1032 N. Main Street
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Liberty was purchased for the family of Bill Edward Fredrick.*



August 27, 2025 at 12:45 PM



“ *I will miss hearing from you old friend. We shared many memories together of our lives from days of Longfellow thru High School and our years growing up. .Aurie and family, my thoughts are with you. I will always cherish the times Maggie and I shared with you & Bill. Peace be with you at this time of grief and loss. Chuck*

Chuck - August 27, 2025 at 12:31 PM



“ *Dave & Becky Doran purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Bill Edward Fredrick.*



Dave & Becky Doran - August 24, 2025 at 04:00 PM



“ *Gary G. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Bill Edward Fredrick.*



Gary G. - August 23, 2025 at 03:08 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bill Edward Fredrick.*



August 22, 2025 at 02:06 PM