



William T. Westlake Sr.

January 3, 1951 - December 26, 2017

William Thomas Westlake Sr., age 66, passed away on December 26, 2017. William is the loving son of the late Raymond Jr. and the late Mabel Westlake; the cherished husband of 46 years of Colleen; the beloved father of William T. (Michelle) Westlake Jr., Jason M. (Tammy) Westlake, the late Ryan L. Westlake, Kelly (Jamie) Terrell; the dear grandfather to Caitlin, Brandon, Luke, Austin, Gage, Madison, Alexis, Jamilyn, and Gavin; the dear great-grandfather to Cameron. William leaves behind numerous friends. William was a proud veteran of the United States Army National Guard. William was the owner of Westlake Development Inc., a business that he started in 1969. William's family will receive friends on Friday, December 29, 2017 at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road (3 blocks East of Van Dyke), Utica from 2:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Saturday, December 30, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. Interment at Utica Cemetery. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Cemetery Details

Utica Cemetery

46325 Shelby Road
Utica, MI 48317

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **29**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317
(586) 731-2411
utica@sullivanfh.com
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Funeral Service

DEC **30**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MP

“ I had known Bill for a long time. He was one of the most generous and caring individuals I had ever met. From riding around on his spider with him to deliver our sod. To hunting with the shotguns that he gave that I still use. For the business advice and encouragement the he gave me at the occasional breakfast we met for. Also, for the dog he gave to my family after we lost ours. I will miss the days of stopping by his office, and Bill asking me "How is my dog?" Our industry has lost a great man.

Our sincerest sympathies, thoughts and prayers are with your family.

Mike & Gail Palazzolo - Rainbow Landscaping

Mike Palazzolo - December 30, 2017 at 03:04 PM

RS

“ I was in the National Guard with Bill and always enjoyed talking with him about our experiences and our Leaders Sergeant Salata and Sergeant Van Daly. We had many laughs and Bill always reminded me of the time I was drunk in the back of his truck at summer camp. RIP Bill, truly a good man. Your friend, Richard Smith

Richard Smith - December 29, 2017 at 10:13 AM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..



December 29, 2017 at 09:51 AM

GH

“ *Mr. Westlake was such a kind, loving gentleman. I enjoyed speaking to him quite often. I know he is in a better place watching all of us. The Westlake family will forever be in my prayers. RIP Bill*
Love,
Glen Hurst, MBM Check Cashing

Glen Hurst - December 28, 2017 at 08:12 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..*



December 28, 2017 at 07:34 PM

SB

“ *Our prayers go out to The Westlake Family. Mr. Westlake will be missed! He was so generous and kind. RIP, John and Shelly Broeker*



Shelly Broeker - December 28, 2017 at 05:47 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..*



December 28, 2017 at 04:19 PM

DC

“ Don & Fred Meram FDM Contracting purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..



Don & Fred Meram FDM Contracting - December 28, 2017 at 01:45 PM



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December 28, 2017 at 01:19 PM

CM

“ sorry for your familys loss. god bless you.colleen is my cousin.bill was a good family man and business person always there for anyone that needed it . wonderful family let us know if you need us. connie and dennis moore



connie moore - December 28, 2017 at 08:24 AM

CC

“ What can I say about Bill 😊 He was one of a kind! He was always there for me when I needed anything. He will be truly missed by everyone ❤️ I can't wrap my head around his passing. He was one of those people that you think would live forever!! My thoughts and prayers to his family 🙏

Carol Cook - December 28, 2017 at 12:43 AM

SL

“ Condolences to the family, I will keep you in my prayers. Colleen is my cousin and I heard so many wonderful things about Bill, I know he was a good man and that my cousin will surely miss him. God bless you all in this time of mourning. Love you sweet cousin of mine...wish I could be there. Sheila Langley

Sheila Langley - December 27, 2017 at 10:57 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..



December 27, 2017 at 09:01 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..



December 27, 2017 at 08:44 PM

RE

“ What a terrible loss of a great man. My condolences to the Westlake family. Bill was always there whenever I needed something , he will be truly missed . RIP my friend

Ray Edwards - December 27, 2017 at 07:20 PM

 Sheri
Lynn

“ *Sending prayers of peace and comfort to the Westlake Family.*




Sheri Lynn - December 27, 2017 at 06:45 PM



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December 27, 2017 at 06:19 PM

 Amanda
Baird

“ *I've know Bill for many years and always would leave his office with some sort of Westlake item. Lol. RIP Bill. You will truly be missed !!*

Amanda Baird - December 27, 2017 at 06:14 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr..*



December 27, 2017 at 05:41 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of William T. Westlake Sr.*



December 27, 2017 at 04:27 PM



“ *An icon in the industry. I can remember being 15-16 years old sitting in Bill's office and walking out with 30 items with the "Westlake" name inscribed all over them. I learned something new from Bill every time I was around him. One of geniune good guys in the industry and especially in life. RIP Mr. Westlake, and God bless.*

bob - December 27, 2017 at 04:09 PM



“ *Bill was a great guy. Always there for you. One of the good old boys that will truly be missed. Sending prayers to the family*



Terry Trost - December 27, 2017 at 04:03 PM