



Donald A. Godfrey

December 2, 1934 - December 2, 2020

Donald Arthur Godfrey, of Ortonville, MI., passed away peacefully at home with his family by his side on December 2, 2020, at the age of 86.

He was born in Waterford, Michigan on December 2, 1934 to the late Harry and Dolores (Cox) Godfrey. Beloved husband of Mary Irene for 63 years. Loving father of Sharon Godfrey and Karen (Waldo) Tarchala. Dearest brother of the late Violet (the late Jay) Pasley, Mary Louise Godfrey, Nancy (the late Gilbert) Goodin and Susan Godfrey. Brother in law to the late Sally Coucke and late Benny Simmons. Dear uncle of Chris (Tom) Bogni, Kathy (Dan) Cullen, Keven Kaufka, Mike Goodin, the late Anne (the late Bill) Meek, Ben (Amanda) Meek and 8 grand nieces and nephews.

After honorably and faithfully serving in the United States Army for 6 years (2 active and 4 reserve), Donald enjoyed a life long career at Chrysler for 30 years. He had a tremendous sense of humor and was known to be quite the jokester. He had a passion for nature, animals and traveling. He loved being outdoors, camping, tending to his vegetable garden, fishing, bird watching, relaxing on his pontoon boat and best of all making memories with his family and friends, near and far. He touched the hearts and lives of everyone he met and will be missed by so many.

A memorial service will be scheduled sometime in 2023.