



## Edwin E. Hahn

March 25, 1920 - February 8, 2021

Edwin Earl Hahn passed away on Monday, February 8th at the age of 100. He was born in Detroit on March 25, 1920 to Gustave and Anna (Baltzar) Hahn. Gustave and Anna had four boys; Edwin (Ed) was a twin and the youngest. His twin Irwin died of diphtheria in 1924.

Ed grew up on the east side of Detroit, attended Cass Technical High School and enrolled at Michigan State University before volunteering to serve in WWII in 1943 with the Army Air Corps. During flight school, he was trained as a navigator for the Douglas B-18 bomber. After the war, Ed settled into a career as a skilled tool and die maker.

Ed met Lorraine Marie Carney in 1946, having grown up directly across the street from each other. They married in July 1949 at Saints Peter & Paul Church in Detroit and crossed the country by car to Los Angeles for their honeymoon.

Ed was an avid outdoorsman, and he and Lorraine raised their five children to appreciate the outdoors. Family outings included fishing and camping trips, ice-skating, tobogganing, and trips to local public pools and regional parks. But golf was his true passion, and he played frequently with his two brothers Ralph and Harold. Eventually Lorraine joined him on the course and developed her own passion for the game, and together they also enjoyed playing cards with friends and square dancing.

After retirement, Ed remained engaged by honing his home improvement skills and single-handedly built a bedroom and bath on the lower level of their

condominium in Brighton. He also became an avid reader and frequent visitor to the local library and knew all the staff members by name.

Ed is survived by his wife Lorraine, their four children Kenneth (Kathleen Missig) Hahn, Eileen (Robert) Rees, Raymond (William Long, Jr.) Hahn, and Barbara Hahn Adams, three grandchildren Bradley, Megan and Eric Adams, and eight nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his son James Hahn, his grandson David Hahn, his brothers Harold and Ralph and his brother-in-law William Carney.

Visitation is scheduled on Monday, February 15th from noon until 3:00 PM immediately followed by a funeral service at the Wasik Funeral Home, 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (N. of 22 Mile Rd.), Shelby Township. Interment will take place on Wednesday, February 17th at the Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 15. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
[shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com](mailto:shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com)

## Funeral Service

FEB 15. 3:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
[shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com](mailto:shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

KH

“ *Kenneth Hahn lit a candle in memory of Edwin E. Hahn* ”



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**Kenneth Hahn** - February 22, 2021 at 05:32 PM

SB

“ *Stan And Phyllis (Hahn) Breidinger lit a candle in memory of Edwin E. Hahn* ”



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**Stan and Phyllis (Hahn) Breidinger** - February 15, 2021 at 03:33 PM

RB

“ From the time we met Ed we knew he was a very special man. We were neighbors in Brighton. Ed was one we could spend hours with discussing any topic and solving the problems of the world. He was a wise man who would give you the shirt off his back. Ed was the supervisor and Richard the apprentice when building the berm out behind our condos. So many stories; so many laughs! Ed was truthfully a great man who impacted others. He was loved by many and will truly be missed



Richard & Barb Briggs - February 14, 2021 at 07:41 PM

BA

So.happy for your wonderful friendship with my Dad! ♡

Barb Adams - February 15, 2021 at 11:26 PM

ER

so, so true. So grateful to you and Barbara for being such wonderful friends to Dad... he loved you both so much! So do we!

Eileen Rees - February 25, 2021 at 09:53 PM

PS

“ Dear Lorraine and family, we are sorry to read about your loss. Although many years have past since we were neighbors we remember you and your family fondly. Paul and Nancy Schemers

paul schemers - February 14, 2021 at 11:45 AM

BA

*Oh my goodness. I am so pleased to hear from you! I so fondly remember you as our wonderful next door neighbors and babysitting your daughter Michelle.  
Love Barb Adams.*

**Barb Adams** - February 15, 2021 at 11:29 PM

RH

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**Raymond Hahn** - February 11, 2021 at 11:18 PM

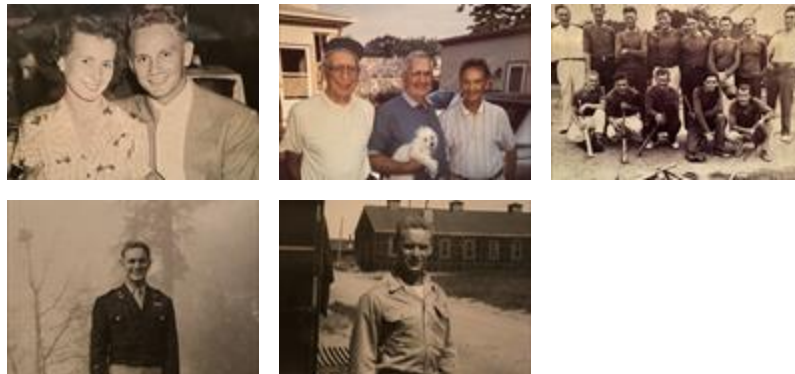
SB

*I love this photo. Phyllis*

**Stan and Phyllis (Hahn) Breidinger** - February 15, 2021 at 03:43 PM

RH

“ 7 files added to the album Memories Album



**Raymond Hahn** - February 11, 2021 at 10:52 PM

BA

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Barb Jean Adams - February 11, 2021 at 09:19 PM

BA

*Photo supplied by Kathleen Wendler.*

Barb Adams - February 16, 2021 at 02:34 PM

ER

*What a wonderful photo, Kathleen. Thanks so much for sharing this one!*

Eileen Rees - February 25, 2021 at 09:55 PM

AT

“ I was fortunate to know Mr Hahn, going over to see my friend Ray and seeing his sisters and wonderful mother. I had some enjoyable conversations with Ed and enjoyed his views on things. He had a love of golf and one day in December he sat reading his newspaper, he folded it put it down and said "I think I'll go play golf". i was surprised, though it was sunny it was still cold and off he went to play golf. He was always cordial and just a great man. I am happy to have known him. My best wishes to his wife and kids and my good friend Ray Alan C Twietmeyer

Alan Twietmeyer - February 11, 2021 at 04:07 PM

BA

*I love this story Al! Sounds like my Dad. He was spontaneous!*

Barb Jean Adams - February 11, 2021 at 09:16 PM

ER

“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Eileen Rees - February 10, 2021 at 08:16 PM

ER

Mom and Dad, Ray and Will, and Barb all joined us in Hawaii back in 2001 or so... A dear friend let us use their beautiful home on the island and they were so excited to know it would be my parents first time there!

Eileen Rees - February 10, 2021 at 10:35 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Edwin E. Hahn.



February 09, 2021 at 01:12 PM

LC

“ Love, Nancy & Clay purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Edwin E. Hahn.



Love, Nancy & Clay - February 09, 2021 at 12:13 PM

RH

“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Raymond Hahn - February 08, 2021 at 11:35 PM

RH

“ 17 files added to the tribute wall



Raymond Hahn - February 08, 2021 at 11:30 PM



“ 10 files added to the album Memories Album



Michael Wasik - February 08, 2021 at 10:21 PM

BA

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Barb Adams** - February 08, 2021 at 10:00 PM

BA

“ 1 file added to the album *Edwin Hahn*



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**Barb Adams** - February 08, 2021 at 09:58 PM

BA

“ 1 file added to the *tribute wall*

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**Barb Adams** - February 08, 2021 at 09:57 PM

BA

“ *Barb Adams lit a candle in memory of Edwin E. Hahn*



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**Barb Adams** - February 08, 2021 at 09:56 PM

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**Barbara Adams** - February 08, 2021 at 06:09 PM