



Joseph S. Gmerek

August 24, 1930 - December 16, 2018

Joseph S. Gmerek passed away on Sunday, December 16, 2018 at Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital. Joseph was born on August 24, 1930 to Leonard and Elizabeth Gmerek. He is the beloved husband of the late Dolores. Loving father of Dennis (Debra) Gmerek, Brian (Cheryl) Gmerek, and Anita (Eric) Fereshetian. Proud grandfather of Casey (Mark) Geyen, Ken (Brittney) Gmerek, Amber Gmerek, Nikki Gmerek, Corinne Fereshetian and Kendra Fereshetian. Also proud great Grandfather of Camren Geyen. Dear brother of Edward Gmerek and the late Leonard Gmerek and Chester Gmerek. Joseph was also predeceased by his parents Leonard and Elizabeth Gmerek. Visitation Saturday 9 AM at St. John Vianney Catholic Church 54445 Schoenherr Rd (n of 24 Mile Rd.) Shelby Twp. until 10 AM Funeral Mass. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to either:

Fox Run Residents Care Fund
41200 Fox Run Road
Novi, MI 48377
Julie.mccarthy@erickson.com
248-863-3256

Or:

St. John Vianney Catholic Church

54045 Schoenherr Road
Shelby Township, MI 48315
[Www.sjvshelby.org](http://www.sjvshelby.org)
586-781-6525

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Rd
Clinton Township, MI 48038
(586) 286-9020

Previous Events

Instate at Church

DEC **22**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John Vianney Church
54045 Schoenherr Rd.
Shelby Township, Mi

Funeral Mass

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Joe Gmerek passing away. He was such a gentle heart. I always enjoyed seeing him when I was back to Michigan from Arizona. We sent cards back and forth even while Dolores was alive. Even though we only visited in Church he will always have a special place in my heart.



We always had so much to share. R.I.P. JOE. Sandy Sumners

Sandra Sumners - December 19, 2018 at 08:02 PM

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“ He was the best uncle, EVER. He and Aunt Dolores took me ice skating to Belle Isle when I was about 9-10 years old and he told me the ice was cracking, and we raced back to the car where Aunt Dolores had hot chocolate waiting for us. He was a FUN Uncle and a kid at heart. When he married my Aunt Dolores, I was so jealous because I had a huge crush on him.....I was 6 at the time.....but I guess I always had a crush on him. He was a good guy and included me in a lot of family things like dinners, pic-nics and boating and trips to the Chester & Ed's cottage. Miss you Uncle Joe and play that crazy accordian for all those angels up there and say Hi to Auntie Dolores for me. XOXO

Elaine Szeliga - December 18, 2018 at 03:04 PM