



Laurence Gumbrecht

February 18, 1947 - May 23, 2025

Laurence “Larry” Gumbrecht, 78, of Chesterfield, Michigan, passed away peacefully on May 23, 2025 surrounded by family. Born February 18, 1947, in Detroit, Michigan, Larry lived a life defined by service to his country, his community and endless love to his family.

Larry honorably served his nation as a proud member of the United States Navy from 1966-1968. After completing his military service, he continued his dedication by embarking on a fulfilling 34 year career with the Detroit Police Department, from which he later retired.

Beloved Husband of the late Diane Gumbrecht. Dear Father of Jason (Kim) Gumbrecht and Lauren (Jason) Crawford. Loving Grandfather of Harper Crawford, Cole Crawford, Braxton Crawford and Andi Gumbrecht.

Visitation hours will be held 2:00 pm- 8:00 pm, Thursday May 29, 2025 at Wasik Funeral Home-Gendernalik Chapel 35259 23 Mile Road, New Baltimore.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **29**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home - Gendernalik Chapel
35259 23 Mile Road
New Baltimore, MI 48047

Tribute Wall



“ 86 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. - May 29, 2025 at 09:50 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Laurence Gumbrecht.

May 28, 2025 at 08:26 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Laurence Gumbrecht.



May 28, 2025 at 08:26 PM

KA

“Katie G, Josiah K, August & Althea purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Laurence Gumbrecht.



Katie G, Josiah K, August & Althea - May 28, 2025 at 08:25 PM

TG

“Larry and I were best friends in high school and truly had a lot of fun times with lots of funny stories to tell. Larry's car in high school was a Simca, if you're familiar with those they were pretty lousy cars with a 4 speed on the column, but we had a riot with it. After Larry's stint in the Navy, we remained friends for several years but as happens so often in life friends take different paths. I'll always remember him as a great friend.

Timothy J Graves - May 28, 2025 at 06:50 PM

DS

“Worked with Larry at #5, Larry was a real character but a very good one , a great friend and a great cop! Rest in peace brother!

Dave Strasz - May 28, 2025 at 02:08 PM

NM

“Noblett's & McCauley's purchased the Beautiful i n Blue for the family of Laurence Gumbrecht.



Noblett's & McCauley's - May 27, 2025 at 06:36 PM

KC

“ *Koz heating and cooling. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Laurence Gumbrecht.*



Koz heating and cooling. - May 27, 2025 at 03:28 PM

PW

“ *I worked with Larry at the Fifth Precinct, we were scout car partners for a while. Needless to say...never a dull moment! Rest in Peace dear friend. Blessed are the peacemakers...*

Paula Whitty - May 27, 2025 at 01:02 PM