



## Leon William Eisemann

July 28, 1931 - March 7, 2019

Leon William Eisemann, Age 87, passed away Thursday, March 7, 2019 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. He was born July 28, 1931 in Ann Arbor, the son of Otto and Leona (Sautter) Eisemann. In 1954, Leon married Margery Bell at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Chelsea, and she preceded him in death on June 1, 2017. He is survived by his three children Susan (Mike) Snay, Randy (Bernadette) Eisemann, and Mary Eisemann; his five grandchildren Katherine, Robert and Sarah Snay; Lauren and Tyler Eisemann. Leon, a Chelsea High School graduate, began his banking career in June of 1949 as a messenger for the old Ann Arbor Bank, and worked up the ranks to become assistant vice president in charge of commercial credit. In 1968, he left to join Saline Savings bank and was appointed senior vice president and member of the board of directors in 1969. A longtime member of the Saline Rotary Club, Leon also had served as treasurer of the Saline Community Fair Board and played an integral part in launching the building trades program at Saline High School. Leon retired from Comerica Bank in 1992, and soon after he and Marge moved to Loch Erin near Onsted, MI to enjoy grandchildren, boating, woodworking and hosta gardening before moving back to Saline in 2013. Some of their favorite pastimes were numerous lighthouse tours to the Great Lakes and East Coast, and road trips with the LMR Vintage Chevrolet Car Club, which Leon previously served as treasurer. Cremation has taken place, and Leon requested that no memorial or funeral services be held. To sign Leon's guest book or to leave a memory, please visit [www.rbfhsaline.com](http://www.rbfhsaline.com).

# Comments

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“ I too started working for Saline Savings Bank in 1968 and worked with Leon until his retirement. I learned so much from him that helped me professionally as well as personally. We worked hard but also had time to catch up on our families and share many stories. He truly was a very caring man. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Dianna Bennett

Dianna Bennett - March 22, 2019 at 09:10 AM

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“ Leon was a trusted and gentle person who contributed much to the Saline Fair as treasurer and Board member that was very important to the success of the Fair and for the many participants. I will always be grateful for his stepping forward to help start the non profit corporation building trades program when it was in struggling. His contributions made it possible for many Saline youth to have a meaningful program to prepare for their future. Dave Mieras

Dave Mieras - March 19, 2019 at 09:54 AM

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“ Thanks for all you have done for Saline.  
Barbara Schmid Losee

Barbara Schmid Losee - March 14, 2019 at 02:09 PM

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“ Leon was a giant in the banking/lending arena in Washtenaw County. He was the consummate professional that made a homeowner, a farmer, or a businessman feel comfortable and looked after. While you knew he did a good job and watched out for his bank, you always knew he was watching out for you, his customer, as well. He truly wanted what was best for the people he banked! Leon epitomized that good guys always win.

Steve Davis - March 11, 2019 at 10:01 PM

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“ Many years ago when I worked for Rob Merchant, Attorney, Leon was in and out of our office on a regular basis on behalf of Manufacturers Bank. I always enjoyed his easy manner and good humor. When Scott and I got married, we would often be at Rotary functions with him as well. Such a nice, nice man. Our sympathy to all of you.  
Scott and Patti Fosdick

