



Lawrence E. Marshall

March 22, 1940 - February 12, 2017

Lawrence "Larry" Eugene Marshall, 76, of Saline, Michigan passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 12, 2017 with his family by his side. Larry passed away from cancer on 12 Feb 17 at Arbor Hospice in Saline. His cancer diagnosis came in mid January 2017 from the V.A. He was moved to Arbor Hospice on February 9th. February 10th he had wonderful day with all of visitors telling them (probably for 10th time or so) all about his 1972 BUICK LeSabre Convertible. Lawrence was born on March 22, 1940 in Ann Arbor, Michigan, the son of John and Erma Marshall. Larry served in the Army from 1960 to 1962. He had careers in farming, drove a milk truck for Bolgos Dairy, delivered fuel oil for Girbach Oil Co., he retired from Ann Arbor Machine on March 20, 2008 and the very next day began he career as a globe trotter traveling all over the world with his wonderful girlfriend, Donna Kearney. He was a life long member of Bethlehem United Church of Church, where he rang the church bells every Sunday and ushered for many years. Larry is survived by his three daughters; Kristin Marshall of Phoenix, AZ and son in law Robert Longtin, April Marshall of Maybee, MI, and Jackie Marshall of Ann Arbor, MI; two grandchildren Rachel Heck and Ryan Marshall; his two sisters; Margret (Larry) Roehm and Barbara (David) Wolfgang and their families. Plus, many cousins. Larry is also survived by a dear friend, Donna Kearney - the love of his life. If you knew Larry then you know he Loved his 1972 BUICK LeSabre Convertible. It was his last wish that his convertible be donated to Gilmore Car Museum. His daughters are working on the

application for the museum but are asking for your help. There will be a petition (asking Gilmore Car Museum to accept the Buick for their exhibits) available for anyone to sign that will be submitted with the application to Gilmore Car Museum. Larry, the Buick, and the girls appreciate your help. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, February 18, 2017 at 2:00 P.M. at Bethlehem United Church of Christ, 423 S. Fourth Ave Ann Arbor, MI 48104. A reception will follow. Visitation will take place from 1:00 P.M. until the time of service at 2:00 P.M. Memorial contributions in Larry's name may be made to the church and envelopes will be available at the service. To sign Larry's guestbook, to leave a memory, or for more information or directions, please visit www.rbfhsaline.com.

Cemetery Details

Washtenong Memorial Park

3771 Whitmore Lake Road
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
<http://washtenongmemorialpark.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem United Church of Christ
423 South 4th Ave.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
<http://www.bethlehem-ucc.org/>

Memorial Service

FEB 18. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem United Church of Christ
423 South 4th Ave.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
<http://www.bethlehem-ucc.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Marshall*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *Grace Schroeder lit a candle in memory of Lawrence E. Marshall*



Grace Schroeder - February 17, 2017 at 02:29 PM



“ *From all your friends at Ann Arbor Muffler purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Lawrence E. Marshall.*



From all your friends at Ann Arbor Muffler - February 17, 2017 at 12:09 PM



“ *Rachel Snow purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Lawrence E. Marshall.*



Rachel Snow - February 17, 2017 at 11:38 AM

DE

“ *Debbie Ecarius lit a candle in memory of Lawrence E. Marshall*



Debbie Ecarius - February 16, 2017 at 10:39 PM

GD

“ *Gary J. Dean purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Lawrence E. Marshall.*



Gary J. Dean - February 16, 2017 at 03:32 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Marshall.*



February 16, 2017 at 10:16 AM

GD

“ *Larry was the "Gold Standard" for the meaning of "Friend". He always shared the bright side of life. I'll really miss talking with him at the Pittsfield Senior. He and Donna brightened my day, Always. God Bless you, Donna and your family. I pray the Lord will bring peace to your hearts in this time of sorrow. Your Wii bowling friend, Gary Dean*

Gary Dean - February 16, 2017 at 07:52 AM

BS

“ Will always remember his sence of fun and humor, we liked to pick on each other he always called me trouble and I called him more trouble lol. He will be missed especially at the Marshall reunion. Love and Prayer's to the family.

Beverly Schlegelmilch - February 16, 2017 at 07:46 AM

BL

“ Condolences to Larry's family and friends. I knew Larry from Ann Arbor Machine where I worked for 7 years before it closed. He was always a friendly, outgoing person with smiles.

Barbara Schmid Losee - February 16, 2017 at 07:21 AM

PH

“ He was a great guy. Can't think of him and Donna without mentioning all the great meals at the Saline Inn, where we saw them often. So sorry for your loss Donna and family.
Pat Hentz

Pat Hentz - February 15, 2017 at 09:37 PM

SL

“ Larry will truly be missed. Always loved seeing him talking about travels with Donna, going to eat different places, and going to his car shows. My thoughts and prayers are with Donna, his girls, and family.

Sharon Landers

Sharon L - February 15, 2017 at 03:45 PM

RD

“ Larry will be missed at the Pittsfield Seniors! He always was so much fun to kid around with on Freebie Fridays and also the potlucks. My condolences to Larry's family.

Ruth Duey

Ruth A. Duey - February 15, 2017 at 02:54 PM

CP

“ I am so thankful and honored to have known Larry, my "rent a boyfriend." I will dearly miss him, but know he is in God's loving arms, probably tormenting his new friends and teaching them how to play " oh dear." Rest in peace, dear friend.

carol presley - February 15, 2017 at 02:02 PM

RH

“ It was fun to hear about all the trips he and Donna have been on. And to see his Santa collection he was proud of.

Ruth Hainstock - February 15, 2017 at 01:40 PM

GG

“ Larry was such a kind man. He was always a bright addition to the apartment complex where he lived. Never a bother, always willing to help and always considerate of others. We will all miss him at Rocky Pines. Gone way too young. No more pain; rest in peace Larry.

Grace & Kurt Greaves - February 14, 2017 at 10:37 AM

PM

“ Larry will be missed by us and so many others as he was such a kind, gentle and caring guy to his daughters, Donna and so many at Bethlehem Church.

Donna, April, Jackie, & Kristen we are thinking of you all at this difficult time with care and concern and are wishing you comfort as you reflect on all the touching memories of Larry that will now mean more than ever. With Deepest Sympathy, Paul & Barb Marshall

Paul & Barb Marshall - February 13, 2017 at 04:34 PM

LL

He will be missed at the reunion and corn roast with out his watermelon there.

Larie Lawson - February 15, 2017 at 11:01 AM

AL

April, my condolences. Your Dad was always there for you and your sisters. I remember back when we took his big whale crusier up north when we were 20 or 21 and it broke down on I-75 on the 4th of July hot weekend and he was there to help. Good guy. You and your sisters should be proud to be his kids. So very sorry. Alma

alma - February 15, 2017 at 05:02 PM

HM

*Larry was a great guy...always a smile on his face and a couple of jokes to share. Ushered with Larry for many years. Our deepest sympathy to Donna and his daughters, Kristin, April and Jackie. The bells will not sound the same at Bethlehem.
Hans & Jackie Maier*

Hans Maier - February 16, 2017 at 10:06 AM

JL

*There is no doubt that Larry was a PILLAR for Carol's VIP Senior group, the Pittsfield Seniors, and our church bell ringer at Bethlehem Church. He will surely be missed by all who knew him. Our Love and condolences to his daughters and to Donna.
So sorry to miss such a great guy. We Love You, Jan and Wil Leonard*

Jan Leonard - February 16, 2017 at 10:19 AM

MS

Larry, you will be missed. You are my very special friend.

Marcia Schmid - February 16, 2017 at 08:57 PM

DE

*Larry was such a fun guy, always with a smile and joke. We will miss seeing him at the Saline Inn, American Legion and the Fish Fries. God Bless you Larry. Our sincere condolences to Donna and his family at this difficult time. RIP Larry! You will be missed.
Vic Coval and daughter Debbie Ecarius*

Debbie Ecarius - February 16, 2017 at 10:34 PM



Larry was a super man and always ready with smile and a helping hand. Prayers for Donna and his family.

Mary Hess - February 17, 2017 at 01:55 PM

RW

Larry was a Great Friend, we saw each other occasionally at the Saline Inn. But I remember him well in 478th Engineer Army Unit, him and I driving a Jeep on what is now U S 23, wasn't then to go out to his parent's place on Earhart Rd.. R.I.P. Larry

Ron Wild - February 18, 2017 at 08:55 AM

NN

I met Larry at University Microfilms on First St. In Ann Arbor in the early 1960's. He was always fun to be with, went to lots of parties together. Will miss seeing him at the sauerkraut dinners at the American Legion in Saline. May he rest in eternal peace!

Nell Mannlein Naylor - February 18, 2017 at 11:25 AM

RK

Sorry we were unable to come and say good- by. We will greatly miss our traveling buddy and the wonderful memories.

Ron and Ruth Knowlton

Ron and Ruth Knowlton - February 18, 2017 at 01:09 PM