



Arthur Tusch

August 5, 1933 - December 16, 2022

Arthur Elmer Tusch, died on Friday, December 16, 2022, at the age of 89.

He was born at home in Ada, MI on August 5, 1933. Art attended Carl School, a one room country school. He graduated from Lowell High School and Michigan State University. He served in the Military Police Force with the United States Army.

Art was married to Sheryl Vaughn Yntema on December 19, 1959. He served as a deacon, elder and Sunday School teacher at Grandville First Reformed Church. He was actively involved with Riverbend Players Theatre. He managed insurance plans for school districts with SET/SEG and in retirement drove for Enterprise Car Rental.

He will be lovingly remembered by Sheryl, his wife of almost 64 years; children: Lisa and Kieran Maloney of Louisville, CO, Cynthia and Lionel Loza of Sherwood, OR, and Jennifer and Adam Niemur of Grand Haven, MI; his grandchildren: Henry Rowen Maloney, Jean Claude Daniel Loza, J.L. Arthur Loza, Elliott Michael Niemur, Thomas Randall Niemur, and Samuel August Niemur; and his brother and sister-in-law Robert and Darlene Tusch of San Marcos, TX.

He loved tennis, travel, music, especially big band, playing cards, watching

sports, and he loved to paint. He co-authored two books about local history with his brother.

Visitation will be Monday, December 19, 2022, from 1:00 pm-2:45 pm at First Reformed Church of Grandville, 3060 Wilson SW, Grandville, MI 49418. A memorial service will follow at 3:00 pm also at the church. Interment will be in Forest Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to The Salvation Army or First Reformed Church Scholarship Fund. www.yntemafh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 19. 1:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

First Reformed Church of Grandville
3060 Wilson SW
Grandville, MI 49418

Memorial Service

DEC 19. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Arthur Tusch*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - December 19, 2022 at 10:24 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Arthur Tusch.*



December 19, 2022 at 08:37 AM



“ *My mother, Susan, was the youngest of the Granstra women. Uncle Elmer and Aunt Ann always looked over my mother. She considered Art and Bob more like brothers than nephews. Arthur was always kind to our family. May we all live such an accomplished life. Robert Adornetto*

robert adornetto - December 18, 2022 at 05:18 PM

RS

“ *When we think of Art we think of Curious, Creative and Kind. A privilege to have known this good man.*

Sheryl, strength and peace to you and the family.

Rick and Karen Smallegan

Rick Smallegan - December 18, 2022 at 03:17 PM

DL

“ *Diana Ljepoja purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Arthur Tusch.*



Diana Ljepoja - December 18, 2022 at 10:04 AM

DL

“ *I will always consider the Tusch family as my first American family and I cherish all the memories I made as teenager/young adult , staying with you all in Michigan so deeply and fondly to this day. Art was always so sweet, kind, supportive and humorous. I loved his storytelling and especially all the knowledge he had around so many things, which for an inquisitive young mind like mine then, was golden. One of the funnies memories I have, is during my first visit in December of 1988, Art was driving Jenny, Cindy and myself somewhere (I think it was the mall!) and we wanted him to go faster, and Art said to us youngens: 'Leave sooner, drive slower, live longer.' That wisdom and funny truth has always stuck with me. I will miss him. -Diana*

Diana Ljepoja - December 18, 2022 at 09:35 AM

BP

“ Art was such a fine man, incredibly supportive and always smiling and ready to share a story. He was a gentleman in every way, and filled with integrity. He loved his family and his church and his Lord. He will be missed. Pastor Bud Pratt

Bud Pratt - December 17, 2022 at 03:59 PM

JN

Thank you Bud!

Jennifer Niemur - December 17, 2022 at 10:05 PM

 Laurie Daniels

“ We will always remember Art's warm personality and ability to tell stories. I sat by him at Gloria and Art's birthday party this year, and he was as friendly as ever. We are so sorry for your loss and will always remember him. We're very sorry we won't be able to attend the memorial service due to Bob's appointment with the nephrologist on Monday.

Bob and Lauri Daniels

Laurie Daniels - December 17, 2022 at 12:49 PM

JN

Thank you Lauri!

Jennifer Niemur - December 17, 2022 at 10:06 PM

AM

“ I remember, among many things , Art's amazing ability to remember facts. It was uncanny and much admired. Iris M.

Aunt Iris Myaard - December 16, 2022 at 10:12 PM



Thank you Aunt Iris!

Jennifer Niemur - December 17, 2022 at 10:07 PM