



Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren

January 14, 1934 - February 26, 2026

Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren, age 92, passed on to be with his Lord and Savior on Thursday, February 26, 2026.

Edward was born to Edward Sr. and Dolores (Alari) Van Timmeren in Los Angeles, California, on January 14, 1934. Edward's parents moved to Eastmanville, MI, where he spent the rest of his childhood, when he was 6. Later in life, after returning from 2 years of Army service in Alaska, Ed married the love of his life, Janice, in 1960. They were blessed with many joyful years together here in West Michigan, working, playing, and raising their two boys, Edward R. and Eric.

Edward and Janice loved to travel, especially in retirement. They visited all 50 states, much of Canada, and parts of Mexico during their journeys. Edward spent many enjoyable hours visiting with his family and friends. He was always up for a game of cards and was gracious in defeat when Janice inevitably managed to win.

Edward was an avid outdoorsman and loved to hunt and fish. We are ever grateful that even in his last years he was able to visit his favorite hunting cabin with the help of his friends and hunting companions.

Edward is deeply missed by his children, Edward R. and Nicole (Folkening)

Van Timmeren, and Eric D. Van Timmeren, as well as his extended family and friends.

Edward was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Janice I. Van Timmeren, and his beloved sister and brother – Jackie (Van Timmeren) Glass and her husband Wayne Glass, and Ken and Jan Van Timmeren. May they all enjoy a blessed reunion in heaven.

A brief memorial service will be held Sunday, March 8, 2026, at 2 pm with a time of fellowship and refreshments to follow until 4 pm at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State Street, Zeeland.

What is your only comfort in life and in death? That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1

Cemetery Details

Zeeland Cemetery (Original Cemetery)

220 East Lincoln Avenue
Zeeland, MI 49464

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Yntema Funeral Home
251 S State St
Zeeland , MI 49464
(616) 772-2173
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<http://langelandsterenberg.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ Sincerely, Mitch, Laurie and Julie purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren.



Sincerely, Mitch, Laurie and Julie - March 06 at 02:47 PM

JT

“ Joel and Brigid Van Timmeren purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren.



Joel and Brigid Van Timmeren - March 05 at 03:50 PM

JT

“ Joel and Brigid Van Timmeren planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren.

Joel and Brigid Van Timmeren - March 05 at 03:50 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren.



March 02 at 10:40 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Edward "Lou" Van Timmeren.*



March 02 at 09:54 AM



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