



## Elmer J Parchert

December 12, 1934 - May 11, 2023

Elmer J. Parchert, age 88, of Freedom Village in Holland, MI, passed away peacefully on May 11, 2023.

Elmer was born December 12, 1934, in Grand Haven, MI, to Henry and Albertha (Pellegrom) Parchert. He graduated from Michigan State University in 1956 and started a career in accounting, earning a CPA. He entered service for his country in 1957 as an officer in the Army Finance Corp. He completed his working career retiring from Whirlpool Corp after 36 years of service. He enjoyed travel and visited Europe multiple times. Winters were spent either in Florida or Arizona. He was a long-time member of the Economic Club. He served various church responsibilities and loved serving the Whirlpool Golden Eagles as treasurer for 20 years. He also enjoyed reading, gardening, and photography as hobbies.

He married Linda Love on October 20, 1962, in St. Joseph, MI. She survives him along with several nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother Earl and a sister, Lois VanderWall.

In 2014 Elmer and Linda moved to Freedom Village to live out their remaining years. A celebration of life service is at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, May 24, 2023, in the auditorium at Freedom Village. Memorial contributions may be given to the scholarship fund of Freedom Village.

The Parchert family is being served by the Langeland Sterenberg Funeral Home, 315 East 16th Street, Holland, MI 49423. To leave condolences online, please visit [www.langelandsterenberg.com](http://www.langelandsterenberg.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAY **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Freedom Village Auditorium  
145 Columbia Ave.  
Holland, MI 49423

# Tribute Wall

MJ

“ So sorry to hear of Elmer's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love the Jewell family.

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**Melody Jewell** - May 23, 2023 at 10:22 AM

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“ Elmer and I shared office together in the early 70's when I was employed at Whirlpool. He was such a pleasant man. My condolences to all his family and friends.

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**gary whitt** - May 19, 2023 at 06:05 PM