



Jerome J. Bush

June 27, 1930 - January 11, 2023

A loving husband, brother, father, uncle, and grandfather, Jerome Bush passed away after a short illness on January 11th, 2023, in Holland.

Jerome was born on June 27th, 1930, in East Saugatuck, MI. He graduated from Holland High School in 1947 and spent several years in the U.S. Army, enlisting soon after graduation and re-enlisting to serve in the Korean War, during which he was stationed in Japan and Korea.

On his return, he received his degree in mechanical engineering from Michigan State and worked for General Motors and later Sealed Power of Muskegon, serving as chief engineer. He retired in 1985 to a busy post-career life, serving Fillmore Township as supervisor and planning commission leader for 22 years; and going on many air trips around North America in his Cessna 172 with family and friends.

He met his loving wife Gerri Broekhuizen in 1959, and they married in 1963, going on to have three children and six grandchildren. Jerome enjoyed his many mechanical hobbies, specifically cars, airplanes, and antique tractors. He was a dedicated Christian, active in the church life of East Saugatuck CRC and later Central Avenue CRC.

He is survived by his wife Gerri; three children (and grandchildren): Janna &

Brad Rudich (Andrew & wife Zoe), Jim & Dawn Bush (Jacob & Tyler), and John & Rachel Bush (Sara, Rens & Ruth); his brother: Verne & Yvonne Bush; and sisters-in-law Ann Geenen, Henne Smeenge, and Vickie Broekhuizen. Preceding him in death were his sisters Carolyn (Dave Vander Haar) and Shirley (Bernie Greving).

Visitation will be from 2-5 p.m. on Sunday, January 15, at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E. 16th St. Holland. The funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Monday, January 16, 2023, also at the funeral home. Interment will be in East Saugatuck Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to World Renew and Holland Christian Schools.

Cemetery Details

East Saugatuck Cemetery

4155 58th Ave.
Holland, MI 49423

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home
315 E 16th St
Holland, MI 49423
(616) 392-2306
info@langelandsterenberg.com
<http://langelandsterenberg.com/>

Funeral Service

JAN **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerome J. Bush*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - January 14, 2023 at 01:02 PM

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“ *Aunt Gerri and family: our sympathy to you for Uncle Jeromes passing. He was a warm, intelligent, and devout man. His life was undoubtedly lived to the fullest, and we offer our thoughts and prayers in his memory. Brad & Deb (Smeenge) Kraai*

Bradley E Kraai - February 19, 2023 at 01:00 PM

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“ *Vickie Broekhuizen and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jerome J. Bush.*



Vickie Broekhuizen and Family - January 13, 2023 at 05:46 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jerome J. Bush.



January 13, 2023 at 02:17 PM



“ We send our love and condolences to you, Gerri, and also to your family. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints." You will be in our prayers as you will miss Jerome so much and also have great peace knowing that he is at home with the Lord he loved.
Doug and Joyce Roossien

Joyce Roossien - January 13, 2023 at 11:22 AM



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January 13, 2023 at 10:46 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jerome J. Bush.



January 13, 2023 at 10:19 AM