



Gerald Richard Genord

December 11, 1937 - September 21, 2023

GENORD, Gerald (Jerry) age 85, passed away surrounded by family on September 21, 2023.

Beloved husband of June (nee Kraus) for 64 years. Loving father to Gerald (Cindy), Randy (Nancy), Brenda (Darren) DeLamielleure, Dr. Michael (Jill), Brian (Michelle), and Jeff (Paulette). Cherished grandfather of Erica (Adam), Chelsea (Joey), Elaine (Neil), Haley, Jessica (Adam), Dane (Sarah), Ryan, Bryce, Tanner, Danielle, Garrett (Maggie), Alexandra, Hannah, Ian, Claire, Madison (DeAri), Jacob, Nicolas, Luke, Kyle, and Morgan and great grandfather of Jordyn, Noah, Cole, Cecelia, Cade, Emmy, Chase, Cooper, and Palmer.

Predeceased by his parents, John and Barbara (nee Bohl), Jerry was a dear brother to the late John "Jack", the late Donald (the late Barbara), the late Marlene (the late Robert) Pawlak, the late Edward (Marie), the late Bernard "Pete" (Judy), and the late Diane (the late John) Nossal. He is survived by many wonderful nieces and nephews.

Jerry spent more than 40 years working at Weldmation. He truly started from the ground up, sweeping floors in the plant to running the entire operation when he retired. He was tough but well respected by his employees and customers. When there was a problem, everyone knew they could count on

Jerry for a solution.

Jerry loved people and never met a stranger. Everyone was welcomed into their home. He enjoyed family card parties with his siblings, traveling, woodworking, and fishing. Most of all, he treasured his time with June, their children, and grandchildren. From a Sunday dinner, celebrating birthdays and holidays, or the annual Christmas tree cutting day, family came first. He was a true role model to all about the importance of faith, family, and loving life.

A funeral mass will be held at St. Andrew Catholic Church (1400 Inglewood, Rochester, MI) on Tuesday, September 26 at 11 am. Visitation will begin at 10:30 am.

The family wishes to thank the wonderful caregivers and staff at Cedarbrook Rochester and the amazing Henry Ford Hospice team for their care, kindness, and compassion.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Alzheimer's Association, Henry Ford Hospice or the Capuchin Soup Kitchen.

Entombment Guardian Angel Cemetery.

Share memories with the family at their "On Line Guest Book" @
WujekCalcaterra.com

Cemetery Details

Guardian Angel Cemetery

4701 Rochester Road
Oakland Township, MI 48306

Previous Events

Instate / Funeral Mass

SEP **26**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Andrew Catholic Church
1400 Inglewood
Rochester, MI 48307-1518

Tribute Wall

FS

“ On behalf of the Marist Fathers and Brothers, I send an assurance of our prayers for the family of Gerald Genord. May our Risen Savior welcome him to his heavenly home and may the Mother of Jesus bring comfort to all who loved him.

Fr. Joe Hindelang, s.m., Provincial Superior of the Marists in the USA

Fr. Joseph Hindelang, s.m. - September 26, 2023 at 10:10 AM

BC

“ On behalf of the Capuchin brothers I offer my deepest sympathies on the passing of Gerald. It is truly humbling to receive memorial donations in honor of his life. Please be assured of the brother's prayers for the entire Genord family during this great time of grief. May perpetual light shine upon Gerald.

Br Nick Blattner Ofm Capuchin - September 25, 2023 at 12:44 PM

BC

“ Bob Riney and HFH Exec Council purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



Bob Riney and HFH Exec Council - September 25, 2023 at 11:07 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gerald Richard Genord.

September 25, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



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“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



September 25, 2023 at 09:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gerald Richard Genord.

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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gerald Richard Genord.

September 25, 2023 at 09:12 AM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



September 25, 2023 at 09:12 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gerald Richard Genord.

September 25, 2023 at 08:42 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



September 24, 2023 at 10:13 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gerald Richard Genord.

September 24, 2023 at 10:13 AM

DJ

“ Please accept my most heartfelt sorrow for your loss. Weldmation built a number of machines for the Ford Sterling and Van Dyke Plants. As the project engineer I had many dealings with Jerry. And you are correct, he was tough but fair and well respected by his employees and peers. When a directive was given, **CONSIDER IT DONE**. Jerry was hard to get to know but once you did it was welcoming to have him on your side. May Jerrys' soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.
Dan Jendza Ford Engineering retired.

Dan Jendza - September 24, 2023 at 08:08 AM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



September 23, 2023 at 11:04 PM

DY

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of your family's beloved Gerald. We send sincere thoughts and prayers, hoping to lift you up at this time.

*"When you are sorrowful, look again in your heart and see that, in truth,
you are weeping for that which has been your delight." - Kahlil Gibran*

*Sending love,
Denise & Rick Young*

Denise Young - September 23, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



September 23, 2023 at 01:00 PM



“ So very sorry to hear of Uncle Jerry’s passing. He was a kind man devoted to his family. His legacy will live on. Prayers and hugs to the entire family. -Marie Genord Lamberson

Marie Genord Lamberson - September 22, 2023 at 07:06 PM



“ I have the honor of working with and sharing a friendship with Dr. Michael Genord, a kind, caring, and fair man. I know he represents the fruit of Mr. Jerry's labor of love, so his legacy will live on forever. Blessings to the Genord family for your foundation is one built on faith and love.

Myra Robinson - September 22, 2023 at 06:19 PM



“ Rest in peace Uncle Jerry
I am estimating that it is about 74 years now that there is a true Genord Family Reunion happening in HEAVEN right now
Say HI to everyone 😊
Love ya
Janet

Janet Genord Grant - September 22, 2023 at 05:54 PM

MD

“ Grandpa never failed to make me feel welcomed and at home, no matter where we were or how long he had known me. The privilege of knowing him and his family for the last 9 years has been one of the greatest gifts I have ever been given. Garrett and I love and will miss you so much, Grandpa. We know you will look after us and send us handshakes and hugs from up above. Until we meet again. 🕊️ (Love, Maggie & Garrett)

Maggie DeLamielleure - September 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM

MJ

“ My heart goes out to the Genord family. Jerry leaves a magnificent legacy in his children and grandchildren all remarkable people due in no small part to his love and example of living a loving and hard working life.

Marci Jenkins - September 22, 2023 at 05:39 PM

CT

“ Craig T. purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Gerald Richard Genord.



Craig T. - September 22, 2023 at 04:17 PM