



Lawrence E. Kranz

November 2, 1931 - October 17, 2016

LAWRENCE KRANZ, age 84 of Harbor Beach, passed away Monday, October 17, 2016 at Courtney Manor Nursing Center of Bad Axe.

He was born on November 2, 1931 in Harbor Beach to the late William and Anna (Klug) Kranz. He and Dolores Emming were united in marriage on June 14, 1952 in Ruth. She preceded him in death in April of 1989. Larry worked at Active Automotive for 22.5 years, retiring in 1987, he also worked on the family farm. He enjoyed golfing, softball, bowling, playing cards, fishing, trips to Florida for 27 years, and his family.

He is survived by his children: LaJuana Van Horn and her husband Larry of Lapeer, Debra, Vahovick and her husband Dennis of Palmetto, Florida, Gary Kranz and his wife Laura of Bridgeton, New Jersey, Glen Kranz and his wife Jackie of Holly Lake Ranch, Texas, Gerald Kranz and his wife Rhonda of Cypress, California, Coleen Gentner and her husband Mark of Minden City, Gregg Kranz and his friend Tracy Robinson of Bad Axe, 18 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild, and twin sister Lorraine Holdwick of Ruth.

Larry was preceded in death by a grandchild Dennis J. Vahovick, and his brothers: Wilfred and Melvin Kranz.

Funeral Mass for Larry will be Thursday, October 20, 2016 at 11 am at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, of the Holy Name of Mary Parish, with Fr. William Spencer officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation on Wednesday will be from 2-8pm at the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor

Beach. Visitation on Thursday will be at the church beginning at 10 am until time of services at 11 am. A Parish Vigil Service will take place Wednesday at 7 pm at the funeral home.

Memories can be shared at www.RamseyFH.com

Cemetery Details

St. Anthony's Church Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ramsey Funeral Home, Inc
425 State St
Harbor Beach, MI 48441
(989) 479-3407
<https://www.ramseyfh.com>

Visitation

OCT **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St Anthony's Catholic Church of Helena
8233 Helena Rd
Harbor Beach, MI 48441

Mass

OCT **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Harbor Beach, MI 48441

Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Kranz*

October 04, 2023 at 01:24 PM



“ *We really enjoyed Larry's love for Texas Hold 'Em poker at Leisure Lake. He never missed a game and was an excellent player and is going to be a very missed friend. We always had so much fun with him. Prayers and thoughts of comfort for his whole family. Glenn & Karen Earle*

Glenn & Karen Earle - October 27, 2016 at 04:32 PM



“ *The Irving Kranz Families in Great Falls Montana send their Deepest Sympathy to All the Lawrence Kranz Families.*

Irving Kranz Family - October 21, 2016 at 12:51 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.*



October 19, 2016 at 12:51 PM

WF

“ Lawrence or as we new him "Larry" was a friend and fellow golfer in Palmetto Florida. He was a super person to play golf with and always had a smile. We will miss him.

Judy & Wayne Fairman
Trenton, Ontario
Canada.

Wayne Fairman - October 19, 2016 at 11:45 AM

CT

“ Lawrence brought so many good memories during our visits to Harbor Beach and Florida. My kids called him "Grandpa Larry" and how Fitting it was. Peace to Larry and Family Clair Talaski
Wheatfield Indiana

Clair Talaski - October 19, 2016 at 11:13 AM

HK

“ Lawrence was the best father in law you could ever ask for,he enjoyed life to its fullest. Enjoyed many good times with him and family. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.
Harold and Alice Kirsch The Villages FL

Harold and Alice Kirsch - October 19, 2016 at 04:56 AM

RF

“ Rose Porter and Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.



Rose Porter and Family - October 18, 2016 at 07:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.*



October 18, 2016 at 03:45 PM



“ *My thoughts, condolences and prayers go to Larry's family. I always enjoyed getting a chance to play golf with him when he was here in Florida. He was a real gentleman and will be missed.*
Patricia Killock, Leisure Lake Florida

Pat Killock - October 18, 2016 at 03:23 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.*



October 18, 2016 at 02:08 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.*



October 18, 2016 at 10:44 AM

JU

“ First my deepest sympathy to the family and to say I'm sorry won't be able to make it up for the Service. My best memory of my Sister Dolores & Lawrence is when they came down to visit me for a weekend when lived in Clarksville, TN - We had fun time visiting and of course Playing Cards and sipping a little wine. Love & will miss them both.
Judy/TN

Judy/TN - October 18, 2016 at 10:09 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.



October 17, 2016 at 07:37 PM

TC

“ The Signs and Services Company purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Lawrence E. Kranz.



The Signs and Services Company - October 17, 2016 at 05:00 PM