



# **William D. Streefkerk**

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**W**illiam D. Streefkerk, age 73 of Clarkston, Michigan and a former resident of Warren, Michigan passed away on September 29, 2015 at his home. He was born on May 27, 1942 in Warren, Michigan.

Beloved Husband of Audrey (maiden Lenzini) Streefkerk. Dear Father of Bill (Leyia) Streefkerk, Arthur (Sue) Puckett, Shelley Poole and Cindy (Mark) Cormier. Cherished Grandfather of 5. Brother of Carol (John) Frohnappel.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 5th from 1:00 pm until time of Funeral Service at 4:30 pm at Hopcroft Funeral Home, 31145 John R. Road, (One Block North of 13 Mile Road on the West Side of John R. Road), Madison Heights, Michigan.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Church of Christ Care Center (23575 - 15 Mile Road, Clinton Township, Michigan 48035) are appreciated.



# Events

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## Visitation

 **Monday**, October 5, 2015


 1:00 PM - 4:30 PM ET

 **Hopcroft Funeral Home-Madison Heights**  
31145 John R. Road, Madison Heights MI 48071



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## Tribute Wall

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**William Streefkerk** posted:

My father was a man of incredible integrity and of a stubborn work ethic which was learned undoubtedly on the farm when he grew up. I remember the countless hours spent in the shop while my father built a business from one centerless grinder in the dark corner of a building in Burton MI. with his own two hands and he would never waiver until his dream was realized. He liked the people he did business with to be of good character and integrity for the rest he had no time for. He liked war movies, egg bread w/butter and the occasional coke w/candy bar. He loved to go fishing or hunting, but only when business was slow and time allowed. He was a man of few words, but he always told you truth and how he felt. I will miss his honesty and I will miss my father a great deal more than he will ever know. The years crept by as did the time and he was taken from me too early. I will love you always Dad.

October 12 at 2:38 PM



**William Streefkerk** December 29 at 6:44 AM

Dad, time passes by, and the world is changing, and not for the better either. I know we had rough times, but those days were easier than they are now. I wish you were here for advice, but I miss you and look forward to seeing you in heaven.



**William Streefkerk** November 12 at 7:46 AM

Dad, its been a while but things are well and I still think about you often. I finally sat down and wrote that letter on the things I needed to say to you but was unable and its been a big help. Sometimes there's just not enough time to say what you need to.



**William Streefkerk** October 5 at 6:14 AM

Dad another year has passed and it's been hard to shake the feeling of being without the guidance you can only get from a parent. I never needed that much I guess because I could survive and prosper on my own but that is a Streefkerk trait. I miss you and miss the times we might have had.



**William Streefkerk** May 8 at 10:42 AM

The world forgets quickly the ones lost in our lives making it that much harder for those who remember to live and carry on.



**William Streefkerk** October 5 at 5:07 AM

There is so much I wanted to share with you before you left Now I have this hole in my life knowing that I am alone now in this world. I miss our talks though short sometimes they were meaningful. Thanks for the advice and the lessons learned. I love you Dad!



**William Streefkerk** January 26 at 6:32 AM

I miss you Dad!



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**Win-Sam Inc** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Streefkerk family.



October 5 at 4:23 AM



**Daisy Gibson** lit a candle in honor of William.



October 2 at 7:15 AM

**DG Daisy Gibson** October 2 at 7:38 AM

Bill will be missed by all who knew him for his love of his family and his compassionate acceptance of all who had the priviledge and honour to know and appreciate him throughout his time here. Rest in Peace Bill, knowing how much you will be missed for your attributes!



**Helen Haywald** posted:

What a great guy! Bill was such a sweet man -- how many husbands make waffles and blueberry muffins for their wife? We enjoyed being around him with Audrey and will miss his dearly. Rest in Peace Bill. Helen & Denny Haywald

October 2 at 4:40 AM



**Diane Sutton** posted:

Dear Audrey, I just want you to know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Bill was a wonderful and caring person. He will be greatly missed by all of the lives he has touched. I feel so blessed to have you as my friend. Any time you need someone to talk to, please do not hesitate to give me a call. I will keep in touch with you. God will give you the strength you need to endure obstacles you may be faced with in the future. Love you. Diane Sutton

October 1 at 4:59 PM



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**Pat Sturgeon** posted:

We feel so honored to have known Bill. Our very deepest sympathy to Audrey and his children and the rest of the family. --- Tom and Pat Sturgeon

October 1 at 1:49 PM

RF

**Ruth Finnern** posted:

Bill was a wonderful person, very friendly and kind. Bill will missed by all who knew him. He is with our Lord and Savior now.

October 1 at 10:31 AM

DS

**Diana Smith** posted:

Bill was a very generous and kind man and very helpful. He will be missed by all.

October 1 at 9:39 AM

ML

**Marilynn Lees** October 2 at 8:03 AM

Dear Audrey, Max and I want you to know how very much we appreciated yours and Bill's friendship. Bill was a blessing to Max last winter and a very dear friend. He was a quiet man, solid and dependable with a heart of gold. He will certainly be missed by anyone who knew him! God bless and keep you thru this very difficult time in your life. Love you. Max and Marilyn Lees

SS

**Sue Smith** October 2 at 8:00 AM

Dear Audrey, Art and I wanted you to know how much Bill will be missed and how much he was loved. We will miss barbeques at your home and Christmas when we all got together. Bill was a wonderful husband, father and friend. God Bless You Audrey and please know we are always here for you. Sue Smith



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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