



Calvin Junior Holmes

April 10, 1929 - July 23, 2023

Calvin Junior Holmes age 94 of Warren, died on July 23, 2023 at Ascension St John Hospital in Detroit. Calvin was born on April 10, 1929, in Windsor, Ontario Canada to the late Leslie and Mary Holmes. He was predeceased by his wife Phoebe. Dear father of Calvin W. Holmes, Paula (Gordon) Ireland, Late Mark Holmes, Julia Stanziale and Lisa O'Brien. Grandfather of 5; Jason (Jennifer), Jamie, Loren, John (Christine) and Jordan (Chelsea). Great grandfather of 9; Preston, Makhi, Makayla, Mia, Brooklyn, Logan, Jace, Wade and Felix. Also survived by his sister Louella and predeceased by his siblings Audrey, Lenora, Donald, and Mary. Cal had served in the U.S. Air Force. He had worked for many years as a mechanic at Ford Motor Tractor Plant in Highland Park. He has always been active. In his free time, he enjoyed playing cards, especially Euchre, Cribbage and Michigan Rummy. Quite the dancer, Cal enjoyed dancing whether it was a good Polka or a ballroom dance, he would sweep the ladies off their feet with his agility. A diehard Detroit sports fan, Cal enjoyed watching the Tigers, Lions and Red Wings. Often you would find Calvin at the Sterling Heights Senior Center where he would participate in many of their events and hang out in his free time. Lastly, he will always be remembered for his Tarzan call, something he perfected over time and was always willing to imitate. No services are scheduled. Arrangements entrusted to the Rudy Funeral Home. Please visit www.rudyfuneral.com to light a candle or to share a memory.

Tribute Wall

RL

“ *Sending prayers and condolences to the Holmes family. Mr Holmes always welcomed you and such a joy to know. 🤍🙏* ”

Ruth Lopez - August 11, 2023 at 12:20 AM

DM

“ *Darlene Maki
I'm so sorry for your loss. He lived a long life,so many memories you must have. I remember his love of dance way back when grampa Homes had his bar, always having us up there dancing up a storm. Always looking for fun. I remember him with a smile. You are all in my prayers* ”

Darlene Maki - July 27, 2023 at 02:56 PM

DE

“ *Back in the day of Highland Park* ”



Debble - July 27, 2023 at 08:55 AM

BH

“ I was only 3/4 years old and I was, let's say a wild child! Mr Holmes would come home and he would see my eyes and top of my head and he'd say "Barbie, did you get in trouble again "! Or I'd go next door to his house and stand at the door and yell "Mr Holmes are you home "? And he'd yell out "Nope, I'm not here"! And I'd turn around to leave and Phoebe would say, "stop teasing her"! I loved them both very much and I got to see Cal a couple years ago. It was like old times! Rest in peace fine sir, you lived a wonderful life and you will surely be missed!

Barbara Hann - July 26, 2023 at 08:38 PM

SD

I can still remember the first time I met your dad we was at the center we was playing rummy this was before I learned how to play pinochle yeah your dad taught me that game he'd always say this is my new girlfriend Sheryl I'd smile and shake my head yes he's right the times we use to go out to dinner or breakfast on Tuesday mornings the 3 of us I'm going to miss the hell out of him I remembered our first Xmas party at the center had lots of fun with your dad Rest In Peace loving you always your the last man for me RIP Love 💕💕 Sheryl

sheryl Diotte - July 27, 2023 at 05:30 PM