



Robert Eugene Benz

July 23, 1950 - January 9, 2026

Robert E. Benz age 75, a longtime Warren resident died on January 9, 2025. Dear father of Michelle (Justin) Thomason and Jeff (Tami Sherman) Kasner. Cherished Grandfather of Jacob and Josh Kasner, Brianna and Brandon Thomason. Also survived by his sister Charlotte (Dave) Vanryckeghem, nephews Jason and John, nieces Kim and Kelly, sister-in-law Sandy Benz and former wife Janice Earls. He was preceded in death by his brothers Bruce Benz, Noah Suta and nephew Kurt. Bob worked for Fontana Brothers for over 20 years working in the warehouse. He enjoyed getting together for family barbeques, going to and watching baseball, particularly the Detroit Tigers, as well as basketball and football. Always ready for a game of cards, he loved playing a good game of poker or rummy. Going to the casino and particularly Las Vegas was his enjoyment to play his favorite game of craps. In between those, he always played the lotto with the hopes of hitting it big one day. Visitation will be held at Rudy Funeral Home 25650 Van Dyke in Center Line on Friday, January 16, 2026 from 1-8 pm with a Vigil Service at 7 PM. Please visit www.rudyfuneral.com to light a candle or to share a memory.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **16**. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Vigil

JAN **16**. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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“ *The Paupert Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Robert Eugene Benz.* ”



The Paupert Family - January 16 at 05:53 AM

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“ *From Patricia, Kirk, Anne and Rick purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Robert Eugene Benz.* ”



From Patricia, Kirk, Anne and Rick - January 14 at 11:00 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Eugene Benz.* ”



January 13 at 02:17 PM