



## Stanley Peter Ziejka

May 1, 1927 - September 8, 2024

Stanley Ziejka, age 97, of Center Line, passed away September 8, 2024, surrounded by loving family. Born in Borzecin, Poland, the third of six children to the late Peter and Wiktoria Ziejka. They lived in poverty while growing up. He was taken from home at age 16 to work as forced labor on a farm in Austria during WWII. After the War, he went to Italy and enlisted in the Polish Army, and then on to England after the term in the Army. In 1951, he contacted his uncle John who sponsored him to come to the United States. A couple of years later, he met Cecilia and in November of 1955 they married. She passed away in 2015. Loving father of John (Barbara) Ziejka, Susan (Darren) Burch, Christine Ziejka, Richard Ziejka and Marie (Michael) Bissonnette. Grandfather of Mark, Natalie (Tom), Eddie (Kim), David, Justin, Colt and Great-Grandfather of Emileigh, Jack, and Sophie. Predeceased by 1 brother and 4 sisters in Poland. Stanley was a longtime member of St Clement Church since 1959. He loved Polish food, Polish music, Polka dancing, and bowling. He will be missed by all who knew him. A memorial gathering will be held on Saturday, September 14th at 10:30 AM followed by Mass at 11 AM at St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church, 31555 Hoover Road, in Warren. Inurnment at St. Clement Cemetery. Please visit [www.rudyfuneral.com](http://www.rudyfuneral.com) to share a memory or light a candle.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Clement Cemetery

8326 Engleman  
Center Line , MI

# Previous Events

## Memorial

SEP **14.** 10:30 AM.

St. Martin De Porres Catholic Church  
31555 Hoover Road  
Warren, MI

## Memorial Mass

SEP **14.** 11:00 AM.

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31555 Hoover Road  
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# Tribute Wall

JK

“ *Mr Ziejka was an amazing and wonderful person. I was blessed to spend Easter's at Mike and Marie' Bissonnette. His amazing life history is still in my heart , mind and soul. Thanks for the memories. Love Janice (Jan) Kory*

Janice (Jan) Kory - September 26, 2024 at 03:12 PM

DK

“ *Thinking of you all - Kwiatkowski Family and Lillian Lenczuk*

Donna Kwiatkowski - September 14, 2024 at 06:06 PM

RB

“ *Robert Bieniasz purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Stanley Peter Ziejka.*



Robert Bieniasz - September 12, 2024 at 12:35 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stanley Peter Ziejka.*



September 11, 2024 at 08:54 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stanley Peter Ziejka.*



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September 11, 2024 at 10:51 AM



“ *Maire, I met you when I came to St. Clement in 7th grade and have fond memories of your Dad and Mom & sibs., I remember sitting in the big recliners, watching “Love Boat”, eating Mac & Cheese and having your Dad walk over and joke with us. John would ask us when we were going to the “Pit” (Motor City Skating Rink). The Ziejka family are wonderful people who love each other and their family and friends. You are dear to my heart. Your Dad now joins with his beloved wife and our Lord God in heaven. We will miss his presence on earth, but he lives forever. Love you all, Patti Swick (Stallsmith). Dennis (my hubby) and I have you in our thoughts and prayers*

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**Patti Swick (Stallsmith)** - September 10, 2024 at 08:29 PM