



Dale A. Brandon

May 14, 1929 - August 8, 2019

Dale Alan Brandon, age 90 of Clare, passed away Thursday, August 8, 2019 at Prestige Place in Clare. Dale was born the son of the late Clyde A. and Florence E. (Palmer) Brandon on May 14, 1929 in Newark, Ohio. He was united in marriage to Jeanette "Jan" Marie Woodman on October 1, 1977. Dale had served his Country proudly during WWII in the U.S. Navy. He had worked for the Clare County Road Commission for 38 years, ending his tenure as the Superintendent. He was also instrumental in working with the City of Clare to expand the portion of McEwan Street from Wilcox Parkway to the expressway to five lanes, including the sidewalk and street lights.

Following his retirement Dale worked as a courier for Chemical Bank. The things that mattered most to Dale in this world were his faith in his Lord and Savior, his family and his music. Dale was a song writer and musician; having played with Ernest Tubbs at the Clare County Fair. Dale was born into a tight knit family and he continued that tradition raising a family of his own.

Dale is survived by his loving wife, Jan; children Cindy L. (Ernie) Wilson, Jeff L. (Sheri) Brown and Robby L. (Deanna) Brown; siblings Keith E. (Ethel) Brandon, Dean A. Brandon, Dan I. (Donna) Brandon and Bonnie J. (Rodney) Reed; 10 grandchildren Andy, Jared, Joseph, Nicholas, Amanda, Amber, Lacey, Kendra, Casey and Jordy as well as many great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his children Molly Lynn Brandon, Michael A. Brandon and John C. Brandon.

Visitation will be held at the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral

Home on Tuesday, August 13, 2019 from 2 to 8 P.M. Services will be held on Wednesday, August 14, 2019 at the Clare United Methodist Church with Pastor John Kasper officiating. Visitation will be from noon until the time of service at 1 P.M. Burial with Military Honors will follow in the Cherry Grove Cemetery in Clare. Memorials may be directed toward the Brandon Family. On-line condolences may be left at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Cemetery Details

Cherry Grove Cemetery

1000 Cedar St.
Clare, MI 48617

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **13**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Clare)
1005 North McEwan St.
Clare, MI 48617
(989) 386-7451
wymanh@chartermi.net
<https://www.stephenson-wyman.com/>

Visitation

AUG **14**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Clare United Methodist Church
105 E. Seventh Street
Clare, MI 48617

Service

AUG **14**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DK

“ Thank you Dale , and Jan , for giving me my first job.
And being more than just an employer, you were more like an uncle.
Greatly missed.
Doug Kennedy

Doug Kennedy - September 20, 2019 at 12:25 PM

JB

What a sweet thing to say... Thank you for your ❤️.

Jan Brandon - May 08, 2021 at 11:25 AM

MD

“ Jan and family
So sorry for your loss. You are in My thoughts and Prayers.

Micky Davis

Micky Davis - August 23, 2019 at 04:57 PM

BE

“ Sincere condolences to the family and many friends of Dale
Brandon. Dale touched the lives of many and will be deeply missed.
He and Jan were devoted to each other and to their community.
Thankfully, wonderful memories will always keep him close.

Becky Evans - August 15, 2019 at 06:35 PM

BR

“ You were a good person, gave joy to lots of people... playing and
singing with us on the farm are memories we will cherish... we will
miss you

Barb Jeanie Palmer Rambo - August 14, 2019 at 11:25 PM

SB

“ Going to miss you Dale . I have great cousins and you were one of the best . RIP

Steve Brandon - August 14, 2019 at 08:24 AM

JH

“ We have lost a good man here on Earth..But we have gained a Angel...Prayers for the Family...

Janet and Tonia Huntoon - August 13, 2019 at 10:20 PM

JH

“ Janet And Tonia Huntoon lit a candle in memory of Dale A. Brandon



Janet and Tonia Huntoon - August 13, 2019 at 10:15 PM

RK

“ I'm so sorry for your loss, I remember Dale & Jan to be the couple I always dreamed of being, They sang at my wedding on January 2nd 1980 leather and lace. That moment meant everything to me, there generosity didn't stop there, at that time they owned a small time country restaurant, holy moly was it a great place to eat. Well they was generous enough to cater most of the food for a wedding gift, to me that was the most gracious gift I could have had. With that being said, Dale you will always have a place in my HEART. God bless you and You have the most Beautiful Family anyone could ask for. RIP my Friend . Remembering you always Rebecca Huntoon



Rebecca Kase - August 13, 2019 at 08:51 PM

JS

“ So sorry about Dale or as I always called him Mr. Brandon. I have fond memories of you and your family. Jackie, my sister was engaged to Mike and we spent time round music. Such a talented family❤️ You are with your boys now and I’m sure that heaven welcomed you with a song. ❤️

judy Handy Sulser - August 13, 2019 at 02:13 PM

CH

“ Carla Hilyard sent a virtual gift in memory of Dale A. Brandon



Carla Hilyard - August 12, 2019 at 06:29 PM

CH

“ Carla Hilyard lit a candle in memory of Dale A. Brandon



Carla Hilyard - August 12, 2019 at 06:27 PM



“ With Distinction was purchased for the family of Dale A. Brandon.



August 12, 2019 at 03:11 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dale A. Brandon.*



August 12, 2019 at 10:36 AM



“ *Jan, Sending love, hugs and prayers for you and your family. I always enjoyed visiting with Dale whenever I was at your home. Such a kind and caring man.*

Love, Carron

Carron Nevill - August 12, 2019 at 07:51 AM



“ *From the time I met Dale it warmed my heart each time I saw him to see the smile on his face and hear his gentle greeting, 'It's good to see you, my friend. '. That greeting will roll through my memory each time I'm reminded of Dale. That gentle man will be missed by many.*

Bruce Hales - August 11, 2019 at 06:43 AM