



## Ronald P. Burrows

March 30, 1929 - January 9, 2024

Ronald Preston Burrows died peacefully on January 9, 2024 after a battle with cancer.

Ron was born on March 30, 1929 to William and Isabelle Burrows in Detroit. He met the love of his life, Jean, at St. Andrew's Methodist Church. Ron often talked about when he first spotted her from across the room at a young adult group function and he knew she was "The One". After almost 66 years of marriage, he was obviously right!

Ron loved reading and listening to books, fishing with his grandsons and spending time with his family. He also loved to sing and was a member of the church choir for many, many years.

Ron and Jean have called The Brook in Gladwin home for the last three years. The staff at The Brook are very special people and they took great, loving care of Ron and continue to do so for Jean. Compassus Hospice took care of Ron for the last few months of his life at The Brook and their nurses and aides were so loving and caring. The family cannot begin to thank them enough for all they did.

Ron is survived by his wife Jean and his children, Amy (husband Dave), Jeff (wife Lynn) and David (wife Kathy). He was also survived by his sister, Eileen

Smith of Cutler, Indiana.

He had ten grandchildren, Traci (husband Colton), Aaron, Cory (wife Brittney), Justin, Alicia (husband David), Zach, Avery, Angel, Justice, Autumn and five great grandchildren, Sam, Sophie, Lucy, Caroline and Christian.

Visitation will be on Monday, January 15, 2024 from 11 A.M. until the time of services at 1 P.M. at the Clare United Methodist Church. The family is requesting donations to Compassus Hospice in West Branch at 3217 West M-55, Ste. B, West Branch 48661. ([www.compassuslivingfoundation.org](http://www.compassuslivingfoundation.org)) in lieu of flowers. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Cherry Grove Cemetery

1000 Cedar St.  
Clare, MI 48617

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 15. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

JAN 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KV

“ Ron was a Wonderful brother in law. Kind and caring of his family and friends. I will always remember Ron, son in law Dave, and my late husband Chuck, singing songs together. I will miss him very much as I'm sure many others will. ❤️

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**Karen Vockler** - January 13, 2024 at 12:24 PM

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“ I will remember Ron forever. He and Jean were my first best friends at GC Methodist church. We shared memories together as our kids grew up together at the church. He had a lovely voice and was always willing to share it in choir. We will miss his smile and gentle nature!!

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**Sue Weber** - January 12, 2024 at 04:17 PM

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“ I remember both Ron and Jean well from my visits home and attending church with Mom and Dad. My father (Harold Brooks) enjoyed singing with the Ron in the choir!

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**sylvia Brooks Taylor** - January 11, 2024 at 10:52 AM