



Jimmie D. Long

August 26, 1935 - May 22, 2019

Jimmie Dale Long passed away peacefully on May 22, 2019. Visitation at Dryer Funeral Home, in Holly MI, is scheduled for Tuesday, May 28, from 2-5 and 7-9 PM, and at First Baptist of Holly from 9-11 AM on Wednesday, May 29, 2019. Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church of Holly, on Wednesday May 29, at 11:00 AM. Burial will take place at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Thursday May 30 at 9 AM. Jimmie was born in Dyersburg, Tennessee as the first-born son of Virginia (Shinny) Long and Woodrow (Woody) Long. He was big brother to five siblings, proceeded in death by both his parents, brother Steve (Kathy) Long, brother David (Linda) Long, and his beloved wife Marilyn (Andrews) Long. Surviving are sisters Pamela (Paul) Liscom, Sharon (Jim) Reid, brother Virgil (Betty) Long, son Phil (Robin) Long, daughter Lisa (Peter) Hickman, daughter Lesley (Neale) Jesse, and beloved friend Francine DeStefano. Jimmie was the fun-loving grandfather of seven grandchildren. Eric Long, Jacob Long, Caleb Long, Jordan Hickman, Mason Hickman, Adam Jesse, and Abigail Jesse will forever love their “inappropriate grandpa.” He is also survived by sister-in-law and brother-in-law Toni and Bill Conti. Jimmie was a veteran of the US Air Force, retired from Pontiac Motors, and enjoyed entertaining his customers at Jimmie D. Long Income Tax. He was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Holly. Jimmie loved “the golf” and has the enviable accomplishment of making three holes in one. His sense of humor, kindness, generosity, and the mischievous twinkle in his eyes, endeared him to a multitude of friends and acquaintances. He was a

servant to two loyal dachshunds, Poppy and LuLu, and the savior of a blue tick hound. Jimmie enjoyed traveling, classic movies, Marilyn Monroe, southern cooking, practical jokes, and a good garage sale deal. He was a collector of many things, but mostly of devoted friends and family. He will be remembered in our hearts with joy, thankfulness, and gratitude.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 28. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home
101 First St
Holly, MI 48442
(248) 634-8291

Visitation

MAY 28. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

MAY 29. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Holly
Holly, MI

Service

MAY 29. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Holly
Holly, MI

Graveside Service

MAY 30. 9:00 AM (ET)

Great Lakes National Cemetery
Holly, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Dryer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jimmie D. Long*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - May 28, 2019 at 11:10 AM

SS

“ *Prayers to family and friends my condolence so sorry💔*

sally stotler - May 28, 2019 at 05:19 PM

LB

“ *Ahhhh Jimmie- I will never forget the first time we met. I was meeting the friends and extended family way back in 1987. You strutted up to me- Bryce introduced us and instead of shaking my hand or a light hug- you greeted me with a kiss on my lips- I never laughed so hard. Your door was always open for visitors and friends. Rest In Peace and keep the humor going. Heaven is going to be chaos until they get used to you!*

Laura Dawn Burget - May 28, 2019 at 01:30 PM



“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - May 28, 2019 at 10:05 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jimmie D. Long.



May 28, 2019 at 09:57 AM

SD

“ Heartfelt love, and laughter has always been a warm welcome from Jimmie... His guidance, and advice has been a warm welcome, as he helped me grow up thru the years. (I believe Jimmie has done my Taxes~just about, my entire life!! (Incredible Talent & Gift to soooo many)

My mom, {Honey Messer} and Jimmie were great friends!! *as with the whole family💕💕

*The Lord has his hands full with Jimmie & Ernie Neely💕

To all of the Long Family...

You've all either watched me grow up and helped me grow to love the Lord, or I've grown up alone side ...your kids.

My heart felt love is with you all, as we look forward to sharing Eternity with Jimmie, again one day in Heaven💕💕

Susie "Q" *Honey Messer's daughter - May 28, 2019 at 09:45 AM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Jimmie D. Long.



May 27, 2019 at 01:41 PM

KC

“ 1 file added to the album *Jimmie Dale Long*



Kathy Clark - May 26, 2019 at 12:40 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Jimmie D. Long*.



May 26, 2019 at 12:30 PM

LF

“ *Love T Donaldson, T Norris & T Voorheis families* purchased the *Love Everlasting Bouquet* for the family of *Jimmie D. Long*.



Love T Donaldson, T Norris & T Voorheis families - May 26, 2019 at 11:07 AM

MS

“ *Much love to all, Jeff and Sonia Semenchuk* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of *Jimmie D. Long*.



Much love to all, Jeff and Sonia Semenchuk - May 25, 2019 at 01:43 PM

LF

“ Love, The David Long Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Jimmie D. Long.



Love, The David Long Family - May 25, 2019 at 08:28 AM

BJ

“ My all time favorite Lake Louise golf buddy.....may. the Lord bless your soul Jimmy

Bruce Johnson - May 24, 2019 at 09:10 PM

BR

“ Bryan purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jimmie D. Long.



Bryan - May 24, 2019 at 06:54 PM

AB

“ Amos And Dottie Bradsher lit a candle in memory of Jimmie D. Long



Amos and Dottie Bradsher - May 24, 2019 at 06:46 PM

JB

“ *Judy Blakemore lit a candle in memory of Jimmie D. Long*



Judy Blakemore - May 24, 2019 at 09:40 AM

KJ

“ *I am sorry for your loss. Jimmy, was such a great person, He will live on in my memories forever. My heartfelt condolences. In reading his obituary I teared up, got goose bumps and even chuckled thinking back to being a kid growing up across the street from Jimmy and Mimi. Jimmy was the crazy, sweet old man across the street (at least in my young mind he was old), who never failed to say hello or joke with us kids. As I got older and went off to college he made a point to come out and ask how classes were going and tell me about his kids and grand kids (he was a proud man)when I can back to my moms. As all of us kids grew up, moved away and had kids of our own, he and Mimi asked us to stop by so they could catch up and see the kids. They would be sure to send a Christmas card each year to let us know they were thinking of us. (I really think it was so they could get pictures of the kids in return). Jimmy was a good man who I wall always remember fondly, may you be comforted by the outpouring of love surrounding you.*
Kelly (Carpenter) Johns

Kelly (Carpenter) Johns - May 24, 2019 at 08:31 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmie D. Long.*



May 24, 2019 at 07:06 AM



“ *I grew up in the First Baptist Church and Jimmie was one of my favorite ushers and always made me laugh. He also was a great tax man!*



Maryalice Inman - May 23, 2019 at 08:34 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jimmie D. Long.*



May 23, 2019 at 08:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jimmie D. Long.*



May 23, 2019 at 06:09 PM

KC

“ *What a one-of-a-kind special guy! James would tell the stories about he and Jimmie going to get slab wood in the old camp truck. Just wonderfully FUN memories. Love to you all and continued prayers in the coming days. The video is such a lovely tribute.*

Kathy Clark - May 23, 2019 at 02:57 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Jimmie Dale Long*



Robin Long - May 23, 2019 at 12:45 PM



Love this ❤️

Kelcey Lackey Harrington - May 23, 2019 at 03:59 PM

PL

My dear brother Jimmie... gosh I miss you so much already. Well you were able to stop a plane - I know you would have LOVED that - all heck is breaking loose here in Texas (my phone broke, my car has stopped running... how the heck can I come to your funeral? Please catch one of those angels up there and clip her wings or something and come get me. It looks like I'm stuck here. I have loved the video's and pictures and memorials and I've been sniffing and sobbing over your loss. Who is gonna answer all my silly texts now? Give your phone to Bubba.. he doesn't have texting. Hey I know, send that taxi driver in the picture.. I might just keep him. I love you bro. Your sisty ugler, Pam Liscom

Pamela Long Liscom - May 27, 2019 at 11:21 PM

CH

Rest in peace my friend. I will never forget the time we worked together in the time office at Pontiac Motor. It was some of the best times I have had working anywhere especially with you, Bill Maloney, Tony Neff and the rest of the gang. Great Memories. Chuck Henderson

Chuck Henderson - June 05, 2019 at 11:19 PM