



## Melvin G. Beardsley

April 23, 1944 - December 3, 2016

Melvin G. Beardsley, age 72, of Wolverine, formerly of Davisburg, died Dec. 3, 2016. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Thurs. Dec. 8, 2016 at the Dryer Funeral Home, Holly, with Pastor Ben Glupker officiating. Burial will be in Andersonville Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4-9 PM Wed. Mr. Beardsley was born in Holly on April 23, 1944 to Ronald and Jane (Alexander) Beardsley. He grew up in Fenton before moving to Waterford where he attended Waterford Public Schools. On Dec. 24, 1992, he married Connie Joslyn in Waterford. The couple made their home in Davisburg until retiring to their home in Wolverine in 2001. Mel retired in 2001 as a machinist for Ring Screw Works, Fenton Heading Division after 28 years of service. He was a member of Wildwood Lakes Golf Course, and he enjoyed hunting, golfing, and fishing. Surviving are his wife Connie; 4 children, Melvin (Debbie) of Waterford, Tami (Jay) Tindal of Davisburg, Teri (Dave) Stewart of Clarkston, and Melissa Maybee of Davisburg; 6 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren; brother Ronald (Sue) Beardsley of Holly; sister Marilyn (Marty) Secatch of Grand Blanc, half-brothers Jerry Reid of Harrison and Chuck Reid of NC step-father Donald Reid of Waterford; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his daughter Jane Maris. Memorial donations may be made to the Michigan Humane Society. [www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com](http://www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Andersonville Cemetery

Davisburg, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 7. 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

DEC 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dryer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Melvin G. Beardsley*



**Dryer Funeral Home, Inc.** - December 09, 2016 at 08:40 AM

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*God bless you Mel. My condolences to you and your family. I'm sure Dad is in a better place.* 😊❤️🙏🇺🇸

**Nadine Irwin** - December 12, 2016 at 04:47 AM

DB

“ *1 file added to the album LifeTributes*



**Daniel Brazier** - December 09, 2016 at 09:11 PM

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“ *Kim Marie Kesanen lit a candle in memory of Melvin G. Beardsley*



**Kim Marie Kesanen** - December 08, 2016 at 12:59 PM

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*Tami and Jay ~ My thoughts are with you today... Love to you both!!*

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**Kim Marie Kesanen** - December 08, 2016 at 01:18 PM

MC

“ *Connie, so sorry to hear about your husband's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. My daughter is out of town & I am watching children, so couldn't attend the service. Sincerely Mary Catanzarite.*

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**Mary Catanzarite** - December 07, 2016 at 06:09 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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December 07, 2016 at 11:38 AM

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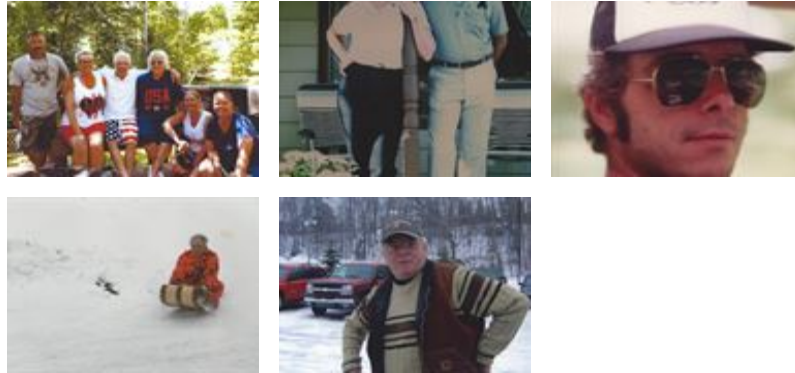
“ *Love Brad and Ginger Kittell purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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**Love Brad and Ginger Kittell** - December 07, 2016 at 09:23 AM



“ 26 files added to the album Life Tributes



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - December 07, 2016 at 08:24 AM

KF

“ Ken and Mary Beardsley and family. purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.



Ken and Mary Beardsley and family. - December 06, 2016 at 04:14 PM

SB

“ Scott Skowronski and Ray Basile, Comerica Bank purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.



Scott Skowronski and Ray Basile, Comerica Bank -  
December 06, 2016 at 02:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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December 06, 2016 at 02:42 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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December 06, 2016 at 08:03 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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December 06, 2016 at 12:15 AM



“ *RIP Grandpa Mel!*



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**Ashley Lambrecht** - December 05, 2016 at 06:28 PM

KH

“ *Kim and Robert Hartman&family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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**Kim and Robert Hartman&family** - December 05, 2016 at 06:27 PM

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“ *Mel was like a second dad to me, sending all my prayers and condolences to you all!!!!!! Xoxo*

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**Traci McKervey (Groner)** - December 05, 2016 at 06:13 PM

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“ *Sending all my prayers and condolences to all of you!!!! Mel was like a second dad to me!!!!!! Xoxoxo*

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**Traci McKervey (Groner)** - December 05, 2016 at 06:11 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Melvin G. Beardsley.*



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December 05, 2016 at 05:43 PM



“ *Connie Austin-Davis lit a candle in memory of Melvin G. Beardsley*



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**Connie Austin-Davis** - December 05, 2016 at 05:00 PM



“ *Barbara Austin Castle lit a candle in memory of Melvin G. Beardsley*



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**Barbara Austin Castle** - December 05, 2016 at 03:55 PM