



## Morrell "Butch" Bailey

December 23, 1927 - May 30, 2023

Morrell "Butch" Bailey passed away peacefully, at home, on May 30, 2023. Morrell was born, December 23, 1927, to Alvin and Eva Bailey, who preceded him in death, along with his wife Normagene (Ballard), sister Lesla Jean Hall, and brother Herbert Bailey. He is survived by his daughters Marilyn (Gary) Wolverton and Linda Bailey, grandchildren Jarrett (Nikki) Hopper, Logan Wolverton, Jamie Wolverton, and nieces and nephews. Morrell retired from the GM Proving Grounds after 30+ years of service. He was an avid golfer, hunter, enduro racer, and collector of antique tractors. He also had a passion for the Holly Wrestling program since the 1970's. He will be sadly missed by his family and many friends. Memorial donations may be made to the Holly Athletic Boosters or Adopt-A-Pet. Morrell was a proud veteran of WWII, and burial will take place at Great Lakes National Cemetery. Per his request no service will be held. [www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com](http://www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Tribute Wall

SJ

“ *Marilyn and Linda sending prayers your way. Growing up on Richard Drive, lots of memories. Hugs Susan and Sally* ”

Sally Johnson - June 03, 2023 at 12:39 PM

KV

“ *So sorry to hear about Butch, I have thought so often over the years about Butch and Norma and all the good times we had. Norma has waited for him a long time and now they are together again.* ”

Kathy VanWormer - June 02, 2023 at 05:27 PM

CB

“ *We are sending our condolences. Chari and Terry Beecher* ”



chari Beecher - June 02, 2023 at 01:09 PM

PH

“ *Paula and Jim Hansen lit a candle in memory of Morrell Bailey* ”



Paula and Jim Hansen - June 01, 2023 at 01:04 AM

JP

“ *Judy Prose lit a candle in memory of Morrell Bailey*



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**Judy Prose** - May 31, 2023 at 11:37 AM

KP

“ *Kim and John Phillips*



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**kim phillips** - May 30, 2023 at 05:55 PM

KL

“ *Kay lacey lit a candle in memory of Morrell Bailey*



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**Kay lacey** - May 30, 2023 at 05:02 PM

JP

“ *Butch was an amazing man he will be dearly missed. I remember him Driving his Tractor around the subdivision.. I loved the putt putt sound of that old Tractor. And looked forward to going outside and waving to Butch.*

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**Julie Parker** - May 30, 2023 at 02:24 PM



“ *Teri Misenheimer Keener lit a candle in memory of Morrell Bailey*



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**Teri Misenheimer Keener** - May 30, 2023 at 02:03 PM