



Emory Rumble

August 26, 1938 - March 11, 2024

Emory Rumble, age 85 of Ubly, passed away on Monday, March 11, 2024 at his home surrounded by family.

He was born on August 26, 1938 in Eastern MI, son of the late Roy and Rosa (Watson) Rumble. He married Patricia Trisch on August 27, 1960 in Rochester, MI.

Emory spent most of his childhood years helping his father growing and selling watermelons. At 18 years old Emory secured a production job at General Motors working his way through the ranks until becoming a shift Supervisor until he retired in 1983. His foremost priority in all his years was providing for his family. He loved hunting, fishing, old cars, Country music and camping with his family.

Emory is survived by his wife of 63 years Patricia Rumble of Ubly. Two daughters, Helene (Doug) Lockhart of Ubly and Angela (Scott) Fraley of Sandusky. Three grandchildren~Jess, Emory and Carlton Durbin and five great-grandchildren. Bobby, Alex, Christopher, Emilia and Addyson Durbin. He was preceded in death by 8 brothers and one sister.

A Celebration of Life will be held on May 18, 2024 at 1:30 PM at Wilcox Park In Bad Axe. Visitation will be from 1 PM until the service time at 1:30 PM. A potluck dinner will follow.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Wilcox Park
Whitelam St.
Bad Axe, MI

Celebration of Life

MAY 18. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Wilcox Park
Whitelam St.
Bad Axe, MI

Tribute Wall

TF

“ *The Wung Family purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Emory Rumble.*



The Wung Family - March 14, 2024 at 09:22 AM

AF

“ 19 years ago, newly sober... I had only one fear of an event that would challenge my determination of staying sober...I FEARED the "loss of one of my parents". I knew even then that this one thing was to be my biggest challenge.... (I HATE when I am right). I'd be LYING if I said the last 3 days haven't rocked me to my core. I've cried so much I'm nauseous. Ironically, the ONE thing that HASN'T crossed my mind is drinking. Because in these 19 years, my family has been my biggest asset in my sobriety.

Through the first 5 years, when I had no license they made sure I got to my meetings, And when I started the Ugly meeting in 2005, if I couldn't get there because of work or illness, my Dad would go to the restaurant, unlock the doors, make coffee and sit in his car until the meeting ended, for my fellow members. Then go in clean & lock up. In 2005 we held our first A.A Thanksgiving dinner. My Mom, Dad & sister cooked the ENTIRE dinner. Now, when I say they cooked the dinner... what that meant is My DADDY washed and cooked 4 turkeys, helped peel and cook 50 lbs of potatoes. While my Mom made stuffing and all the fixin's. Helene always helped with Desserts drinks and decorations. While I decorated coordinated activities for the meeting & played hostess. We served 65 people the first year(in a restaurant with a capacity of 35). Every year for the next 14 years my family hosted that event for AA members, our largest turnout being almost 150 ppl. And EVERY one of those years my DAD prepared anywhere from 4-8 turkeys, peeled 100's of lbs of potatoes, and baked unknown numbers of butternut squash. At every point in my life my family has ALWAYS been there for me. That being said, though my heart is breaking and I truly would like to find ANY ESCAPE from this pain.

The VERY LAST thing I would EVER do is use the loss of my DADDY as an excuse to destroy his faith and support in my ability to keep my sobriety.

I won't let you down DADDY I promise!! ❤️❤️❤️

Angela Fraley - March 14, 2024 at 05:31 AM

AF

“ *Michael Fraley*

Yesterday

I did not know Emory, but the Rumble name was well-known and almost "legendary" in our small town. May he rest in peace knowing his legacy lives on <3

Angela Fraley - March 14, 2024 at 05:29 AM

AF

“ *Theresa Bildstein*

Yesterday

My heart goes out to Pat, Helene and Angela at this very difficult time. They have lost a very good man. He was a great husband, a wonderful father and grandfather and a mentor for all. He was one of the kindest and most caring man I had the privilege of knowing. This world has lost a truly good man. Rest easy in heaven Emory, I know our Lord has you in his loving arms.

Angela Fraley - March 14, 2024 at 05:28 AM

AF

“ *I have been Praying every day that You, "Mom" Pat and Family are surrounded by Love, Hugs and Peace in the loss of "Dad" Emory - forever in the hearts and minds of those that cherished Him! Amen*



Shirley James

Angela Fraley - March 14, 2024 at 05:23 AM

AF

“ *Angela Fraley lit a candle in memory of Emory Rumble*



Angela Fraley - March 14, 2024 at 05:23 AM

KH

“ *Uncle Emory, You were best Uncle ever.. You always had a smile and a hug.. I will never forget all you and Aunt Pat did for me for my wedding.. you actually made it a special day for me.. You was always right there when any one needed help.. I love you always and forever..*

Kathy Hall - March 13, 2024 at 10:33 PM

JC

“ *Emory P. Rumble is the name of someone I just called dad. He wasn't my dad by birth, but he was a dad to Angie one of my best friends and took the rest of us in under his wing. He was a kind soul, who always tried to find the best of life. He always had a smile and a great laugh. When you would see him with his family you could see all over his face how much he loved each and every one of them. He also probably deserves saint hood for dragging teenagers to midnight movies to see Rocky Horror over and over and over, not to mention all the other places he happily drove us. I was so happy on the day of my wedding that I looked over and Pat and Emory were there too. You will be missed dad.*

Jenifer Campbell-Robb - March 13, 2024 at 03:09 PM

DA

“ Dawn, Lucy, Eleanor purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Emory Rumble.



Dawn, Lucy, Eleanor - March 13, 2024 at 02:43 PM

JO

“ *Dear Emory*

Thank you for showing this world how kindness can make a positive difference in this world. You certainly showed us. You showed us with that big kind smile and relaxed demeanor. Mrs. Rumble your smile and beauty inside and out I do believe contributed to this. Never will Mr. Rumble be forgotten. He will always hold a special place in our hearts. Much love and hugs, Jodi

Jodi - March 13, 2024 at 02:20 PM