



Harold Langley

February 22, 1959 - July 28, 2022

Harold Joseph Langley, age 63, of Bad Axe, passed away on Thursday, July 28, 2022 with his family by his side.

He was born on February 22, 1959 in Bad Axe, son of the late Willett “Bud” and Emma “Marie”(Reehl) Langley.

He graduated from Bad Axe High School in 1977. He married Lorraine “Lori” Drelich on November 28, 1980 and was happily married for over 41 years.

Harold loved his family, music, animals, fishing and watching movies. He had a great sense of humor and could have a conversation with anyone. He was an amazing husband, father, grandfather, son, brother, and uncle.

Harold is survived by his wife, Lorraine “Lori” Langley of Bad Axe.

Two daughters, Heather Langley of Auburn and Amber (Dustin) Langley of Saginaw.

Mother-in-law, Ann Messing of Cass City.

Brother, Bradford (Carol) Langley of Battle Creek.

Sister, Brenda Maurer of Bad Axe.

Brother-in-law, James (Ann) Messing of Frankenmuth.

Sisters-in-law, Judy (Brian) Hartman of Wheaton, IL and Jeniffer (Chad) Timmons of Owendale.

Many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his granddaughter, Olivia.

Parents, Willett “Bud” Langley and Emma “Marie” Langley.

Brother, Garth Langley.

Father-in-law, Lloyd Messing.

Brother-in-law, Dave Maurer.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 5, 2022 at 11 am at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Officiating will be Rev. Mary Jo Hudson. Visitation will be held on Thursday, August 4, 2022 from 3 – 8 pm and Friday from 10 am until the service time at 11 am

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 4. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaufman & Co. Funeral Home, Inc.
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Bad Axe, MI 48413
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Visitation

AUG 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Memorial Service

AUG 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Harold Langley*

January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Harold Langley.*



August 04, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ *We are thinking of you and praying for you is this time of loss. Especially my friend Brenda. Don and Denise Rice*

Denise Rice - August 04, 2022 at 07:31 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Harold Langley.*



August 02, 2022 at 05:13 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Langley.*



August 02, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Harold Langley.*



August 01, 2022 at 06:11 PM



“ *Harold and I worked together at a Courtney Manor he worked in the dietary department. He was such a good person. He would do anything for anyone. He talked about his family often. And you could tell they were his driving force. He will be missed. 💕 My heart and prayers go out to the family.*

Lillian Jock - August 01, 2022 at 10:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Harold Langley.*



July 31, 2022 at 07:35 PM

TR

“ Harold, we never met in person but both my husband Tom and I are friends of your amazing daughters. We met five years ago on a coastal bus trip to California. After reading some of your messages we now know why we gravitated to each other like magnets. Your daughters seem to have been raised with the same personality as their parents. I do know that your passing will leave a indelible mark on their footprints forevermore. They both carry an unconditional love of their parents that only a child could have and always spoke of their parents with glee in their hearts and voices. Our Christian roots teach us that we are just around the bend and that at some time in the distant future we will all meet again. May God shed his everlasting grace on you and bring peace to the hearts of your loved ones.

With deep condolences to your family.

Tom & Vicky Ruiz.

Tom & Vicky Ruiz - July 31, 2022 at 07:08 PM

BL

“ One of my fond memories of Harold is when he was eight or nine months old and still crawling. I use to hold him up by his wrists and walk him back and forth across the living room. Eventually Harold took off on his own and was into everything. I had the habit of rubbing the top of his head and soft light blond hair as he would run by. This use to wind Dad up and he would holler out "leave his head alone". Well, it took me 63 years to find out Harold didn't like his head touched, when Carol and I were stroking his hair in the hospital. Who knew? Too funny!

Another one of my memories is when Harold was in Junior High or a Freshman in High School he would come to me for assistance with Math. After a couple of times of me assisting him he came to the conclusion that I wasn't any better in Math than he was. He told me that if he wanted to get E's he could do that much on his own. Of course I knew better knowing my track record in Math, but found it quite entertaining at the time to wind him up. This is pretty much a Langley tradition. If we weren't winding up one another something was wrong.

I always found it fun years later at mom and dad's dinner table when Harold use to wind them up. Both mom and dad couldn't hear well so their responses back and forth to each other was "huh and what". Mom found it hilarious and dad did his level best not to laugh, but periodically got caught up in the moment and laughed.

Harold was always good natured and enjoyed sharing a laugh with family and friends. This is one of the things I will miss about him the most. I love and miss my brother dearly and I know that one day we will be united again. The day after Harold's passing it dawned on me what happened on July 29, 1950. That is our mother & father's Wedding Anniversary. Harold is now back in their loving arms. Rest in peace my brother!

Bradford

Bradford Langley - July 31, 2022 at 03:50 PM

LK

Harold always had a smile that could light up a room . Cherish your memories.

Lori (Hind) Koch

Lori Koch - July 31, 2022 at 07:55 PM

SM

“ I’ve enjoyed every conversation I’ve ever had with Harold! He always made everyone feel welcome thru his positive and inclusive personality! He wanted people to enjoy life by laughing and smiling at his jokes! Harold will be truly missed!

Stacee Miller - July 31, 2022 at 02:17 PM