



Gregory Paul Spencer

March 24, 1948 - December 27, 2024

Gregory Paul Spencer, loving husband, adoring father and grandfather, educator, social worker, inventor, visionary artist, blood distribution worker and school crossing guard died from complications of cancer on December 27, 2024.

Greg spent a joyous Christmas surrounded by his loving family and his cherished sheepdog, Camus, before passing peacefully in Port Huron, Michigan.

Born on March 24, 1948 in Helena, Montana to parents Lt. Colonel Stewart Spencer and Helen Greene Spencer, Greg and his five siblings Marshall, Ernie, Allen, Fay and Heidi experienced the world living abroad on military bases stretching from Germany to Hawaii., with their longest stay in Washington, D.C.

He met his wife Marijo in Latin Class at Michigan State University, in East Lansing, Michigan. Both Spartans for life, East Lansing would be the place where they would later build a family and make their home. Marijo was the love of his life for 52 years.

Greg's life was defined by his warmth and his ability to form genuine bonds with people from all walks of life. His warm smile and soft blue eyes were always a welcome addition to any gathering. Greg is survived by his wife Marijo, children Sarah married to George, Shannon married to Michael, grandchildren Helen and Harry, Joshua married to Ammy and youngest son Jake.

Greg always made people feel welcome. His warm smile and soft blue eyes won everyone's heart. The family wishes to include and celebrate together in the spring at a memorial and celebration of life. Details to come. For now a small visitation and burial will be held on Monday, December 30, 2024 in Lexington, Michigan at the Pomeroy Funeral Home and Spring Hill Cemetery in Fargo, Michigan at the family plot next to his parents and younger sister Heidi. Greg's legacy of love, kindness and creativity will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

Cemetery Details

Spring Hill Cemetery

7840 metcalf rd.
Avoca, MI 48006

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 30. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Pomeroy Funeral Home - Lexington
5635 Main St.
Lexington, MI 48450
(810) 359-7700
pomeroyfuneralhomes@gmail.com
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Celebration of Life Service

DEC 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SS

“ Greg Spencer was a great neighbor and friend to our family. We never walked past his yard without admiring all his fascinating wooden sculptures and odes to nature. Creations by Greg! He was a poet at heart. Never without a smile or an offer to lend a hand, he will not be forgotten. A true gentleman and a fine friend. Our condolences go out to Marijo and family.

Sandra C Seaton - April 26, 2025 at 04:08 PM

DF

“ Donald F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Paul Spencer.

Donald F. - January 18, 2025 at 05:30 PM

AS

“ I will always remember Greg as being one of the most loving and generous gentleman I've ever met. He was honest and truthful, his heart was always in the right place. Love you Greg and may you rest comfortably in Gods arms. I was always proud to call him my brother in law.
Anita



anita Sidzina - January 08, 2025 at 01:09 PM

PW

“ I got to know Greg through his Crossing Guard job, I am the supervisor that oversees our East Lansing Schools crossing guards and would try and stop by his post every morning. Greg always had a great smile and after getting to know each other we began telling jokes to the kids at our crossings. I would stop in the morning and let Greg know which joke I was going to tell and he would also come up with one. The kids loved it. I will miss Greg, a wonderful gentleman.

Paul Weidner - January 08, 2025 at 09:31 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gregory Paul Spencer.



December 30, 2024 at 07:58 AM

MB

“ My condolences to the Spencer family. I know you will treasure and take comfort in the memories of Gregory..a devoted and loving husband, father and grandfather.

Marietta Bratta-Garber - December 29, 2024 at 08:20 PM

MB

“ Marietta B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Paul Spencer.

Marietta B. - December 29, 2024 at 08:11 PM

SD

“ Susie, Eider & David purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gregory Paul Spencer.



Susie, Eider & David - December 29, 2024 at 03:05 PM

SD

“ Susie, Eider & David planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Paul Spencer.

Susie, Eider & David - December 29, 2024 at 03:05 PM

PS

“ Phil, Elissa, Henry & Lucy Spencer purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gregory Paul Spencer.



Phil, Elissa, Henry & Lucy Spencer - December 29, 2024 at 12:41 PM

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Phil, Elissa, Henry & Lucy Spencer - December 29, 2024 at 12:41 PM

PH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pomeroy funeral home - December 29, 2024 at 10:39 AM

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