



Robert Lewis Putz

July 23, 1941 - March 27, 2026

LEXINGTON- Robert Lewis Putz, age 84, passed away peacefully on March 27, 2026. Born on July 23, 1941, Bob lived a life defined by hard work and his devotion to his family.

A natural athlete, Bob was known in his younger years as a standout baseball and basketball player. His love for sports stayed with him throughout his life, though in later years he also found a passion for woodworking. In his woodworking, he found peace in creating pieces that would be cherished by his family for generations.

Bob dedicated many years of service to the Cotterman Company, where he was a respected colleague and friend. When he wasn't working or building, he was happiest in nature—camping, feeding the deer and birds on his property, and enjoying time around the bonfire with his loved ones.

He is survived by the love of his life and wife of 56 years, Ruth Putz. His memory lives on through his daughters, Jennifer (Chuck) Doan, Megan (Chris) Trottier, and Sarah Putz. "Papa" will be deeply missed by his grandchildren: Brandon Doan, Mackenzie Doan, Jaxon Sari, Liam Trottier, and Parker Trottier. He is also survived by his most favored children (dogs) Poppy and Lily.

Bob was preceded in death by his brother, Frederick Putz and an infant brother, Donald Putz.

There will be a casual service at 11 A.M. on Saturday April 25, 2026 at Trinity Episcopal Church in Lexington, with refreshments afterward until 2 P.M.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations be made in Robert's name to the Sanilac County Humane Society, honoring his kind heart and love for animals or Trinity Episcopal Church.

Previous Events

Church Service

APR **25**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Episcopal Church
5646 Main St.
Lexington, MI 48450

Tribute Wall

AB

“ *All our love, Ashley & Bridget purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Robert Lewis Putz.*



All our love, Ashley & Bridget - April 24 at 12:02 PM

FJ

“ *Faith Jaciuk lit a candle in memory of Robert Lewis Putz*



Faith Jaciuk - March 31 at 02:00 AM

MP

“ *Ruth, we are very sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I have fond memories of him when he occasionally hung out at the Sunoco Station to play Catch with my dad. You and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Mike and Janice Patterson
Fort Gratiot*

Mike Patterson - March 30 at 05:05 PM

JB

I have known Bob for years. He was a good guy and I am thinking oh Ruth and family. So sorry for your loss.

Judy Brinker - March 31 at 05:06 PM

PH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pomeroy Funeral Home - March 30 at 11:12 AM