



## Mr. Ronald J. Dean

November 5, 1943 - April 13, 2020

Ronald Joseph Dean, age 76, of Imlay City passed away on April 13, 2020, in Attica, Michigan after a long illness. He was born on November 5, 1943, in Lapeer County. Ron married Gladys Yax on June 20, 1980, in Elba, Michigan. Son of the late Ronald and Doris Dean.

Ron served honorably in the United States Navy. He enjoyed golfing and loved spending time with his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys Dean of Imlay City, son, Joseph Dean of Wapakoneta, Ohio, son Jeffrey Dean of Wapakoneta, Ohio, daughter Wendy Grahm of Needville, Texas, daughter Amy Potvin of Clarkston. Grandchildren, Dereck Dean, Darin Dean, Lucas Potvin, Christopher Sebesta, and Paige Smith. Brothers John Dean, Lavern Dean, and Glenn Dean.

He was preceded in death by his sisters Shirley Knaggs and Barbara Mauk.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Burial will be held at Arcadia Township Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements are in care of the Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Avenue, Port Huron.

Memorial Tributes can be made to the wishes of the family.

To view the obituary and share memories, visit [www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Arcadia Township Cemetery

Lum Road  
Lum, MI

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL 19. 12:30 PM (ET)

Arcadia Township Cemetery  
Lum Road  
Lum, MI

# Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



**Gary Boomer** - April 23, 2020 at 04:18 PM

IA

“ Ron J Dean is a 1962 Graduate of Imlay City High School, and a Proud US Navy Veteran. The ICHS Alumni Association offers our deepest sympathy to the Dean family. Rest in Peace Alumni and Veteran.



**Imlay City Schools Alumni Association** - April 15, 2020 at 12:15 PM

DR

“ I was so happy that Ronnie came to my moms surprise party 4 years ago. It was great to see him and his brother Glenn. The Deans were a big part of my childhood. I even babysat for Jeff and Joey a few times. So sorry he's gone it was way to soon. Rest In Peace! ❤️

**Debbie (Smith) Reker** - April 15, 2020 at 12:13 PM

KR

“ Sad to lose this life long friend. We came from the same little village of Lum, served together on the Lum Fire Dept, raced cars up and down Lum & Armstrong Rd and told lies at the golf course. Gonna miss him. Deepest sympathy to Ron's family. Rest in Peace Ronnie D. - Kip & Gayle Reaves



Kip Reaves - April 15, 2020 at 12:06 PM

CZ

“ Our thoughts and prayers are sent to the family. He was such a great guy. We are truly sorry for your loss. 🙏❤️  
Carla and Ed Zuhlke

Carla and Ed Zuhlke - April 14, 2020 at 06:00 PM

DE

“ Love and Prayers to the family of Ron Dean. Delores Stroup

Dee - April 14, 2020 at 05:43 PM

RD

Good bye to a great guy,, will never forget his laugh!!! RIP Ron. Condolences 🙏🇺🇸 to the Entire Family.

Ron Dennis - April 18, 2020 at 12:21 PM

GB

I worked in Quality Assurance at Romeo RIM for a long while with Ron. He had a great sense of humor and always had a tale to tell regardless of the situation. He was a welcome addition to our Quality Group and worked closely with suppliers throughout his years. Ron will be sorely missed and I wish the family well as they deal thru this difficult time.  
Gary Boomer

Gary Boomer - April 23, 2020 at 04:07 PM