



## Ronald Leo Green

May 8, 1941 - December 12, 2024

Ronald Leo Green, 83, of Plymouth, Michigan, died peacefully at the Angela Hospice Care Center on December 12, 2024.

Ron was born on May 8, 1941 to Chester and Helen (Valley) Green in Cassopolis, Michigan. After graduating from Romulus High School in 1959, he attended one year of college at Lawrence Institute of Technology.

He went on to enjoy a 39-year career as a performance test driver at Ford Motor Company's Dearborn Proving Grounds. Ron loved to drive!

Ron married his high school sweetheart, Dolores, on September 8, 1962, and Ron and Dolores enjoyed over 62 years of marriage together until he passed. Ron adored Dolores, and he would do anything for her.

Ron was the ultimate family man and valued time with family and friends above all else, even driving! That said, he loved a good road trip and was always up for driving anyone, anywhere, at any time. When asked where he would like to drive, he would respond, "where wouldn't I drive?". He loved his 4 grandkids and treasured the time he spent with them on annual family vacations to the beach.

In their retirement years, Ron and Dolores enjoyed many overseas travel adventures, including a trip to Poland with their OLGK friends as well as multiple European riverboat cruises with their Ford friends.

Ron was incredibly thoughtful, generous, and intuitive, cared deeply for his friends and family, and always made everyone feel welcome and special. It didn't matter who you were or where you came from, he always welcomed

you with open arms, a hug, and a kiss.

Ron is survived by his wife of over 62 years Dolores; son Gregory (Jennifer) Green of Medway, MA; son David (Laura) Green of Livonia, MI; daughter Lori (Tim) Sullivan of Plymouth, MI; and four grandchildren Michael Green, Mallory Green, Alex Green, and Holly Green. He is survived by many sister-in-laws, brother-in-laws, cousins, nieces, and nephews. He joins his parents and brothers Victor Green and Gordon Green in eternal rest.

The family would like to extend their deep gratitude to the countless family and friends who showered Ron with love and support during his life and his courageous Alzheimer's journey. They would also like to thank the wonderful staff at Cedarbrook for taking such good care of Ron during his last six months and to the incredibly special staff at the Angela Hospice Care Center for the amazing care, comfort, support and peace that they provided to Ron and his family during the final days of his life.

Visitation will be held on Monday, December 16th between 4:00 pm and 8:00 pm with a 7 pm Scripture Service at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Rd. W., Plymouth, MI 48170. In state will be on Tuesday, December 17th 10:30 am until the 11 am Funeral Mass at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church, 47650 North Territorial Rd, Plymouth, MI 48170. Entombment will be at Michigan Memorial Park in Brownstown Twp. In lieu of flowers, Ron's family requests donations in his honor to the Alzheimer's Association or Angela Hospice. To share a memory, please use the Share a Memory tab on this web page.

# Cemetery Details

## Michigan Memorial Park

32163 W. Huron Drive  
Flat Rock, MI 48134

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 16. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth  
46401 Ann Arbor Road West  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
(734) 459-2250  
plymouth@vermeulenfh.com

## Scripture Service

DEC 16. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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## **In state**

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**DEC 17.** 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church  
47650 North Territorial Road  
Plymouth, MI 48170

## **Mass**

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**DEC 17.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church  
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Plymouth, MI 48170

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Dolores, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Ron, he was such a special man and my dad ( Bob Bobby Reed) loved him as well. After Dad passed I would speak with Ron and he was such a great comfort to me. The stories that they both had about the test track were great. I send you and the family my thoughts and prayers.*  
*Debbie (Reed) Dusina*

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**Debbie Dusina** - February 04, 2025 at 12:24 PM

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“ *Lori, I am so very sorry for the loss of your dad. Thinking of you and your mom and all of your family.*  
*From co-worker, Phyllis, at PT Beck Rd Henry Ford.*

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**Phyllis Gruszczynski** - December 17, 2024 at 04:39 PM

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“ *Ron was our neighbor across the street for over 10 years and I was always greeted with a wave, a smile and a big hello whenever we saw each other outside. He had the greatest sense of humor and I was always smiling waiting for his next one liner. A true gentlemen and great family man who loved to share the latest accomplishments of his family. Ron was a gem of a man and he'll be missed, but never forgotten! God Bless the entire Green family.*  
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**Doak Breen** - December 14, 2024 at 04:51 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Ronald Leo Green.*



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December 14, 2024 at 01:18 PM