



## Philip W. Post

April 11, 1940 - March 10, 2014

Philip W. Post of Eaton Rapids a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend went to be with the Lord March 10, 2014 due to complications from myelodysplastic syndrome. Phil was born April 11, 1940 in Highland, Michigan to the late Henry J. and Alice L. (Sluyter). Phil was a Territorial Manager for John Deere Co. and was a longtime member of South Church. He enjoyed biking, sailboats, collecting John Deere memorabilia and traveling. He had even traveled to every state in the continental United States. Phil lived his life with grace and dignity and he was an inspiration to everyone who knew him. He was a kind and compassionate man and will be dearly missed. Phil is survived by his loving wife, Diane (Parker); children, Tina (Brian) Buck, Aaron Post and Chris (Lisa) Post; grandsons, Brandon and Caleb; sister, Marilyn Duncan and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by grandson, Alexander and sister, Karen. The family would like to thank Dr. Al-Janadi and Dr. O'Mara and the staff at Breslin Cancer Center for their loving care and compassion through Phil's illness and the Sparrow Neuro ICU for the care they provided Phil this last week. A funeral service will be held Friday, March 14, 2014, 11:00am at South Church, 5250 Cornerstone Dr., Lansing, Michigan 48917 with Pastor Ben Cuthbert, officiating. Interment will follow at Union Cemetery, Oneida Twp., Eaton Co., MI. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 7-9pm and Thursday from 2-4pm and 7-9pm at the Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Memorial contributions may be given to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 1471 E. Twelve Mile Road, Madison

Heights, Michigan 48071 or South Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Union Cemetery

13720 Benton Road  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 12. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
406 N. Bridge Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837  
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## Visitation

MAR 13. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

MAR 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

South Church  
5250 Cornerstone Dr.  
Lansing, MI 48917

# Tribute Wall

SA

“ I was saddened to hear of the passing of my Uncle Phil. I will remember him best for his sense of humor and his ability to tell a good story. He was also a good listener. My son Tyler remembers how good Phils turkey soup and rice was one Thanksgiving dinner, when we came up to visit from North Carolina. I will keep the post family in my thoughts and prays. Philip we will miss you, rest in peace Sheryl and Chuck Adcock

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**Sheryl Adcock** - March 14, 2014 at 05:08 PM

MF

“ Great uncle Phil was a great man always had a smile and good for a laugh too my heart goes out to his closes family his children grandchildren wife and sister my granny love you guys with ally heart and I will be praying for u

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**mandy foster** - March 14, 2014 at 04:57 PM

MC

“ Diane and family I want to extend my sympathy to the loss of your loving husband, father and friend. Phil had the quality to make everyone feel as if you were his best friend. His gracious manners, smile and concern for others was always present. Please know my prayers and thoughts continue for you and your family.  
Mary Jane Campione

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**Mary Jane Campione** - March 14, 2014 at 09:00 AM

BR

“ I am very sorry to hear about Phil. I worked with Phil in Lansing when he was doing inventory control. He is a really nice guy and will be missed by everyone who new him.  
*Beverly Rubincan*

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**Beverly Rubincan** - March 13, 2014 at 10:02 PM

MT

“ Diane, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We are in Florida right now and won't be home in time to attend the funeral, but we wanted you to know that we are thinking of you. Phil was a great guy. Mearl has some great memories with Phil and Dick Esch when they used to work on Dick Esch's cottage. We'll be praying.  
*Mearl and Diane Talsma*

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**Mearl and Diane Talsma** - March 13, 2014 at 01:50 PM

DJ

“ Diane, I was saddened to read of Phil's passing. Though I didn't know him well, he was always a pure gentleman, with a smile to pass along. May you find some peace and understanding of God's will, and cherish the wonderful memories you have created.  
*Sincerely, Deb Jarous*

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**Deb Jarous** - March 13, 2014 at 10:35 AM

MK

“ I did not know Mr Post but I do have the privilege of knowing his amazing daughter very well. If he was anything like her, he was an amazing man. I know Tina loved her Dad very much and is going to have a huge void in her heart. However, losing a parent myself, I know their will always be a void but the memories you have are yours to hang on forever until you meet again! You get to keep the memories alive! Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Maxine King** - March 13, 2014 at 06:54 AM

DC

“ Rod and I are sadden at the loss of our friend Phil, but we know that he is with the Lord and no longer in pain. We are so thankful that he came into our lives and brightened the life of his wife, Diane. Phil was an exceptional individual who will be greatly missed.



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**DeAnna & Rod Clark** - March 12, 2014 at 12:57 PM

DW

“ Phil was such a loving faithful friend. He was there for his friends and family. When we built our home Phil showed up one Saturday with hammer in hand to help-such a sweet man. We look forward to seeing you again where we will have plenty of time to visit. Until then we know you will keep busy hanging out with Noah, Moses and sweet Jesus. We are sure you heard Jesus tell you, "Well done my good and faithful servant." Enjoy dear friend.

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**Dave and Janet Weitzel** - March 12, 2014 at 12:20 PM

JS

“ *Joan Swartz and Todd & Lisa Swartz purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Philip W. Post.*



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**Joan Swartz and Todd & Lisa Swartz** - March 12, 2014 at 12:11 PM

LL

“ *Please accept our most heart-felt condolences. We will be thinking about and praying for the Post family during this difficult, difficult time.*

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**Lori Lanford** - March 12, 2014 at 08:12 AM