



## Ronald Lewis Hayes

May 18, 1945 - December 3, 2024

Ronald Lewis Hayes of Grand Ledge passed away December 3, 2024. Ron was born May 18, 1945 in Lansing, Michigan to the late Lewis D. and Fern M. (Marshall) Hayes. He graduated from Grand Ledge High School in the Class of 1963, proudly served his country in the United State Navy during Vietnam, and worked for General Motors for over Thirty years. Ron enjoyed spending time outdoors and especially enjoyed gardening. He was also a woodworker. Ron made little rocking chairs, baby cradles, and custom cabinets. He was a loving husband, brother, uncle, and friend and he will be missed by the many lives that he touched.

He is survived by his wife of over fifty-five years, Rebecca (Fedewa); sisters, Joan Morris and Lynda Hayes; brothers-in-law, Richard Olcott and Gary Middaugh along with many nieces and nephews. Ron was preceded in death by siblings, Kenneth Bennett, Nancy Olcott, and Lynn Middaugh; brother-in-law, Carl Morris, and sister-in-law, Susan Bennett.

A funeral service will be held Friday, December 6, 2024, 11:00 AM at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Interment with military honors will follow at N. Eagle Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 5-7:00 PM and Friday from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Memorial contributions may be given to Disabled American Veterans, P.O. Box 14301 Cincinnati, Ohio 45250-0301 (<https://help.dav.org/page/70784/donate/1?ea.tra>)

cking.id=fund\_webihv&en\_txn6=F24FN035AAHVBC&utm\_campaign=fund&utm\_medium=mainweb&utm\_source=ihv&utm\_content=mainform\_test&\_gl=1\*gdzic7\*\_gcl\_au\*MTI3MTIxNjc3MS4xNzMzMzQ1ODg0) or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38105 ([https://www.stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude-today.html?sc\\_icid=header-btn-donate-now&homepagedonate](https://www.stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude-today.html?sc_icid=header-btn-donate-now&homepagedonate)). Share your memories and condolences online at [www.hoihanatkin.com](http://www.hoihanatkin.com)

# Cemetery Details

## North Eagle Cemetery

12200 S. Grange Road  
Eagle, MI 48822

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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DEC 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Ronald Lewis Hayes*



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**Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home** - December 06, 2024 at 04:03 PM

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“ *Rest in Peace my good friend. Many years of memories over the years. You will be truly missed. Bob U.*

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**Bob Updyke** - December 06, 2024 at 08:28 PM

JS

“ *Jennifer Ford (nee Sokoloski) lit a candle in memory of Ronald Hayes*



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**Jennifer Ford (nee Sokoloski)** - December 06, 2024 at 02:50 AM

JS

“ Uncle Ron was a very hard working man and he loved his country life. I remember him working in his workshop and taking care of his land. Inside the home, you always knew where he was as he had one of those voices that carried. With it, he would set the world to rights whether it was Detroit Lions football or Politics. I'll miss him greatly and pray for my Aunt Becky that she will know comfort and peace during this transition of life. In Jesus's name.

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**Jennifer Ford (nee Sokoloski)** - December 06, 2024 at 02:48 AM

RV

“ Ron, Sue, Jennifer and Valarie purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ronald Lewis Hayes.



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**Ron, Sue, Jennifer and Valarie** - December 04, 2024 at 11:49 AM