



Mr. Alvin W. Morefield

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Mr. Alvin W. "Al" Morefield, age 79, passed away Saturday, August 23, 2014 at his home in Norton Shores. He was born in Lansing, MI on April 14, 1935 to William A. and Gladys I. (Elden) Morefield. Al attended Michigan State University and remained a life-long fan and supporter of the school. He left college to join the United States Army and served as a code breaker. After his service, he was employed by the Department of Natural Resources for 31 years before retiring in 1988 as the assistant manager of the Muskegon State Park. Al was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and was a founding member of Prince of Peace Catholic Church. He was a dedicated volunteer at The Dispute Resolution Center and formed many great friendships there. Al was a loving family man and started each day by sending his grandchildren a morning text message. He took great joy in his children and grandchildren's sports events and spent many years coaching and watching their games, even into their adult years. He was a skilled woodworker and enjoyed hunting and fishing. On September 14, 1963, Al married the former Linda Lois Hess at St. Edward Catholic Church in Omer, MI and she survives him along with their two children, Joseph "Joe" Morefield and Cynthia "Cindy" (Jeffrey) Morefield-Pinder; four grandchildren, Anthony, Courtney, Teddy and Cassie; one brother, Thomas Morefield and two sisters, Mary Krokker and Ethel Haring. THE MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL will be celebrated 11:00 AM Wednesday, August 27, 2014 at St. Mary the Immaculate Conception Church with Rev. Fr. Matthew J. Barnum presiding. VISITATION will be from 4-8 PM Tuesday, August 26, 2014 at The Lee Chapel, 6291 S. Harvey St., 231-798-1100. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. MEMORIALS to The Dispute Resolution Center would be appreciated.



Events

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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, August 26, 2014

 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

 **Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel**

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores MI 49444



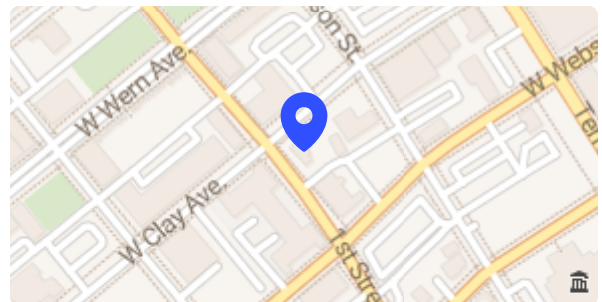
Mass of Christian Burial

 **Wednesday**, August 27, 2014


 11:00 AM ET

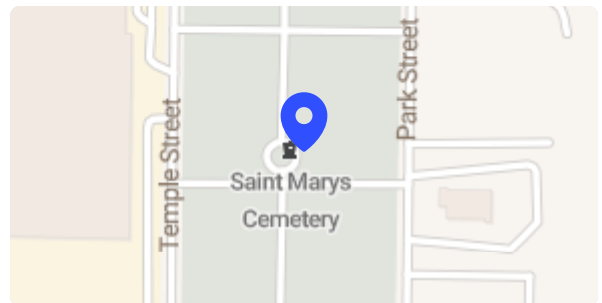
 **St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church**

239 West Clay, Muskegon MI 49440



Cemetery Details

 **St. Mary's Cemetery**
1915 Park St., Muskegon MI 49441





Tribute Wall

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PW

Phyllis Wahlberg posted:

Al's devotion to mediation is very appreciated. He chose a wonderful, important cause to put his volunteer efforts toward. He will be remembered by those of us who worked with him there.

August 26 at 12:29 PM

UA

Un Fuerte Abrazo, Cat, Ter, Clare And Ian sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Morefield family.



August 26 at 4:03 AM

RS

Rick Sharp posted:

Love you guys, and you are all in my prayers. I have no better childhood family vacation memories than those of Otsego Lake State Park. Sitting around the campfire, singing, being WAY too noisy, WAY too late into the night. Where do those days go? Al will always be a cherished part of those great memories, until we get the chance to see one another again, in the presence of our Lord and Savior."Ricky" Sharp

August 25 at 5:14 PM

GF

Greene Family posted:

Dear Morefield Family and Friends, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my family's sincere condolences. When someone you love dies, there is a sadness and a void that is excruciating and overwhelming. May it comfort you to know that our Creator hears our cries, empathizes with our broken hearts, and will soon act to rid us of this last enemy, death, forever. (Revelation 4:11, Psalms 34:18, 1 Corinthians 15:26, Acts 24:15)

August 25 at 5:14 AM

SL

Sue Leatzow posted:

Linda, I am sorry for you but I know you must be relieved that Al is no longer suffering but instead enjoying the blessings of Heaven. God's strength in the days ahead. Sue Leatzow.

August 24 at 4:20 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Alvin by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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