



# Charley A. Skuse

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**C**harley Allen Skuse, age 62, passed away peacefully in his home April 1, 2016 in Hesperia, MI after a long battle with cancer. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Charley enjoyed working on old cars, car shows, traveling, and vacations to Mackinaw City. He will be missed by many and never forgotten. He is survived by his wife, Cindy Skuse; mother, Ruth Skuse; children, Patricia Chamberlain (Jeremy), Nate Skuse (Megan Patterson), James Skuse (Nicole); stepchildren, Joshua Graff and Jacob Graff; brothers, David Skuse (Debbie), Elwood Skuse Jr., Dennis Comstock (Brenda); and sister, Ann Dawes (Rick); grandchildren, James Petrie (JaiLynn), Charles Petrie (Kateri), Heather Cooley (Tyler), Andrew Borrow (Ashley Frank), Kylee Patterson-Skuse, Payton Patterson-Skuse, Kailyn Skuse, Eric Skuse, Seifer Graff; one great-grandchild, Taryn Petrie and another two on the way; and ex-wife, Wenda Skuse. He was preceded in death by his father, Elwood Skuse; son, Charley Skuse; and brother, Frank Comstock. In lieu of flowers, donations will be accepted through <https://www.youcaring.com/charley-allen-skuse-550231> or mail checks to 5490 Olds Ln, Whitehall, MI 49461.

Family Update about Charley's Celebration of Life:

Come celebrate the life of Charley with us Saturday, April 30th at 3 pm until whenever at his son James Skuse's house (5490 Olds Ln, Whitehall, MI 49461)! We will have tents in the case of rain.

We will be grilling hot dogs and burgers along with some other picnic style food and providing drinks (bring your own beer). We'll also have a horse shoe pit, kids playground, soccer goals and everybody in the family is welcome!

A donation box will be available for cards to the family and we'll be doing some raffles to help cover for the costs we have and will incur. Here is a link to our donation page and obituary.



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We look forward to seeing everybody, listening to memories, sharing our memories and pictures with all of his family and friends.




## Events


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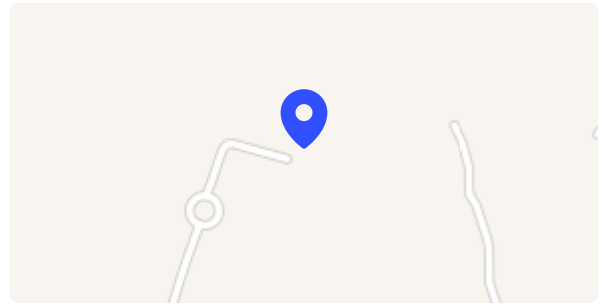
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### Celebration of Life

 **Saturday**, April 30, 2016

 3:00 PM ET

 **James Skuse's home**  
5490 Olds Ln, Whitehall MI 49461





# Tribute Wall

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**Aunt Shirley** posted:

Love ya Charly, will miss you, although we know you are still around, you have a lot of family, to keep you alive, and your whole again.

April 9 at 4:26 AM



**Nicole Skuse** posted:

One of my best memories was a "pizza run" to Mackinaw City. We headed to the park by the bridge and the birds loved Dad. They would take food right from his hands. Me...not so much. I sat on the ground and he gradually dressed me in all of his stuff...hat, coat...and the birds still wouldn't eat the Doritos from my hand. I'll miss these trips!

April 6 at 6:21 AM



**Lori Taylor** posted:

I am so very thankful to know him he would always say hello to anyone try to make u smile I meet him at Walmart I was people greeting he would walk in say always hello how are u try to make me smile when I was having bad day and love he share with Cindy was something I've would want he always show her so much love he didn't care what anyone thought I so miss u charlie r.l.p

April 6 at 4:37 AM



**Lori Taylor** sent a virtual gift in honor of Charley.



April 6 at 4:34 AM



**Lori Taylor** lit a candle in honor of Charley.



April 6 at 4:33 AM



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**George Stone** posted:

i have alot of great memory with charley working with him at adavnce but the best one was when he let me drive old frankinford will never forget him throwing me the key and said take it for a spin going to miss him rip charley

April 5 at 4:56 PM



**Patricia Chamberlain** posted:

I have a life time of memories but a few stand out today. Taking off for a drive was his favorite thing to do. I remember getting scooped out of bed one morning, it was still dark and driving into Ludington to a small diner for lemon meringue pie and to watch the sun rise with my Dad. I think I was 6. The things that make you love even more deeply. Miss you Daddy.

April 5 at 4:17 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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