



## Steven Stewart Graeser

December 4, 1940 - January 16, 2021

Steven Stewart Graeser, age 80, of Grand Haven passed away Saturday, January 16, 2021, unexpectedly at home. He was born December 4, 1940, in Elsberry, Missouri and raised by Dr. Richard and Catherine Graeser. He married Shirley Ann Mead who he had known for most of his life on August 14, 2004, at the beach in Grand Haven.

Steve graduated from Westminster College in Missouri with a bachelor's degree and served his country in the Army. He then went on to work in the banking industry in many capacities during his career, retiring as banking security officer. Steve also worked for Sears in the security department. His other interests were golfing, playing guitar, banjo, keyboard, boating on his Chris Craft, spending time at the beach, and special trips in his 2003 Chevy Monte Carlo. Steve was a member of the Charles A. Conklin American Legion Post # 28.

He is lovingly remembered by his wife, Shirley Mead; two daughters, Gretchen (Justin) Morris and Jenne Graeser; two sons, Dirk Graeser and Richard (Rachel) Graeser; two stepdaughters, Rebecca (William) VanderMolen and Stacie Roberts; stepson, Daniel (Liza) Irving; nine grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sister, Shirley (William) Dryden; brother, John (Jolene) Jeffries; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his sister, Etta Mae Jeffries and two brothers, William and Norman Jeffries.

According to his wishes a private family service will be held at a later date. Arrangements entrusted to The VanZantwick Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 620 Washington Ave, Grand Haven, MI 49417. Share memories with the family at their online guest book at [www.sytsemafah.com](http://www.sytsemafah.com).

# Comments

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Steven Stewart Graeser.



January 19 at 06:54 PM

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“ Steve was such a warm, friendly man, and I'm so glad to have had him living in our neighborhood. I loved his great smile and his wonderful southern drawl. He will be dearly missed.

Gayle Parmelee - January 19 at 03:03 PM

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“ We're so sorry to hear of Steve's passing. You are in our prayers and we hope you find comfort in memories in the days to come.  
George and Judy Jackson

Judy Jackson - January 19 at 02:42 PM

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“ Patricia Cisco lit a candle in memory of Steven Stewart Graeser



Patricia Cisco - January 18 at 04:02 PM

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“ Your life started over the day you reconnected. I will always remember your wedding day on the beach, one of best sun rises ever. Your house all decked out, the friends and family every where! Your wedding I will always remember. Much love to you and the family. Call when your ready. Pat Nielson Cisco and John

**Patricia Cisco** - January 18 at 04:01 PM