



Jack Arnold Plowman

May 2, 1936 - April 28, 2023

Jack Arnold Plowman, age 86, of Drummond Island, Michigan, died in his home on April 28, 2023. Jack was born on May 2, 1936, in St. Johns, Michigan, to RG and Mildred (Whitney) Plowman.

Jack grew up in St. Johns and graduated from St. Johns High School. He joined the U.S. Army and served in Germany as a Military Policeman. After his service in Germany, he returned to his hometown where he worked as a materials inspector for the Michigan Highway Department. He met Sheryl Hajek, the love of his life, and they married in North Judson, Indiana, on July 15, 1961. They resided in St. Johns, where they raised three boys. Dedicated to serving the community, Jack changed careers, and graduated from the Michigan State Police Academy in 1973. He served as an officer with the St. Johns Police Department for 21 years before retiring in 1994. Jack earned the admiration, affection, and respect of the citizens of St. Johns and his fellow officers and workers.

After his retirement, Jack and Sheryl moved to Drummond Island where he continued to enjoy his family, fishing, hunting, gardening, and golf. He was actively involved with Ducks Unlimited, Pheasants Forever, The Drummond Island Sportsman's Club, and the Drummond Island Lions Club.

Jack is survived by his wife, Sheryl; sons, Jeff, Mark, and Brian (Elly);

grandchildren, Chelsea, Grant, James, and Lily, all of whom he adored; two great grandchildren; sisters, Norma (Denny) Bauer and Judy Plowman; and his brother Larry.

Jack was preceded in death by his parents, and brothers, Robert, and Richard.

Jack left this world surrounded by those who loved him most and it was his request for no services.

Galer Funeral Homes of Pickford, Michigan, is serving the family.
Condolences may be left to the family at www.galerfuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jack Arnold Plowman*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Jack Arnold Plowman*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *When I was very young, we sometimes visited the Plowman's at the house that Jack built. Jean Fedewa, Roger and Kathy Vanatten's daughter.*

Jean Fedewa - May 03, 2023 at 07:11 PM



“ *Sheryl and family....I was so surprised to hear of Jack's death from former student Kim Lantz. It's been so long since I've heard from or seen any of you. I suspected your home was in beloved Drummond Island. I'm sending my sincere sympathy to all of you. Many good memories of our time at Perrin Palmer....and of Jack not giving me a ticket at one point. Sheryl, I hope you are doing well and I wish we could chat. It will soon be 3 years ago that I lost Steve. I am blessed with 5 grown-up grands and 8 greats. Enjoy your time and know I'm thinking of you.*

Dorothy Bakita

Theabakita@gmail.com...if you would like to correspond.

Dorothy Bakita - May 03, 2023 at 04:32 PM

MB

Sheryl, Jeff, Mark Brian sorry to hear the loss of Jack. I remember a lot of memories with your family. Doesn't seem possible that it will be 4 years for mom and a year in November for dad. Take care and you are in my thoughts.

Michelle Bailey

Michelle Bailey - May 03, 2023 at 06:48 PM

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so very sorry for your loss Cherish the many memories you all have and pass them on

Mike & Diane

M&D - May 08, 2023 at 11:35 AM

DB

I am sorry to (only just now) learn of Jack's passing. I had the honor and privilege of working with him at SJP. Jack was a good man.

Daniel J. Bowen - August 06, 2023 at 03:27 PM