



Delbert Richard Fancher

November 26, 1945 - October 8, 2025

Delbert "Del" Richard Fancher, 79, of Charlotte, a man dedicated to his family and his country, died Wednesday, October 8, 2025 in Charlotte. Delbert was born November 26, 1945, the son of Earl Wesley and Martha Gladys (Hansen) Fancher. As a young man, he worked at Ripley's Auto, developing mechanic skills that would serve him throughout his life. Delbert was drafted into the U.S. Army and sent to Vietnam, where he proudly served a tour of duty. On October 3, 1970 he married Virgie Paulette Hollister and together they raised three daughters.

Delbert was known as the neighborhood "fix it" guy. He not only loved wrenching on his own cars, but was also always on the lookout for a project with which he could help. He was also happy out on the water fishing. Throughout his life, family was a central focus for Delbert. He loved attending his grandchildren's sporting events, and made a point to get together with his children and grandchildren every week.

Delbert is survived by his three daughters, Angela (Elwin) Fulkerson, Annette Fancher, and Amber (John) Gibson; two grandsons, Sterling (Alexi) Fancher and Zakary Fulkerson; two granddaughters, Breanna (Cody Metzger) Fulkerson and Sophia Gibson; four great-grandchildren, Lynden Case, Hudson Fancher, Beckett Fancher and Truett Fancher; sisters, Wilma Freed and Eileen Hollister; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in

death by his wife, Virgie Fancher; brothers, Wesley Fancher and Duane Fancher; sister, Leoma Smith; and brother-in-law, Orvil "Sonny" Hollister.

Friends are encouraged to support Delbert's family by attending visitation or sharing memories on his Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com <<http://www.prayfuneral.com>>. The family will receive guests at Pray Funeral Home before a private interment at Ft. Custer National Cemetery. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to any Veteran's Organization. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **15**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W. Seminary St.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Delbert Richard Fancher



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - October 14, 2025 at 12:16 PM

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We love you. Uncle Delbert. Love so much Connie Jeff Colin and nyla. You always had words of wisdom.

Connie hill - January 18 at 02:34 PM



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“ Legacy Heating and Air family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Delbert Richard Fancher.



Legacy Heating and Air family - October 14, 2025 at 08:37 AM

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“ Sending our condolences from the staff at ECHRS

ECHRS - October 10, 2025 at 08:35 AM