



Jerome 'Jerry' Hennessey

December 2, 1956 - November 23, 2021

Jerome "Jerry" Gerard Hennessey gained his wings on November 23, 2021 after a battle with Covid-19. Jerry was born December 2, 1956, in Lansing, the son of the late Carlyle James and Dorothy Joan (Joanas) Hennessey. He graduated from Charlotte High School in 1975 and went on to pursue a career at Spartan Motors, working with Fire Apparatuses. He met the love of his life, Annette Kirby, right after graduation and they married in September of 1984. They raised two children together and later raised five of their eight grandchildren. Jerry was the jack of all trades. He knew his way around vehicles like nobody else. He was a family man, and was known to make everyone around him feel like family.

Jerry is survived by his wife Glenna Annette Hennessey; son, Corey Kirby; daughter, Stephanie Hennessey; grandchildren, Imagyn, Ethan, Emma, Kiyilee and Tatum Kirby, Chloe and Kendalyn Campbell and Channing Taylor; sisters, Lorraine (Gary) Shaver and Victoria Bolus; and a loving host of extended family and close friends. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Michael Hennessey; grand-daughter, Ava; and niece, Anne Marie Bolus.

Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 2, 2021 at Pray Funeral Home with Pastor Shane Bryant officiating. Visitation will be from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 1, 2021 at the funeral home. Interment will take place in Kalamo Hillside Cemetery. Memorial contributions

may be made to the family in care of Annette Hennessey. Memories of Jerry can be shared on his tribute page at www.prayfuneral.com. Arrangements made by Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte, MI.

Cemetery Details

Hillside (Kalamo) Cemetery

1459 S. Ionia Rd
Vermontville, MI 49096

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Ceremony

DEC 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Jerome 'Jerry' Hennessey

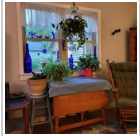


Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - December 01, 2021 at 07:26 PM

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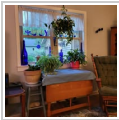
“ I worked with Jerry at Spartan Motors. He was a very good guy, he was always ready to step in and help you if needed. My prayers go out to the family

Lynn Garvie - December 13, 2021 at 07:24 PM



“ Our family is sad. We lived near the Hennessey family when Jerry was in high school, and we were always pleased to welcome him into our home. Jerry was always kind, gentle, and a good friend to us all.

Judy Blevins - November 30, 2021 at 11:57 AM



from Derinda, Holly and Missy.

Judy Blevins - November 30, 2021 at 11:59 AM

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“ Jeff Smith lit a candle in memory of Jerome 'Jerry' Hennessey



Jeff Smith - November 28, 2021 at 10:09 AM



“ Lorraine and family,

I am so sorry to hear about your Brother's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you.

*With deepest sympathy,
Dan Bargy*

Daniel Bargy - November 26, 2021 at 09:48 PM

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“ 20 files added to the album Jerry Hennessey early years



Loraine Shaver - November 26, 2021 at 06:58 PM