



## Roger Allen Reed

December 14, 1931 - November 16, 2022

Roger Allen Reed, a gregarious and outgoing man, died November 16, 2022. Roger, 90, was born on December 14, 1931 in Charlotte to George Washington and Elsie Jane (Mason) Reed. Roger was a loving husband, grandfather and a great dad. He instilled his love for the outdoors in his children through countless camping trips, canoe trips and family trips, Expo 67, Yellowstone National Park and Florida to name a few. Roger also sold popcorn for the band boosters and chauffeured his kids and their friends on many school canoe and band trips. As a conversationalist, he felt as though he could strike up a conversation with anyone in town, and he did. Roger loved the game of golf, and was a long-time member of the former Charlotte Country Club. He achieved 5 hole-in-ones. Bowling was another of his favorite pastimes and he enjoyed the competition with Crandall Trucking Team in local leagues. Roger was an avid U of M fan and one of the favorite memories will be of a June of '22 trip to Louisville for the college world series to see U of M play. If there were to be a perfect celebration of life setting for Roger, it would be a U of M vs. Ohio State tailgate party. Roger was employed at Aluminum Extrusions with Quality Control for 33 ½ years and was proud to be part of the Michigan National Guard 119th Field Artillery located in Charlotte.

Roger is survived by his children, Douglas Reed, Janice (Mike) Matsumoto, and Terry Reed; grandchildren, Alexis Reed, Samantha (Eric) White and Kimberly Matsumoto. He was predeceased by his wife, Donna Jean (King)

Reed; his parents and his 8 siblings.

Friends are encouraged to support Roger's family by attending services or sharing memories on his Tribute Page at [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com). Visitation is Tuesday, November 22, from 2-4:00 p.m. and 6-8:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home. Funeral services are Wednesday, November 23, 11:00 a.m. at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Pastor Jeff Nelson officiating. Following the interment at Bosworth Cemetery, the family invites you to a luncheon at Maple Brook Golf Course in Charlotte. The funeral will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com), click on Roger's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the American Heart Association or Hospice of Lansing. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

# Cemetery Details

## Bosworth Cemetery

6933 South Stine Road  
Olivet, MI 49076

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home  
401 W Seminary St  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Ceremony

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Roger Allen Reed



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**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - November 23, 2022 at 10:10 AM

HM

*Peace and comfort to Doug, Janice and Terry. My uncle was a wonderful man who loved life and his family.*

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**Helen Marie** - November 23, 2022 at 11:05 AM

LR

*I bowled with Roger for a few years on Crandell's bowling team, we had a lot of laughs and a great time as a team which I will never forget. So sad to hear of his passing, prayers for the family. He was one of the best men I ever knew for sure.*

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**larry ranshaw** - December 05, 2022 at 05:00 PM



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Roger Allen Reed



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**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - November 21, 2022 at 09:46 PM

JB

“ I worked with Roger many years at A & E. He was a great guy and a wonderful friend. My condolences to the family.

James W Braden - November 25, 2022 at 02:30 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Roger Allen Reed.



November 21, 2022 at 11:20 PM



“ 43 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - November 21, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Roger Allen Reed.



November 19, 2022 at 05:29 AM