



## Bernard Simon Markaity

August 26, 1927 - February 6, 2018

Bernard Simon Markaity, age 90, of Detroit, Michigan passed away peacefully on February 6, 2018.

Born in Detroit, Michigan on August 26, 1927 to John and Mary Markaity he lived his life within the Detroit Metropolitan area.

Bernard (Bernie) enjoyed life to its fullest. He enjoyed movies, music, reading, sports, politics, history, nature, animals, photography, journalism, art, and most of all his family. He loved to learn new things and you could gain his interest and passion in just about anything you presented to him. He also loved a good political debate with anyone, anytime. He loved his wife Corine dearly and together they enjoyed music, movies, an evening out to a nice dinner, and when they were able they loved to dance.

Bernie joined the US Navy in 1945 and during his service he completed Radar Training and Ground Controlled Approach training in addition to his Naval Prep School. He also received a WWII Victory Medal for his service during this period of our country's history. Bernie received an Honorable Discharge in 1948.

Bernie graduated from the University of Detroit with a degree in Journalism. He began working as a salesman for various printing companies, eventually working with William Feather Printers for the majority of his career.

Bernie started his family on February 13th, 1954 when he married his beautiful wife of 64 years, Corine (McShane). Bernie is survived by his wife Corine McShane-Markaity, four sons; Daniel (Nancy) Markaity, Tim Markaity,

Mark (Susan) Markaity, James Markaity (Deanna Brown), and one daughter; Paula (Kenneth) Markaity –Cicilian. He is also survived by his four grandchildren, Kelly, Sean, Allison Markaity, and Tara Cicilian. He will additionally be missed by many extended family members, and many dear friends.

The family will receive friends and relatives from 3pm-8pm on Friday, February 9th at E.J. Mandziuk & Son Funeral Home. A scripture service will take place at 7:00 pm. Address of funeral home: 3801 Eighteen Mile Rd, Sterling Heights, MI

A Catholic mass will be held at St Jane Frances De Chantal on Saturday, February 10th. Bernard will be in state at 9:30am, with mass beginning at 10am. Address of church: 38750 Ryan Rd, Sterling Heights, MI 48310.

In lieu of flower the family would appreciate donations to Meals On Wheels.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Rd  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

FEB 9. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Sterling Heights  
3801 18 Mile Road  
Sterling Heights, MI 48314  
(586) 997-3838

## Scripture Service

FEB 9. 7:00 PM (ET)

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3801 18 Mile Road  
Sterling Heights, MI 48314  
(586) 997-3838

## Instate

FEB 10. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Jane Frances deChantal Catholic Church  
38750 Ryan Rd  
Sterling Heights, MI

## Mass of the Resurrection

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FEB **10**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Jane Frances deChantal Catholic Church  
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Sterling Heights, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ Bernard Simon Markaity

October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ Bernard Simon Markaity

January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy Markaity family. I have fond memories of visiting with Mr and Mrs since Jimmy and I first became friends decades ago. Thinking of you all today.*

*Weather permitting I will be there, snowed in at the moment*



Cheryl Lucas - February 09, 2018 at 03:24 PM



“ *Paula, Kenny, And Tara lit a candle in memory of Bernard Simon Markaity*



Paula, Kenny, and Tara - February 09, 2018 at 09:22 AM

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Paula, Kenny, and Tara - February 09, 2018 at 09:21 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bernard Simon Markaity.*



February 08, 2018 at 07:18 PM

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“ *Kelly, Sean, Allison, Tara purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Bernard Simon Markaity.*



Kelly, Sean, Allison, Tara - February 08, 2018 at 04:19 PM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bernard Simon Markaity.*



February 07, 2018 at 02:00 PM